



Student Account Home for K-12

Student Account Home is available to all K-12 students in the ALEKS Student Module for existing K-12 customers being upgraded to the new Instructor Module (IM) on June 27, 2014 and new customers as of June 28, 2014. Customers who postpone the new IM upgrade will NOT receive Student Account Home until they upgrade or until they are forced to upgrade to the new IM on June 27, 2015.

The Account Home groups all ALEKS classes for a single student under the same umbrella account, meaning students can manage past and current ALEKS classes and add more ALEKS classes within their umbrella account. Students have one ALEKS login name and password, and they are no longer required to remember a separate login name and password for each ALEKS class. Account Home lists all of a student's current and previous ALEKS classes and includes options to sign up for new classes, switch classes, and turn inactive classes into ALEKS Independent Use accounts.

Accessing Account Home

The majority of K-12 students will likely only have one active class and, after logging in, will bypass Account Home and begin working in their ALEKS class. In order to see Account Home, students must click on the arrow beside their name and then select **Account home** from the drop-down menu.

The screenshot shows the ALEKS user interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the ALEKS logo and various menu items: HELP, WORKSHEET, GRADEBOOK, INBOX, REPORT, OPTIONS, RESOURCES, English, and a user profile for Laura Johnson. Below the navigation bar, there are several tabs: MyPie, Review, Dictionary, Assignments, and Calendar. A dropdown menu is open next to the user profile, showing options for Account home and Log out. The main content area displays a math problem: "Add." followed by a vertical addition of 354, 7,955, and 97. Below the problem is an input field and three buttons: Clear, Undo, and Help. At the bottom, there are two buttons: Next >> and Explain.

Students with One Active Class

Below is an example of Account Home when a student has one active class:

The screenshot shows the ALEKS account home for a user named Laura Johnson. The page features a blue header with the ALEKS logo and the user's name. Below the header, a welcome message reads "Welcome back, Laura!" followed by instructions to click on an active class or sign up for a new one. A green button labeled "Sign up for a new class" is positioned to the right. The main content is divided into two sections: "ACTIVE (1)" and "INACTIVE (0)". The active section lists a class at ALEKS Elementary School titled "3rd Grade / Mathematics - LV 3", with instructor Ms. Adams, last login on 06/11/2014, and expiration on 06/11/2015. A "Switch class" link is provided. The inactive section states "There are no inactive classes."

Below is an example of Account Home when a student has one active class and one inactive class:

This screenshot shows the ALEKS account home for Laura Johnson with two classes. The layout is similar to the previous screenshot, but the "INACTIVE (1)" section now contains one class: "Algebra 1 / Algebra 1" at ALEKS Elementary School, instructed by Haus, starting on 06/1/2014 and expiring on 06/10/2014. A red PDF icon and a "Summary Report" link are visible. A blue information icon and the text "Continue this class on your own: Activate" are located at the bottom of the inactive class card.

Students with Two or More Active Classes and Other Scenarios

When students have two or more active classes, classes with pending authorization, or expired classes, they will arrive at Account Home after logging in to ALEKS instead of going directly to their ALEKS class.

Below is an example of Account Home when a student has classes in active, pending, and inactive states. Students can perform several actions on this page:

The screenshot shows the ALEKS Account Home interface for a user named Laura Johnson. The page is divided into three main sections: ACTIVE (1), Pending Instructor Authorization (1), and INACTIVE (1). Each section contains details for a specific class, including the school name, class name, instructor, last login, and expiration date. Callouts provide instructions on how to interact with these classes, such as signing up for a new class, switching to a new class, viewing class details, and activating an inactive class.

ALEKS Laura Johnson ▾

Welcome back, Laura!

Click on the name of one of your active classes to work on ALEKS or click on "Sign up for a new class" to enroll in a new class.

Sign up for a new class → Sign up for a new ALEKS class by entering a class code.

ACTIVE (1)

ALEKS Elementary School

3rd Grade / Mathematics - LV 3 → Click on a class name to begin working in the class.

Instructor: Ms. Adams
Last Login: 06/11/2014
Expiration Date: 06/11/2015

Show more → Click to view class details, including the class code, time spent in class, and current progress.

Switch class → Switch to a new class with a class code. If subscription lengths are compatible, no instructor authorization is needed to begin working in the new class.

Pending Instructor Authorization (1)

ALEKS Elementary School

Pre-Algebra / Pre-Algebra → Indicates that the instructor must authorize the student account in the Instructor Module before she can begin using ALEKS.

⚠ Pending Instructor Authorization
Instructor: Mr. Aurther
Last Login: pending
[Show more](#)

INACTIVE (1) → Inactive classes are expired subscriptions.

ALEKS Elementary School

Algebra 1 / Algebra 1

PDF Summary Report → View the Progress Summary report for this class.

Instructor: Haus
Start Date: 06/1/2014
Expiration Date: 06/10/2014
[Show more](#)

Continue this class on your own: **Activate** → Turn an inactive class into an ALEKS Independent Use account.

Incoming and Exiting Student Options

Administrators and instructors have access to advanced settings where they can set rules for how to handle assessments, Objective grades, and student data when they switch from one class to another within the same course family or course product.

Generally, the following default settings are used for incoming and exiting students, but settings can be customized at the institution, Master Template, and class level:

- **Incoming Students** - Students will pick up where they left off
- **Exiting Students** - Student records will always be kept in the exiting class, regardless if the student exited the class. **NOTE:** Exiting students are tagged as “Former” in the class and student rosters.

Below are the default settings for the K-12 market and descriptions of how each option works.

NOTE: Changing the default settings for Exiting Students will affect what students see in their Account Home.

Math LV3 - Incoming and Exiting Student Options Class Code: P100

Incoming Students from a Class within the Same Course Family or same Course Product

You may have students who are switching from a class that used the same ALEKS course product. What would you like to do with these students?

Students Will Pick Up Where They Left Off - Students' pie progress gets carried over to this class.

Optional Settings

Trigger a progress assessment

Carry over Objective grades

Exclude the following students:
Students whose last initial assessment was day(s)* or more will be given an initial assessment.
(These may be students coming from a different term.)

Fresh Start - All students will be given an Initial Assessment.

Exiting Students These students are tagged as "Former" students in class rosters.

In the event that students exit your class or you move them to another class, what would you like to do with their data in this class?

(Recommended) Always keep a record of student data in my class, regardless if they exit my class.

Keep a record of student data if the student was enrolled day(s)* or more.

Never keep a record of student data in my class.

* The days are calculated from when students first registered in your class.