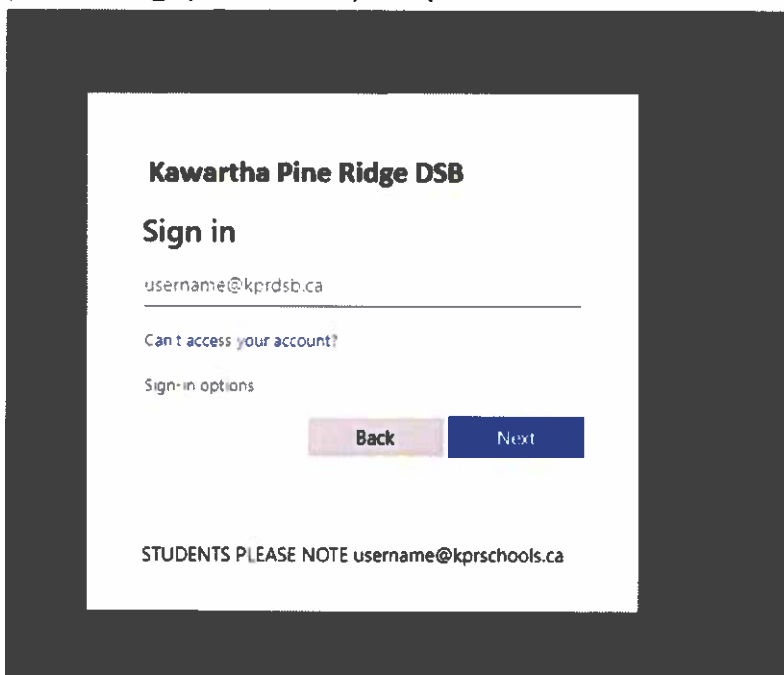


Welcome to Virtual Learning!

Families should have heard from teachers today regarding the learning schedule and platform for this week. If students have not heard from their teachers, they are encouraged to check their Edsby account as a starting place. This can be accessed through the KPR Student Portal: <https://kprweb.kprdsb.ca/Students>.

The portal will allow students to access all of the platforms available to KPR students.

When students click on the Student Portal, they will be prompted to enter their KPR credentials (username@kprschools.ca) and password.



The screenshot shows a sign-in page for Kawartha Pine Ridge DSB. At the top, it says "Kawartha Pine Ridge DSB" and "Sign in". Below that is a text input field containing "username@kprdsb.ca". Underneath the field is a link that says "Can't access your account?". Below the link are "Sign-in options" and two buttons: "Back" and "Next". At the bottom of the page, there is a note: "STUDENTS PLEASE NOTE username@kprschools.ca".

Once they have successfully logged in, they will see this page:



The screenshot shows the KPR Student Portal dashboard. At the top, there is a navigation bar with "KPR STUDENTS" and "KPR Web". Below the navigation bar, there is a greeting "Hello Jennifer!" and a menu with links: "KPR Website", "Education and Career Planning", "Mental Health", "Digital Citizenship", "Report Bullying", and "Applications". The main content area features a large "#WeAreKPR" hashtag on the left and a grid of application icons on the right. The icons include Office 365, G Suite, Edsby, brightspace, and Virtual Library. The date "Monday, January 4, 2021" is displayed at the top left of the main content area.

Teachers will be providing work online, as well as opportunities for synchronous (live) learning. **Unlike the previous closure, student achievement will be impacted by their involvement in online learning.** They will need to engage and participate to the best of their ability, which includes daily attendance. If families are struggling with connectivity or technology issues, please make sure the classroom teacher is aware and we will support as best we can.