

# **Amplify - Groups**

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**Groups** are informal sets of students that you create and can include any students you have access to. The **Groups** page contains tools you can use to view and edit your groups, as well as create new groups and add staff and students.

#### Logging into Amplify

#### **Accessing Amplify – Teachers**

All teachers should access **Amplify** through the **Clever** Portal. To access the **Clever Portal** from the ESD Web site:

- 1. Open your web browser to the Erie's Public Schools web site at https://www.eriesd.org.
- 2. From the menu bar at the top of the screen, click on the **Staff** or **Student** link.
- 3. From the Staff Portal or the Student Portal, click on the Clever Portal icon.
- 4. Once you have successfully logged into Clever, click on the Amplify icon/tile.

| <ul> <li>Logging into the Clever Portal<br/>To log into the Clever Portal:<br/>Teachers: <ol> <li>Enter your Username – E0 number</li> <li>Enter your Password – E0 number</li> <li>Click Login.</li> </ol> </li> </ul>   | Erie City School District   Not your district?   Login information   USERNAME   PASSWORD   Show   Log in   Having trouble?   Contact patross@eriesd.org   Or get help logging in | eg in    |
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| <ul> <li>Accessing Amplify - Administrators <ul> <li>Administrators should access Amplify through</li> <li>the mCLASS login page.</li> </ul> </li> <li>1. Open your web browser to <ul> <li>https://mclass.amplify.com.</li> </ul> </li> <li>2. From the mCLASS Login page, enter your Username and Password.</li> <li>3. Click Login.</li> </ul> | Welcome to Amplify.<br>Enter your details below.<br>Username<br>Enter your username<br>Password Forgot Pa<br>Enter your password<br>Log In                                       | assword? |

# **Adding Groups**

You can add a new group at any time of the year from the Groups page. Creating groups is a two stage process. First you add a new group to the Groups list and then assign staff and students to the group.

After you have successfully logged into the mCLASS Home page, click on **Classes & Groups** from the upper right-hand corner of the screen.



## Groups

From the **Classes & Groups** page, click on the **Groups** tab from the upper left-hand corner of the screen. The **Groups** tab will show any groups that you are assigned to or that you have created.

## **Add Groups**

To add a new **Group**.

- 1. Click on the Add Groups button from the upper right-hand side of the screen.
- 2. Enter a name for the new group that you are creating in the Group Name field.
- **3.** Click the **Add Row** button to add additional groups (you can add up to 10 new groups at a time).
- 4. Once you have completed adding your new groups, click **Submit**.

A confirmation box displays the new group(s) that you have created and adds the group(s) to the **Groups** list.

## **Assigning Staff to a Group**

After creating a group, you must assign staff and students to the group in **Group Details**. To assign staff to a group:

- **1.** From the **Groups** page, scroll down the groups list to locate the group you want to assign staff to (you can also enter the group name in the **Find Groups** field to search for a group).
- 2. Click on the Group Name.

| om th<br>3. ( | e <b>Group Details</b> window that appears:<br>Click on the <b>Assign Staff</b> button from the right-hand side c<br>assign staff section. | of the screen to expand the |
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|               | STAFF MEMBER 3<br>Teach   Standa   E0120   Erie City School Distri   | ASSIGN 🔽                    |
|               | STAFF MEMBER 4   | ASSIGN                      |

- 4. Search for the staff members you want to assign to the group by search for their name in the **Find Staff** field, or by scrolling through the list of staff that appears.
- 5. Click on the Assign check box to the right of the staff you want to assign to the group.

**Note:** You can remove a staff member from the group by unchecking the Assign box or by clicking on the orange **Z** that appears next to the staff name.

**6.** Once you have finished added the staff members to your group, click **Save Changes** at the top of the screen.

#### Assigning Students to a Group

From the **Students** section of the **Group Details** window:

- **1.** Click on the drop-down arrow in the **Choose School to Assign** field, and then choose the school where you want to assign students from the menu that appears.
- 2. Click on Assign Students.

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From the expanded **Find Students** sections that appears:

- **1.** Search for the students you want to assign to the group by search for their name in the **Find Students** field, or by scrolling through the list of students that appears.
- 2. Click on the Assign check box to the right of the student you want to assign to the group.
- 3. Once you have finished added the staff members to your group, click Save Changes.

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| STUDENT 5<br>06 4885 – JEFFERSO  | ASSIGN   |

# **Editing a Group**

You have the ability to edit the name of a group, as well as the teacher and student assignments of a group. To edit a group:

- **1.** Log into Amplify/mCLASS.
- 2. Click on Classes & Groups from the upper right-hand corner of the screen.
- 3. Click on the **Groups** tab from the upper left-hand corner of the screen.
- 4. Locate and click on the Group Name of the group you would like to edit.
- 5. From the Group Detail window that appears, make the desired changes to the Group Name, Staff assignments and Student assignments of the selected group.
- 6. Click on the Save Changes button.

# **Deleting a Group**

To delete a group that you created:

- **1.** Log into Amplify/mCLASS.
- 2. Click on Classes & Groups from the upper right-hand corner of the screen.
- 3. Click on the **Groups** tab from the upper left-hand corner of the screen.
- 4. Locate and click on the Group Name of the group you would like to edit.

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- delete.6. Click on the Delete button.
- 7. A message will appear asking you if you want to delete the selected group. Click **OK**.