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GoGuardian Parent in Allen ISD

Allen ISD has just granted families access to GoGuardian Parent, a mobile app to help keep parents/guardians aware of your children's activity on school-issued devices and provide you with additional controls during out-of-school hours. GoGuardian Parent is a companion to the classroom management and internet filtering tools that your child's school uses for devices issued to students. Through the use of this app, we hope to encourage more open and honest conversations between parents and children that will result in safer practices and responsible browsing habits.

What is GoGuardian Parent?

GoGuardian Parent was created to help provide additional educational support to administrators and teachers by allowing parents to see what sites and documents their children are browsing and providing parents with additional internet controls at home. The app gives parents a bird's eye view of the apps and websites that their kids are on most often and control over school-issued devices during out-of-school hours. With this perspective, parents can be made aware of what types of browsing behavior schools are seeing from students so they can all work together to encourage more effective internet browsing habits at home and at school.

What's the intention of the app?

By providing insight and controls over student browsing activity, our goal is to empower parents to take a more active role in their children's online learning while at home. We aim to create a greater sense of transparency with student browsing to help bring about a greater sense of accountability on both the parent's and the student's part. We also believe that transparency and insight will increase the likelihood of productive student browsing habits on a more consistent basis.

What is included in this app:

- Ability to block websites on school-issued devices during out-of-school hours using the Filters tab in the app
- Ability to pause internet access on school-issued devices during out-of-school hours, either on-demand or at a scheduled time using the Time tab in the app
- At this time the Summary and Activity tabs are *not* available

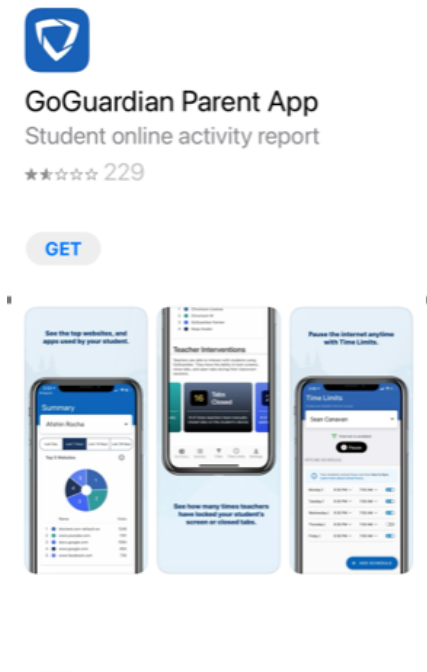
Additional Resources

- [Getting Started with Go Guardian Parent](#)
- [Common Sense Media Parent Need to Knows: Screen Time](#)
- [Common Sense Blog: So You Got a Parental Control...Now What?](#)


If you have any questions, you can reach us at empower1to1@allenisd.org.

To access the app, please follow the below instructions:

1. Download the app
 1. **iPhone:** Visit App Store, download [GoGuardian Parent](#).
 2. **Android:** Visit Google Play Store, download [GoGuardian Parent](#).



2. After the app is successfully downloaded and installed, open it up and **enter the email address registered with the school.**



Welcome to GoGuardian

To log in, enter your email for authentication.

The email must match a registered guardian email.

Enter

3. Login/Check Email with the email address listed in Skyward: Check your email on your phone for a link to log in to the app. Email will come from noreply@goguardian.com. Tap the "Verify your email", and it will take you straight to the app. *Note: If you don't have access to*

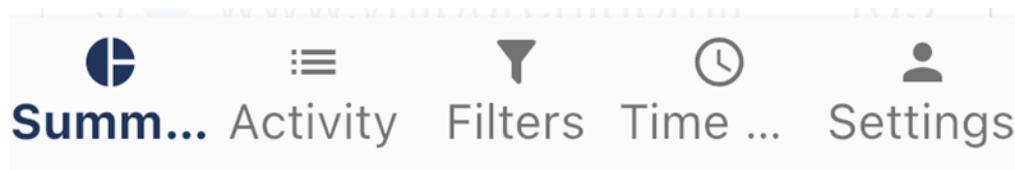
your email through the device you used to log in, tap on "Login with verification code", and copy and paste the verification code from the email into the app.

Please check your email

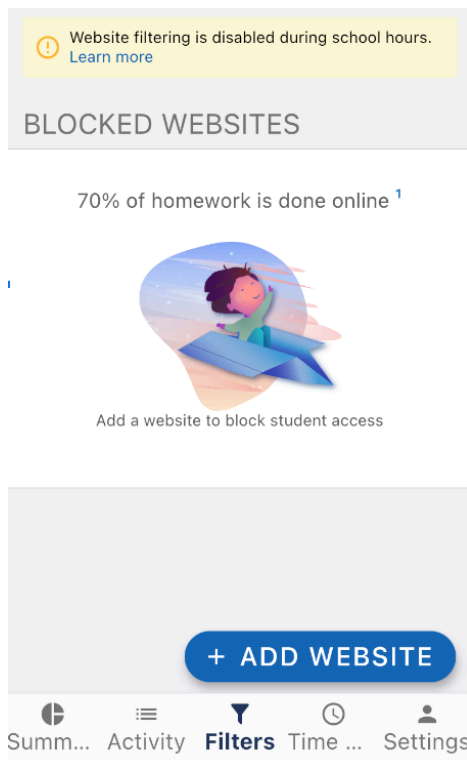
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[Log in with PIN](#)

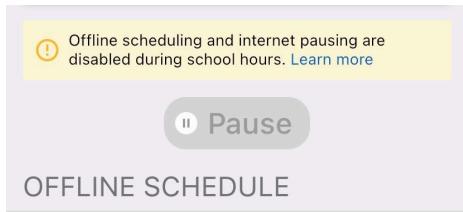
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94% of students do homework online ¹



Add a schedule to pause internet access

