



To: Frontier School Corporation Families and Staff
From: Fred Unsicker, Superintendent of Frontier School Corporation
Re: PowerSchool Data Breach
Date: January 14, 2025

Dear Frontier School Corporation Family and Staff,

We are writing to make you aware of a recent cybersecurity incident involving PowerSchool, a software vendor which provides our Student Information System (SIS). This cybersecurity incident was on a PowerSchool data server, not a Frontier School Corporation data server.

On Tuesday, January 7, 2025, PowerSchool informed our leadership team that they experienced a nationwide cybersecurity incident involving unauthorized access to certain PowerSchool SIS customer data. Over the next several days, our IT team worked with PowerSchool to determine whether any individuals within our district were impacted by the incident. Unfortunately, they have confirmed that a portion of the information accessed belongs to some of Frontier School Corporation's families and educators.

PowerSchool informed us that the taken data primarily includes parent and student contact information with data elements such as name and address information. Across their customer base, they have determined that for a portion of individuals, some personally identifiable information (PII), such as social security numbers (SSN) and medical information, was impacted. However, please be advised that Frontier School Corporation does not keep social security numbers on the PowerSchool platform. Additionally, at this time, there has not been any unauthorized access of Frontier students' medical information, grades, passwords, or information related to individualized education programs. Frontier School Corporation only keeps the information that is required by the State of Indiana on the PowerSchool platform as outlined under Board Policy po8330 and po8351. They are working with urgency to complete their investigation and determine whether any other PII belonging to our students was included in the incident.

Protecting our students and staff is something we take seriously. With PowerSchool's help, more information and resources (including credit monitoring or identity protection services if applicable) will be provided to you as it becomes available. We will provide you with more information about this incident and what PowerSchool is doing to ensure future cybersecurity incidents do not recur as we learn more.

Thank you for your patience and understanding.

Sincerely,

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