



Dear La Mère Academy Family,

We are pleased to announce that we have partnered with WatchMeGrow, America's #1 provider of streaming video services for schools, to offer you secure online access to view your child's classroom while he or she is in our care.

As the parent of an enrolled child, you create and manage your own account. All data, including your personal login information, is encrypted for your child's security.

How do I sign up?

1. Create your account by visiting watchmegrow.com/signup
2. Enter our school's phone number: **5123551110**
3. Complete the sign-up form. Here, you'll create your own username and password.

What happens next?

- **FOR YOUR CHILD'S SAFETY, YOU WILL NOT HAVE STREAMING VIDEO ACCESS UNTIL OUR SCHOOL ADMIN HAS CONFIRMED YOUR ACCOUNT.**
- We will confirm and activate your account in 1-2 business days. This step is for your security so that only enrolled families have access to WatchMeGrow.
- WatchMeGrow will email you when your account is active.

How do I start streaming?

- From your computer:
 - Visit watchmegrow.com and click on "Log In" in the upper right corner of the website
- From the mobile app:
 - Download the WatchMeGrow mobile app for iOS or Android.
- Log in with your username and password. **NOTE THAT THEY ARE BOTH CASE SENSITIVE.**

To manage your WatchMeGrow account, visit watchmegrow.com/my-account. Here, you can change your password, add family members, add children, make room changes and more.

Warm regards,

La Mère Academy Leadership Team

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Why have you chosen to use WatchMeGrow Streaming Video?

We are extending our open-door policy beyond the walls of our building. We want parents of children in our care to be confident knowing that their child's safety, well-being, and education is our top priority. WatchMeGrow allows parents and grandparents to stay connected to their children while they're here, and to rest assured knowing that they've placed their children in the best care possible.

How does it work?

Cameras are installed throughout the school in classrooms, playgrounds, and some common areas. The video is streamed live over the internet and parents have secure, individual usernames and passwords that give them video access to the areas where their children learn and play. They watch video from their desktop computers, or use the WatchMeGrow app from their phone or tablet.

Is it safe?

Yes. All data is encrypted. To watch streaming video through WatchMeGrow, you must be approved by your childcare center. WatchMeGrow is the only streaming video service for childcare that provides this level of security.

Why would parents want to use streaming video to watch their child?

Answers vary for every individual. Many parents like the comfort of knowing they can see the fun their child is having in their classroom during the day. Some parents set up accounts for out-of-town grandparents to stay connected to little ones in our care. Parents who are deployed as active-duty military for long durations rely on streaming video to follow what their children are doing while away. Others find it helpful to check in on their child during their first day in our care or simply use it to check in when their child is having an "off" day.

Can anyone log in to see a classroom?

No. You must be the approved parent of a currently enrolled child to use the system. To get access, parents of enrolled children sign up for WatchMeGrow. Administrators at the childcare center approve them before they can have access. If there are out-of-town grandparents or deployed parents who wish to use it, parents can set up additional access for them as sub-users on their accounts. Only families of children in a classroom have access to view that classroom. It is at the center's discretion which areas users can view, such as the child's classroom, common areas, and playgrounds

How do families sign up?

Parents of currently enrolled children can go to watchmegrow.com/signup to get started. More information is available at watchmegrow.com.