

What's new in brightwheel

We're committed to making life easier for administrators, teachers, and families. Every month, we roll out updates designed to save you time and take a little more off your plate. Here's what's new, plus a few features to support you this fall.

Student attachments

Form templates

Menus

Sign-ups

Experience Curriculum

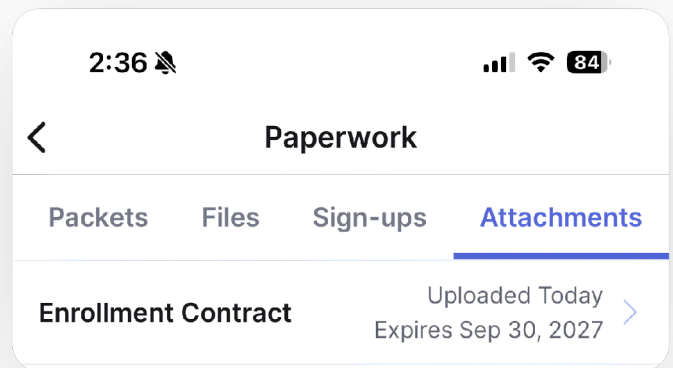
ATTACHMENTS

Student attachments, now on mobile

Guardians can now view student attachments on mobile, bringing the mobile experience in line with web and giving them easy access to the documents they need right from the brightwheel app.

[How to add an attachment for a student →](#)

[See how it looks for families →](#)



Select form type

Q Search templates

 Blank form
Build a custom form

Enrollment & child history

General interest application
Collect information from prospective families for future outreach

Emergency contact form
Collect emergency contact details for enrolled children

Developmental and health history form
Comprehensive developmental and health history questionnaire for enrolled children

General enrollment form

FORMS & REQUESTS

11 new form templates to get you started

Choose from 11 new templates across Enrollment & child history, Medical & daily care permissions, and Safety, policy & legal waivers — ready to share, no blank page required.

[See all general enrollment form templates →](#)

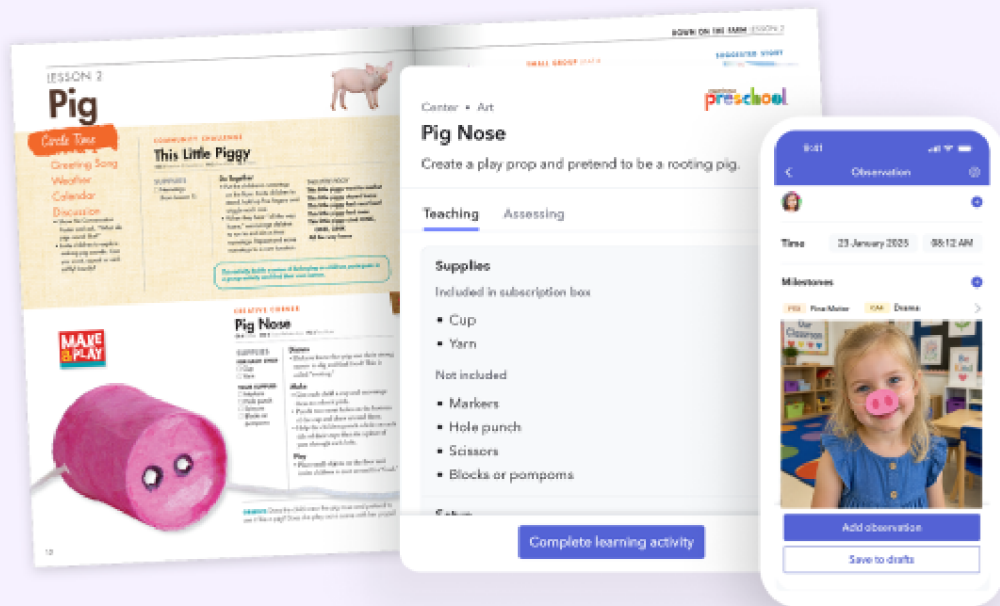
A new guided walkthrough for Experience Curriculum

We just rolled out a brand-new interactive walkthrough for Experience Curriculum, built for both teachers and admins. As soon as your school receives its first practice week curriculum, teachers and admins get a hands-on, in-product tutorial on assigning and viewing lesson plans, completing learning activities, and logging observations — helping classrooms build strong digital habits from day one, so teachers spend less time figuring out the tool and more time using it to support kids' development.

Welcome to Experience Curriculum!



See how to go from a ready-made plan to teaching and tracking each child's progress. You'll use practice mode — nothing is saved or shared with families.



Start the tour

Appears on the Learning tab on web and mobile as soon as a school's practice week lesson plan is assigned.

Features to support you this September

As programs settle into the new school year, Menus and Sign-ups are two of the fastest ways to get organized for what's ahead.

Ψ MENUS

Get your menus set for the new year

Upload your paper menu — brightwheel digitizes it for you.

A new school year means new rosters, new rooms, and often a refreshed menu. Now's the time to bring it into brightwheel: upload a photo or file of your current paper menu and brightwheel turns it into a reusable template you can assign to rooms and share with families — right alongside the rest of your program in one app — so staff can log meals faster all year and stay compliant with less effort.

Upload your menu template →

Menu: Winter veggies

Breakfast

Scrambled eggs with toa...

 Apple juice

 Eggs

 Whole wheat toast

📅 SIGN-UPS

Sign-ups make back-to-school coordination easy

Open houses and conferences — one digital sheet.

September brings open houses and the first round of parent-teacher conferences. Build a Sign-up sheet with time slots, recurring slots, or item requests, then share it with families — no more chasing down paper RSVPs. Families get an instant confirmation and can manage or cancel their own sign-ups.

Create a Sign-up sheet →

Kerry's Childcare

Charity bake sale

Join us for a springtime celebration. Our talented little chefs (with a little help from their grown-ups!) will be showcasing their yummy treats.

📅 Tuesday, June 24, 2025		
Run concession stand	10:00 AM - 12:00 PM 📅 0 of 3 spots filled	Sign up
Baking volunteers	10:00 AM - 4:00 PM 📅 0 of 3 spots filled	Sign up
Ticket Taker	10:00 AM - 1:00 PM 📅 0 of 4 spots filled	Sign up

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