

Dear Families,

As part of our curriculum this year, we are encouraging our students to engage in exploration of their personalities and strengths, and to embrace the individual characteristics that make them unique. To aid in this process, we will be using a platform called Thrively.

Thrively is a family website that helps kids discover their strengths and understand how those strengths can help them succeed in “the real world.” The experience consists of a 30 minute Strength Assessment quiz designed to be kid-friendly and fun. Afterwards, your child will receive a personalized Strength Profile describing his or her unique strengths in an energizing, positive write-up. From this, Thrively recommends enriching activities (both local and online) that are a complement to these strengths, helping your child to discover new and exciting opportunities at which he or she is likely to excel.

In order for your child to use Thrively, he or she must have your permission, and you must read and agree to the Thrively Terms of Service (<http://www.thrively.com/signin/toc>) on your child’s behalf. You must also read and agree to the Thrively Privacy Policy (http://www.thrively.com/signin/privacy_policy). Your privacy is taken seriously. The only information required from students to set up a Thrively account is their first name, last initial, a username, and password.

You may also sign up for a parent account on Thrively, which connects to your child’s account. Include your email with the return of this permission slip, and I will send an invitation email that you must sign up through in order to connect to your child’s account. Once your child completes his or her Strength Profile, you will be able to access it, as well as their customized recommendations, any time via your parent account.

Please sign and return the permission slip below.

Feel free to email me with any questions and learn more about Thrively at www.thrively.com.

Thank you,

Permission Slip

I give consent for my child, listed below, to use Thrively in class. I understand I can access the Terms and Conditions and Privacy Policy any time at thrively.com.

Parent / Guardian name (please print clearly): _____

Parent / Guardian email address: _____

Parent / Guardian signature: _____