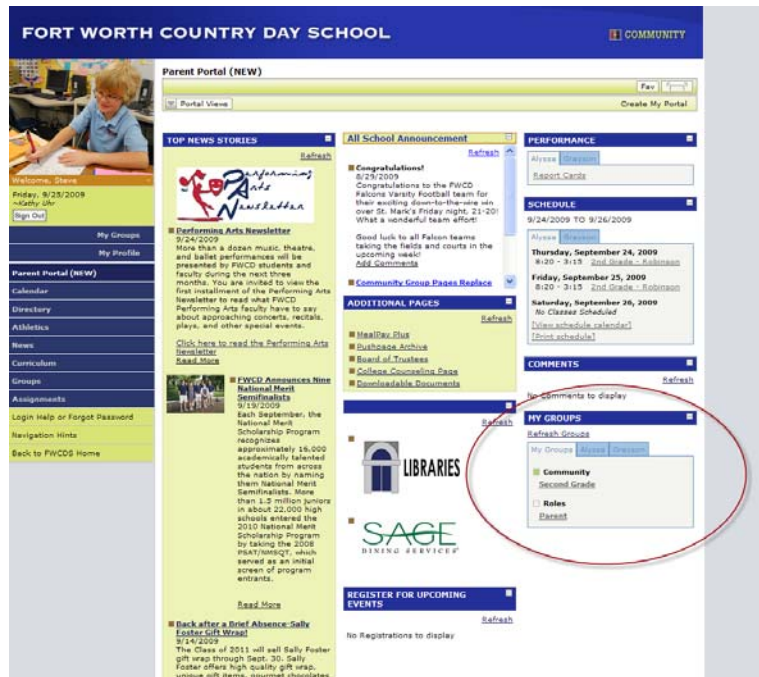


Using the MY GROUPS channel

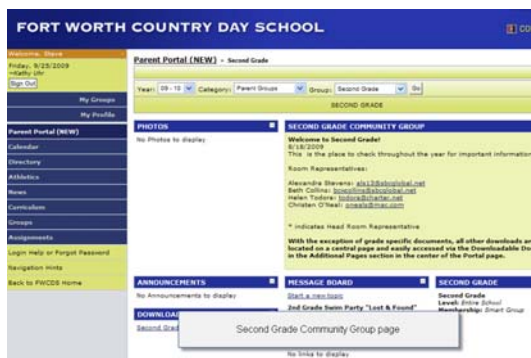
The MY GROUPS channel is located on your Portal in the lower right hand corner.



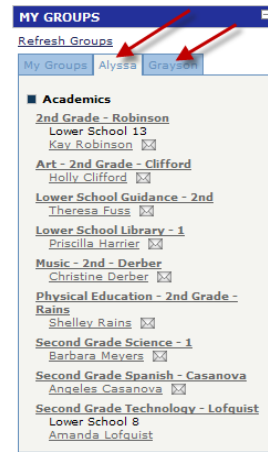
In the channel there are tabs for your own groups and there are tabs for your children's groups. There are several types of groups. There are role based groups such as Parent or Student (or Faculty.) There are also Community groups such as Second Grade or Math Club. Finally, there are Academic groups and Athletic groups.

What is a Group Anyway?

A group is essentially a link to a web page. If you are a parent, you are in the Parent Role Group and clicking on the Parent link in your MY GROUPS channel will take you to the Parent Role Page. If you have a child in the second grade, you are in the Second Grade Community Group and clicking on the Second Grade link in your MY GROUPS channel will take you to the Second Grade Class Folder Page. The MY GROUPS channel on your Portal places the majority of the pages you might want to visit only one click away; this channel does away with most of the left hand navigation.



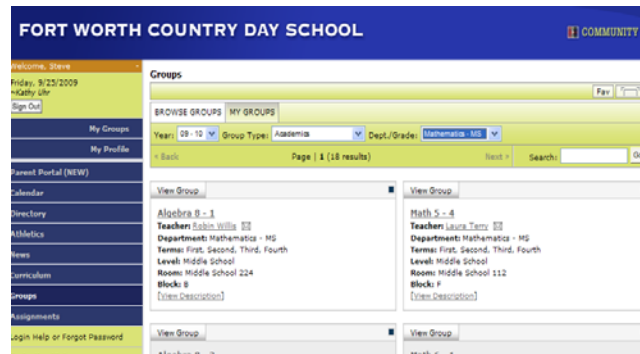
Academic Groups represent classes your children are enrolled in and the athletic teams your children are members of are represented by Athletic Groups. As a parent you can easily find your children's groups from your own MY GROUPS channel. Click on your child's name on the tab(s) at the top of the MY GROUPS channel. Each of the groups you see is actually a link to the teachers' academic group class page or to the coaches' athletic group team page.



Using the Groups Master Page

You can also search for groups that you (or your children) are not members of by using the Groups Master Page from the left-hand navigation.

Click on Groups to find the Groups Master Page. Make sure that you are on the BROWSE GROUPS tab and use the Group Type drop-down menu to select Academic, Athletic or Community



You can also search by keyword

