

# H.W. Mountz Back-to-School Night

Grades 3-8 OnCourse Presentation  
September 17-18, 2014

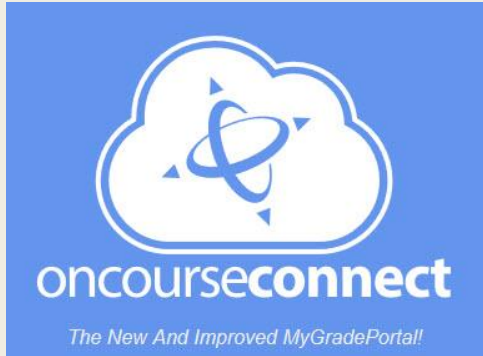
# Diving Into OnCourse!

You will receive a card with your username and password on it for the OnCourse Portal. This is the same for ALL of your children!

If you attend Back to School Night last night, you will NOT receive another card.



# Welcome to OnCourse Portal!



The OnCourse Connect portal allows parents and students to view grades, attendance, homework, and other information online. To access OnCourse Connect, please click the link sent to your email or on my homepage.

Your child's information at your fingertips!

Dashboard has your information summary

The screenshot shows the oncourseconnect dashboard with the following sections:

- Student Info:** Includes a profile picture placeholder labeled "Photo Not Available" and a blue-bordered box.
- Attendance (2014-2015):** Displays three circular gauges: Absent (0), Present (7), and Tardy (0).
- Homework:** Shows the date "Friday, September 12, 2014" and the message "No homework to display".
- Latest Assignment Grades:** A vertical timeline showing grades for "worksheet" (95/100) and "Notebook/binder to class" (100/100). A specific assignment is highlighted: "Hidden Worlds comprehension check" (Grade: 10/10) for "Class: Language Arts 5" (Category: HW/CW) on 9/10/2014.
- Grades:** A section at the bottom with a checkmark icon and the label "Grades".

You'll find a timeline of ALL grades here

Homework is listed here; you can even check the box next to each item as you complete it!

Your Dashboard at a glance...

# Academic History

- a class-by-class grade book that includes assignments, grades, and comments uploaded by the teachers weekly
- The Parent-Student Handbook summarizes grade breakdowns and policies
- Weighted categories include Class work/Homework, Quizzes, Tests, and Exams

## *Your Child's Grades...*

- ★ include both formative and summative data
- ★ help give feedback about learning progress and achievement
- ★ represent mastery of knowledge, understandings, and skills
- ★ provide guidance to students about future course work
- ★ provide guidance to teachers for instructional planning
  
- ★ **We encourage our young learners to emphasize the learning that the number represents**

What really matters most...

*Go home and give it a try!*

- ★ Remember:
- we're all learning!
  - glitches happen!
  - call the office with any login issues!



It's a great reporting tool!