# Password Reset/Change Instructions

Step #1: Begin by visiting https://myaccount.microsoft.com/

Step #2: At the sign-in, enter your full Pierpont email address (i.e. <u>username@pierpont.edu</u> / username@student.pierpont.edu) in the sign-in line. Then click NEXT.



Step #3: Click forgot password (see below).



#### Step #4: You should be directed to the "Get Back into Your Account" screen (as seen below).

- Your email with username should already be in place, but if not, enter in your email address under Email or Username.
- Enter the characters you see in the picture or the words in the audio (i.e. the GYDDYK).
- Click "Next"



## Get back into your account

### Who are you?

To recover your account, begin by entering your email or username and the characters in the picture or audio below.

Email or Username: \*





Enter the characters in the picture or the words in the audio. \*



#### Step #5: You should be directed to the Contact Method Verification screen.

- Select the verification method (Text or Call) you prefer.
- You will need to enter the phone number associated with your account which matches the one identified. *Make sure you have access to your phone before.*
- Click the "Text" or "Call" button, whichever is applicable.
- If the phone number given to you is the incorrect one, please contact help@pierpont.edu



## Get back into your account

verification step 1 > choose a new password

Please choose the contact method we should use for verification:

• Text my mobile phone	In order to protect your account, we need you to enter your complete mobile phone number (*********57) below. You will then receive a text message with a
O Call my mobile phone	verification code which can be used to reset your password.
	Enter your phone number
	Text

Cancel

#### Step #6: You should be directed to the code verification screen.

- Upon receiving the code via text or call, please enter it in to the "Enter your verification code" box.
- Click "Next" button.
- If you did not receive a verification code within 10 minutes, please click the "Try Again" button.
- If still unsuccessful, contact help@pierpont.edu



## Get back into your account

verification step 1 > choose a new password

Please choose the contact method we should use for verification:

• Text my mobile phone	We've sent you a text message containing a verification code to your phone.
Call my mobile phone	Enter your verification code
	Next Try again Contact your administrator

Cancel

#### Step #7: You should be directed to the Enter and Confirm New Password screen

• Enter and confirm your new password.

- Password can be updated to anything that you choose.
- Password Requirements:
  - Must be at least 8 16 Characters in length.
  - Include One (1) Capital Letter
  - Include One (1) Lower Case Letter
  - Include One (1) Special Character (!#\$%\*)
  - Should not include any part of your name in the password.
- Click the "Finish" button



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#### Step #8: You should be directed to the Password Has Been Reset screen.

- Your password has been successfully changed!
- Click "Click Here" to login in using your new password.

### Microsoft



To sign in with your new password, click here.