
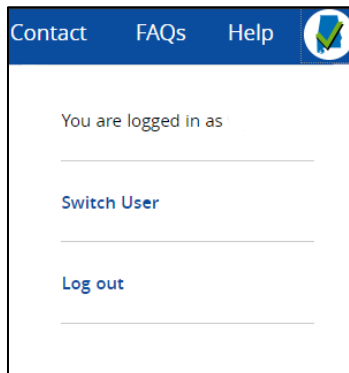




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## How to Issue AVL Accounts at Public Schools

1. Go to <https://www.avl.lib.al.us> and click on the **Login Authenticated** icon  in the top right corner of the webpage.
2. If you are automatically logged in via Geo or Campus IP, please click on **Switch User** and then log in with your public school's AVL administrator credentials.



The *Switch User* dropdown window



3. On the *Create AVL Account* form, **enter the student's e-mail address** and confirm it. **Note:** An e-mail address is **required** to create an AVL account. However, the first name and last name fields are optional and are **not required**. Next, **select the student's school** from the *School* dropdown.

AVL Account Request - K-12

Account Request Form

Request for New AVL User Access

Enter any text here explaining what is needed and the process.

New User Email \*

Please enter the email address of the new user. This is important, as the new credentials will be sent to this address. This email address must be unique for the user. Duplicate email addresses within the system will not be accepted.

User Email (Confirm) \*

Please enter the email address of the new user. This is important, as the new credentials will be sent to this address. This email address must be unique for the user. Duplicate email addresses within the system will not be accepted.

Issued By

School dropdown

New User First Name (optional)

New User Last Name (optional)

Notes:

Please include any special comments or notes about this request.

Review Submission

The *Create AVL Account* window



4. Scroll to the bottom of the page and **click on the *Review Submission* button**. This will take you to the *Account Request Review* screen.

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✔ Please review the New User information you have entered.  
If the entry looks correct, click the "Submit Account Request" button. If you need to correct any field, please click the "< Previous" button to make corrections.

Account Request Form

**New User Email**  
jrsmithjrr@nowhereatall.com

**User Email (Confirm)**  
jrsmithjrr@nowhereatall.com

Issued By

School dropdown

New User First Name (optional)

New User Last Name (optional)

Notes:

< Previous Submit Account Request

The *Account Review* screen

5. Review the information that you entered and if it is correct **click on the *Submit Account Request* button**. If the information is not correct, click on the *Previous* button to go back to the *Create AVL Account* screen and make the necessary changes.
6. Once the request has been submitted, you will be taken to a *Registration Complete* screen and you will see temporary login credentials. You can print this screen if the student requests a copy of their temporary login credentials.

The student **will not** be able to use their AVL account credentials until their account has been activated by an AVL administrator. However, **they can log in with the temporary login credentials**. The student's account will be activated before their temporary credentials expire.

Once the student's AVL account has been activated, they will need to use their permanent account to log into AVL.



## AVL Account Request - K-12

Thank you for submitting the AVL Card Request!

The account should be active soon. An email will be sent to the new user with instructions for using the new account.

For *immediate access*, a temporary account may be used.

The login credentials for the *temporary* account are:

username : **tempavl**

password : **1**

\*\* Note: These temporary credentials will expire within one week.

*The Registration Complete screen*

7. Once the student's account has been activated, **they will receive an e-mail with instructions** on how to set their password. Once the student has set their password, they can log into their account.
8. Students that are issued an AVL account on the new website will need to use their e-mail address and password for their login credentials. **Students will need to remember the e-mail address that was used to create their account**, if they ever need to use the *Request New Password* feature on the AVL website.

If a student was issued an account on the old AVL website, and they have not used their account in a while, **they will need to request a new account**.

### Need Assistance?

Contact the AVL Help Desk.

<https://www.avl.lib.al.us/avl-info/contact-avl-helpdesk>

[avlhelpdesk@asc.edu](mailto:avlhelpdesk@asc.edu)

256-971-7487 (Direct) or 1-800-338-8320 (Toll Free)