



# **ASCENDER TeacherPortal - Teacher Guide: Update Your Account**



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# Teacher Guide to ASCENDER TeacherPortal

## Update Your TeacherPortal Account

[Reset forgotten password.](#)

The Reset Password page allows you to reset a forgotten password or change your password. To reset your password, you must know your staff ID, user ID, and the correct answer to one of your password hint questions; otherwise, you must contact your campus administrator to have your account reset.

The screenshot shows the 'Reset Password' page within the ASCENDER TeacherPortal. At the top, there is a red header bar with a 'Return to Login' link. Below the header, a progress bar indicates three steps: 'Reset Password' (active, marked with a red dot), 'Security Question', and 'Create New Password'. The main content area is titled 'Reset Password' and includes the instruction 'Enter Staff ID and User Name'. There are two input fields: 'Staff ID' and 'User Name', each with a user icon and a placeholder text. At the bottom right, there are 'Next' and 'Cancel' buttons.

☐ From the Login page, click **Reset Password**.

The Reset Password page opens.

☐ To exit the Reset Password function without saving any changes, click **Return to Login**.

### Reset Password

<b>Staff ID</b>	Type your six-digit district-assigned staff ID number.
<b>User Name</b>	Type the user name you created when you registered for TeacherPortal.

☐ Click **Next**.

If you entered the data correctly, the Security Question step opens.

### Security Question:

<b>Answer</b>	One of your hint questions is displayed, as established in your User Profile. Type the answer to your hint question exactly as it appears in your profile.
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☐ Click **Next**.

If you entered the data correctly, the Create New Password step opens.

### Create New Password:

<b>Password</b>	Type a new password. You cannot reuse your last password. <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The password must be 16-46 characters using three of the following: uppercase letters, lowercase letters, numbers, and special characters</li><li>• Your password is case sensitive.</li></ul>
<b>Confirm Password</b>	Retype the password exactly as you typed it above. This step confirms that you typed your password as you intended.

☐ Click **Finish**.


[Change password.](#)

[Settings > Update Profile](#)

## Update Profile


Update any fields you wish to change. Blank fields will not be updated. Fields with an asterisk ( \* ) are required.


\*Current Password:



- Enter current password to continue.


New Password:






- 6-9 characters using 3 of the following:
  - UPPERCASE letters
  - Lowercase letters
  - Numbers (0-9)
  - Special characters

Confirm Password:





- Password must match entry in password field exactly (case sensitive)

<b>Current Password</b>	<p>For added protection of this information, you must type your current password to update data on the <a href="#">Update Profile</a>, even though you have already logged on to TeacherPortal.</p> <p><b>IMPORTANT:</b> If you have three unsuccessful attempts to access the page (invalid password), you will be logged out of your account. If this occurs, contact your campus administrator to have your account reset. To exit without saving any changes, click Home or any other menu item to go to another page.</p>
<b>New Password</b>	<p>To change your password, type a new password.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The password must be 16-46 characters using three of the following: uppercase letters, lowercase letters, numbers, and special characters</li> <li>Your password is case sensitive.</li> </ul>
<b>Confirm Password</b>	<p>Retype the password exactly as you typed it above. This step confirms that you typed your password as you intended.</p>

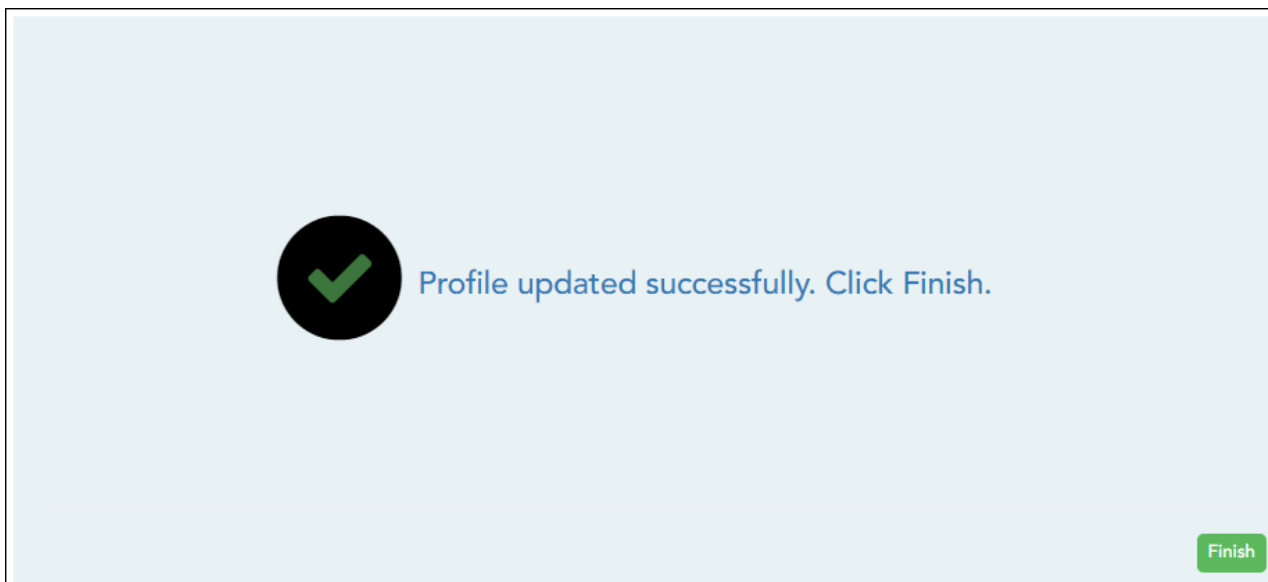
☐ Click **Next**.

If you did not select **Update Hint Questions**, the Success page is displayed.

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☐ Click **Finish**.

You are redirected to the Announcements page.

[Update PIN.](#)

[Settings > Update Profile](#)

### Update Profile

Update any fields you wish to change. Blank fields will not be updated. Fields with an asterisk ( \* ) are required.

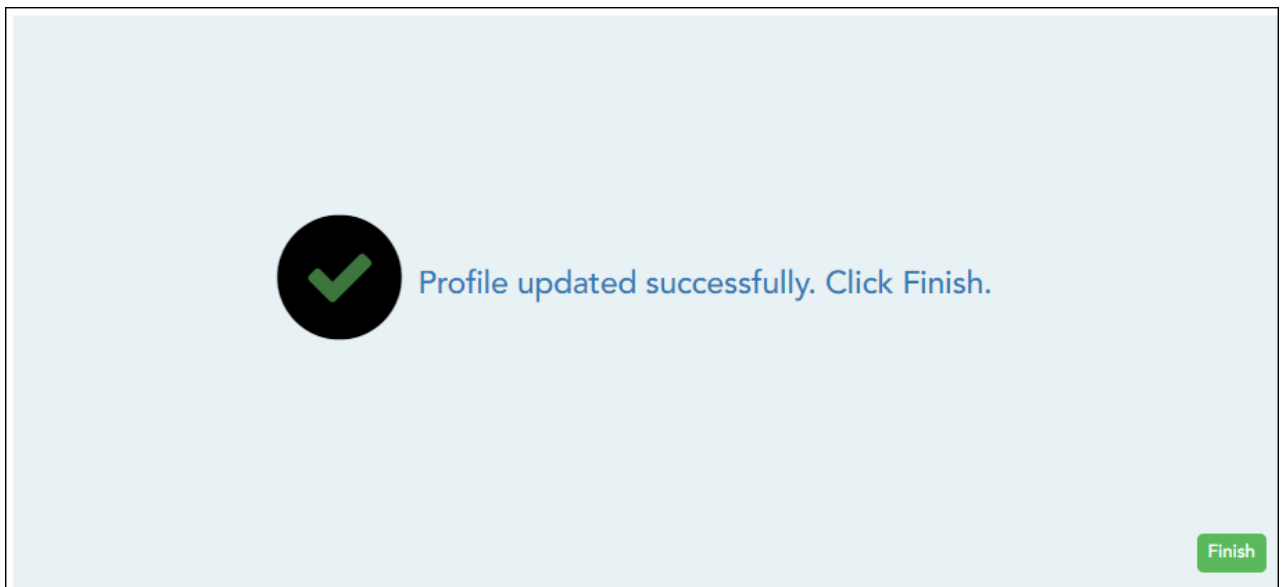
<b>*Current Password:</b>	<input type="password" value="....."/>	• Enter current password to continue.
<b>New Password:</b>	<input type="password" value="Password"/>	• 6-9 characters using 3 of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• UPPERCASE letters</li><li>• Lowercase letters</li><li>• Numbers (0-9)</li><li>• Special characters</li></ul>
<b>Confirm Password:</b>	<input type="password" value="Confirm Password"/>	• Passwords do not match
<b>New PIN:</b>	<input type="password" value="New PIN"/>	• Four numbers required (e.g., 1234)
<b>Phone Number:</b>	<input type="text"/>	



<b>Current Password</b>	For added protection of this information, you must type your current password to update data on the <a href="#">Update Profile</a> , even though you have already logged on to TeacherPortal. <b>IMPORTANT:</b> If you have three unsuccessful attempts to access the page (invalid password), you will be logged out of your account. If this occurs, contact your campus administrator to have your account reset. To exit without saving any changes, click Home or any other menu item to go to another page.
<b>New PIN</b>	To change your PIN, type a new four-digit number. It is recommended that you do not choose 1234 or 4321, as these are common and easily guessed.

☐ Click **Next**.

If you did not select **Update Hint Questions**, the Success page is displayed.



☐ Click **Finish**.

You are redirected to the Announcements page.

[Update hint questions.](#)

[Settings > Update Profile](#)

## Update Profile

Update any fields you wish to change. Blank fields will not be updated. Fields with an asterisk ( \* ) are required.

<p><b>*Current Password:</b></p>	<input type="password"/>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Enter current password to continue.</li> </ul>
<p><b>New Password:</b></p>	<input type="password"/>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 6-9 characters using 3 of the following:             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◦ UPPERCASE letters</li> <li>◦ Lowercase letters</li> <li>◦ Numbers (0-9)</li> <li>◦ Special characters</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<p><b>Confirm Password:</b></p>	<input type="password"/>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Passwords do not match</li> </ul>
<p><b>New PIN:</b></p>	<input type="text"/>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Four numbers required (e.g., 1234)</li> </ul>
<p><b>Phone Number:</b></p>	<input type="text"/> - <input type="text"/>	
<p><b>Email Address</b></p>	<input type="text"/>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Maximum of 64 characters (example: name@isdname.net)</li> </ul>
<p><b>Notes:</b></p>	<input type="text"/>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• NOTE: Parents can view phone number and email address in ParentPortal.</li> </ul>
<p><b>Combine Courses in Attendance:</b></p>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• If changed, all seating charts must be re-saved.</li> </ul>
<p><b>Update Hint Questions:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>		

<b>Current Password</b>	<p>For added protection of this information, you must type your current password to update data on the <a href="#">Update Profile</a>, even though you have already logged on to TeacherPortal.</p> <p><b>IMPORTANT:</b> If you have three unsuccessful attempts to access the page (invalid password), you will be logged out of your account. If this occurs, contact your campus administrator to have your account reset. To exit without saving any changes, click Home or any other menu item to go to another page.</p>
<b>Update Hint Questions</b>	<p>Select if you want to update your hint questions. The questions are updated on the next page when you click <b>Next</b>.</p>

☐ Click **Next**.

If you selected **Update Hint Questions**, the next page allows you to update your hint questions.

## Update Hint Questions

Provide answers to three different questions. The information will assist you in resetting your password.

Question 1:

\*Answer 1:

Question 2:

\*Answer 2:

Question 3:

\*Answer 3:

Next

<b>Question #</b>	Select one of the hint questions for each field. You must select three different questions.
<b>Answer #</b>	Type the answer to the question you selected. You cannot repeat any questions/answers.

☐ Click **Next**.

The Success page is displayed.



Profile updated successfully. Click Finish.

Finish

☐ Click **Finish**.

You are redirected to the Announcements page.

Update phone and email address.

Settings > Update Profile

### Update Profile

Update any fields you wish to change. Blank fields will not be updated. Fields with an asterisk ( \* ) are required.

**\*Current Password:**  • Enter current password to continue.

**New Password:**  • 6-9 characters using 3 of the following:

- UPPERCASE letters
- Lowercase letters
- Numbers (0-9)
- Special characters

**Confirm Password:**  • Passwords do not match

**New PIN:**  • Four numbers required (e.g., 1234)

**Phone Number:**  -

**Email Address**  • Maximum of 64 characters (example: name@isdname.net)

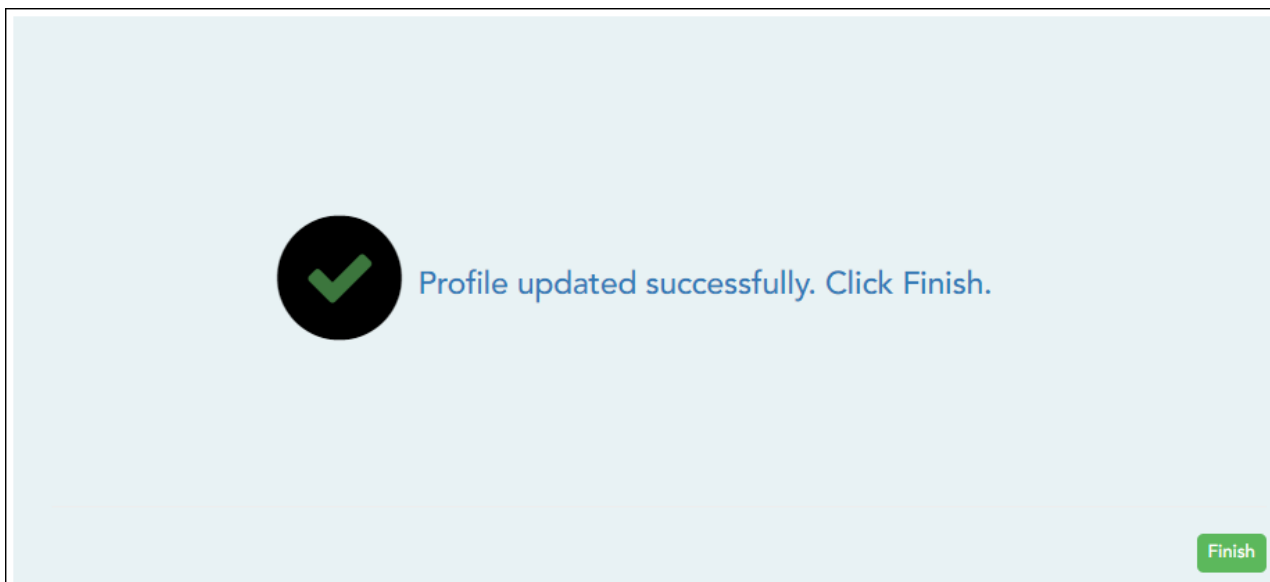
**Notes:**

NOTE: Parents can view phone number and email address.

<b>Current Password</b>	For added protection of this information, you must type your current password to update data on the <a href="#">Update Profile</a> , even though you have already logged on to TeacherPortal. <b>IMPORTANT:</b> If you have three unsuccessful attempts to access the page (invalid password), you will be logged out of your account. If this occurs, contact your campus administrator to have your account reset. To exit without saving any changes, click Home or any other menu item to go to another page.
<b>Phone Number</b>	To provide your telephone number to parents in ParentPortal, type the number in the NNN-NNNNNN format. If blank, your phone number will not be provided in ParentPortal.
<b>Email Address</b>	To provide your email address to parents in ParentPortal, type the address (e.g., someone@example.net). If blank, your email address will not be provided in ParentPortal.

☐ Click **Next**.

If you did not select **Update Hint Questions**, the Success page is displayed.



☐ Click **Finish**.

You are redirected to the Announcements page.