



GETTING STARTED WITH THE GUIDEPOST EARLY YEARS ALBUM



Welcome to the Guidepost Early Years Album, powered by the Altitude Learning platform. We are thrilled to partner with your school and your child's teacher to help you create a Montessori experience for your child at home. In the Early Years Album, you will find meaningful and enriching activities, ideas and suggestions for your family that support the development of the young child.

In this guide, we'll walk you through the steps to get started.



How to Log in to Access Parent Resources

To get started, your child needs to log in to the platform and will probably need help the first time.



TIP: To have the best experience, we recommend using a Google Chrome browser, but we have found it will work on other browsers. If you do not already have Chrome, you can download it onto your desktop, laptop, or tablet.

To log into Altitude, you will use a **username** and **password**.

Your username is your email address.

Set your password using the following instructions:

How to Set Your Password and Login:

1. In a browser, navigate to:
montessorium.altitudelearning.com.
2. At the bottom of the login screen, click **“Forgot Password? Reset it here.”**

This will feel counterintuitive because we’re asking you to reset a password you did not set in the first place. We know that seems strange, but it’s the right step. You’ll click the reset password button to set your password for the first time.

3. In the box that appears, enter your email address and click **“Email Password Reset Link.”**

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Sign in with Google

or

Email Address

Password

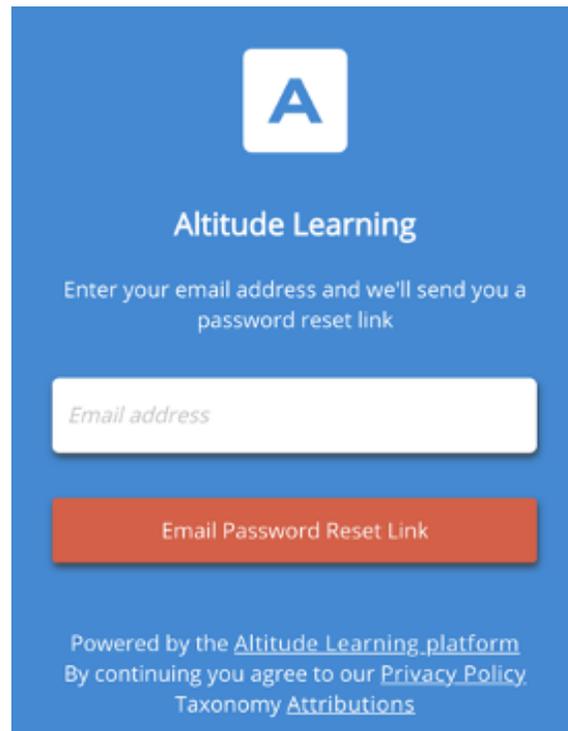
Sign In

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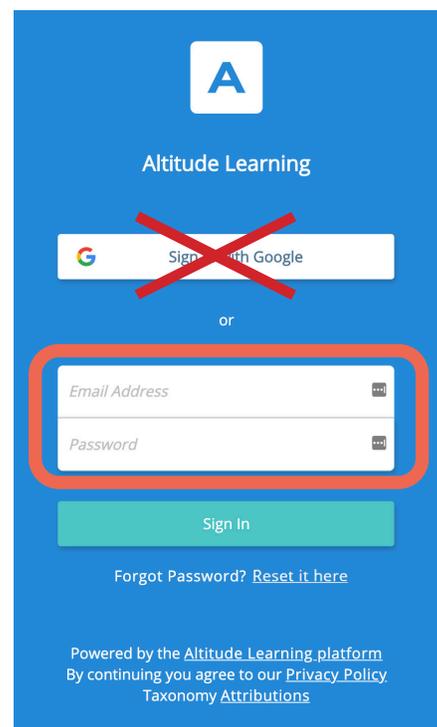
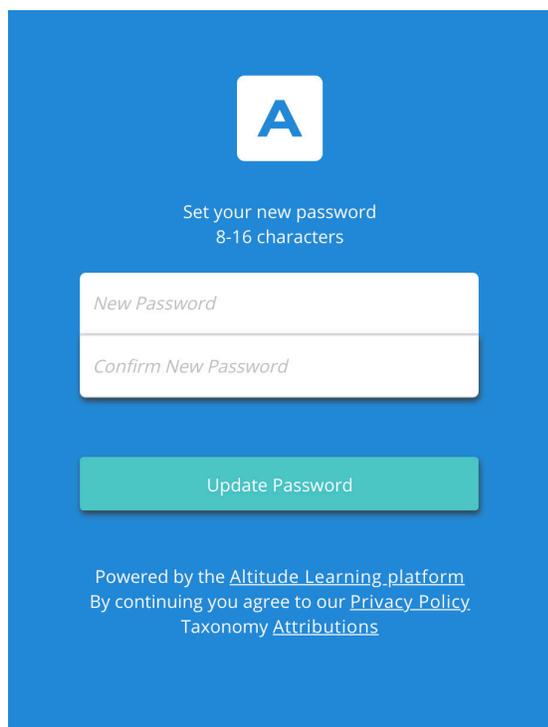
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4. Check your email. You should see an email from “noreply@altitudelearning.com” with a link to reset your password. Click the link.
5. You will be taken to a screen where you can update your password (set it for the first time).



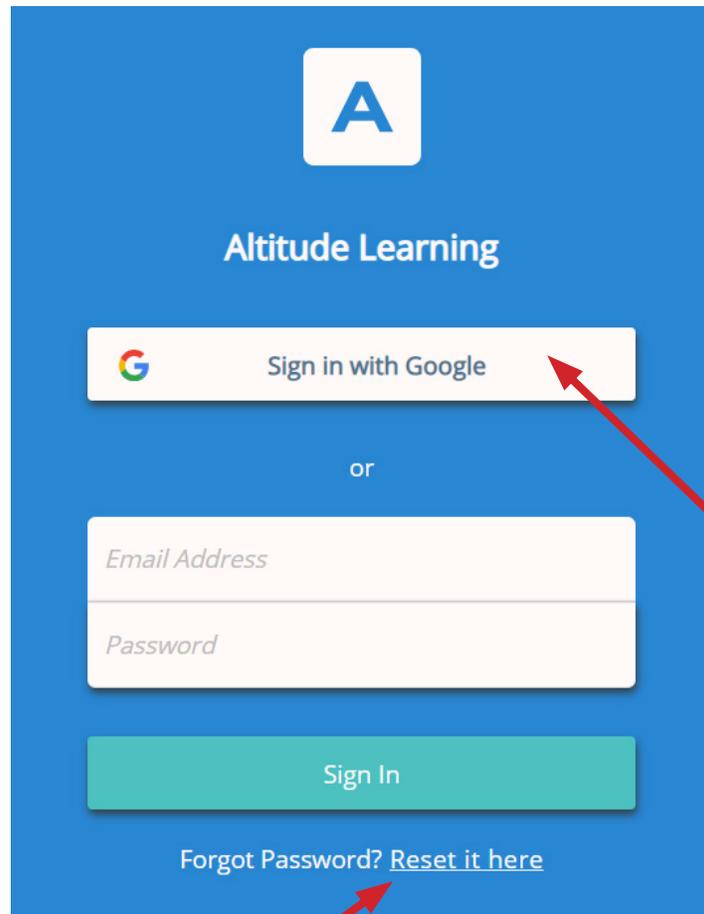
6. You can now go back to the login screen. This time, you'll enter your username (email) and your newly created password to sign in. Be sure to use the email address and password box and **NOT** Google sign-on.



Parent Communication: Stream

Stream is a communication tool on the platform that your child's teacher can use to share information and updates with you. Information will be sent to the personal email address your school has on file for parents or guardians. When families receive their first email from the teacher, they will need to follow the login process below.

Navigate to montessorium.altitudelearning.com.



If you **do** have a personal GMail account, you can login by clicking “**Sign in with Google.**”

If you **do not** have a personal GMail account, you will need to reset your password. You will receive an email with a password reset link. Please be sure to check your spam.

Types of Stream Posts

Your child's teacher may use the Stream function to share weekly updates, new resources, that will help you create at home follow-up activities for your child.

Post Type	Description
Update	General news and info from the classroom
Alert	Urgent update or alert, families get an email immediately
Reminder	Reminder for an upcoming event or task
Action Item	Communicates you have an action item. The Post stays locked at top of screen until you click "Got It."
Newsletter	Class-wide newsletters
Highlight	Your child's work (Like the example post above!). Only YOU can see your child's work!

Stream Notifications

- On days your child's educators post to Stream, you will get a summary email at the end of the day with direct links to each post.
- However, you will receive an immediate email notification when educators post an Alert.

