What are Clever Badges?

Clever Badges are perfect for students who have trouble typing or remembering complex passwords—especially younger learners. Badges allow students to hold up a physical badge to their device’s webcam to get logged in, instead of typing in usernames and passwords. Teachers get more time to teach, and students get more time to learn!

How do Clever Badges work?

1. Students navigate to www.HoustonIDS.org/DigitalResources and click “Allow” in the browser prompt to give Clever access to their camera.

2. The webcam will activate and students should hold up their Badge to the camera. Once the code is scanned the screen border will flash green.

3. Students will then be redirected to their Digital Resources page.

How do I print an entire class set of Badges?

Badges can only be printed for k-3rd graded classes.

1. Log into the Digital Resources page, and click the "Students" tab next to your name

2. Select the "Print Class Set of Badges" button

3. Select which section you’d like to print Badges, and click "Print Class Set of Badges"
How do I regenerate a student’s Badge?

1. Log in to the Digital Resources page and click the “Students” tab next to your name
2. Click on the student who needs their Badge regenerated
3. Click "Print Clever Badge"
4. The student's Badge will be downloaded to your computer, which you can print and give to the student. Note: this will reprint the student's existing Badge. If the student needs a new Badge entirely, please read the instructions below.

How do I create a new Badge for my student?

If a student loses their Clever Badge, you can help them by issuing a new Clever Badge for them!

1. Log in to the Digital Resource page and click the “Students” tab next to your name
2. Click on the student who needs their current Badge voided and a new one created
3. Click "Void Badge"
4. Click "Create Badge"
5. The student's Badge will be downloaded to your computer, which you can print and give to the