LAUSD ITD Help Desk

Single Sign-On Quick Reference Guide
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Introduction

Single Sign-On is a web-based application accessible through the District’s internal web site. Allows new and existing LAUSD employees to:

- Activate your LAUSD E-Mail account (new users only).
- Change your existing password, set or change your password hint question. Review and update information about yourself?.
- Forgot your password or it has expired? Passwords expire every 180

IMPORTANT: You must first set your Password Hint Question and Answer before you can reset a forgotten or expired password.

What to do immediately: Current Active Accounts

Employees WITH an active E-Mail account need to:
- Set their LAUSD account Password Hint Question and Answer.
- Update their LAUSD work location information.

Employees WITHOUT an active E-Mail account need to:
- Self-activate an LAUSD account.
  o The Password Hint Question and Answer will set during self activation.
- Update their LAUSD work location information.

Tip: If you have forgotten your password and have not set your “Password Hint Question and Answer,” please contact the ITD Help Desk at 213-241-5200 option 1 for assistance or visit http://techsupport.lausd.net or sso.lausd.net for other support options.

Single Sign-On Password Rules:
- Passwords must be between 8 and 20 characters in length.
- Passwords cannot be the same as the Username.
- Passwords must consist of a mix of alphabetic and numeric characters.
- Passwords cannot contain more than 3 repeating characters. For example, including “aaaa” in your password would make it invalid.
- Passwords must not be found in a dictionary of commonly used passwords. This password dictionary will only apply to words of 7 or more characters. Commonly used passwords include values like “abcd1234” or “password1”.

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How to Access the Single Sign-On Web Site

1. Launch your Internet browser (ex. Internet Explorer, Firefox, or Safari).
2. Go to the LAUSD Tech Support homepage by typing “http://www.techsupport.lausd.net” or “sso.lausd.net” in the address bar and press enter.
3. On the right hand side of the page click on LAUSD Single Sign-On Self Service Console link.
4. The Single Sign-On Console page will be displayed.

How to Self-Activate Your LAUSD E-Mail Account

• Click on the “Activate your LAUSD E-Mail account” link.
• Click on the Accept button for the Acceptable Use Policy (AUP) page.
• Select your user type Employee or Non-Employee
• Enter your 8 digit Employee Number or LAUSD ID Number (e.g. 00123456 or 01234567 – contractor id’s start with a 1), Date of Birth and the Last 4 digits of your Social Security Number and click on the Next button.
• Type in a new password in both the “New Password” and the “Re-enter new password” fields. (The password must be the same in both fields.)
• Select a password hint question from the dropdown list.
• Provide an answer for your hint question and click on the Next button.
• Click on the OK button to return to the Single Sign-On Home Page.
How to Reset a Forgotten or Expired Password

- Click on the “Forgot your password or it has expired? Passwords expire every 180 days” link.
- Select your user type Employee or Non-Employee
- Enter your 8 digit Employee Number or LAUSD ID Number (e.g. 00123456, 01234567, or if you are a contractor your id starts with a 1) Date of Birth and the Last 4 digits of your Social Security Number and click on the Submit button.
- Type in a new password in both the “New Password” and the “Re-enter new password” fields. (The password must be the same in both fields.)
- Answer the hint question and click on the Submit button.

Note: The password hint question and answer will be used to verify your identity when you attempt to reset a forgotten password.

- You will receive a confirmation message indicating “Action was successful.” You will also receive an E-Mail with subject “LAUSD Account Management: User Password Notification” for additional confirmation.
- Click on the OK button to return to the Single Sign-On Home Page.

How to change your existing password, set or change your password hint question and review and update information about yourself.

- Click on the “Change your existing password, set or change your password hint question. Review and update information about yourself?” link.
- Enter your username and password and click on the Login button.

Update your Information
- Click on the appropriate fields and update your information. (Only information in the text boxes can be modified).
- Click on the Submit button.
- You will receive a confirmation message within 24hrs indicating “User profile updated successfully.” You will also receive an E-Mail with the subject “LAUSD Account Management: User Profile Notification” for additional confirmation.

Change Your Password
- Click on the “Change password or password hint” button.
- Type your old password and new password (and re-enter your new password) in the appropriate fields. Click on the Submit button.

Tip: Read password rules carefully.

Change Your Password Hint Question and Answer
- Select a password hint question from the dropdown list.
- Type in your answer in the “Hint Answer” field and click on the Submit button.
- You will receive a confirmation message indicating “Password Hint Update Successful.”
- Click on the Logout icon located in the top right corner of the page to return to the Single Sign-On Home Page.
If you have any questions regarding Single Sign-On, please call the ITD Help Desk at 213-241-5200 press menu option 1 for assistance or visit http://techsupport.lausd.net for other support options.

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