# Employee Self Service Catoosa County Employees From any computer with internet access

# **Employee Self Service Overview**

Specifically, Employee Self Service (ESS) gives the employees of the ability to monitor and maintain their personal and employment information such as:

- Personal Information
- Pay/Tax Information
- Other options (which will become available in the future)

# How to access Employee Self Service:

If you can get to a computer that has internet access - you can check your information

<u>First</u> – access the County website at: <u>www.catoosa.k12.ga.us</u> using Internet Explorer or Safari on an Apple computer/tablet.



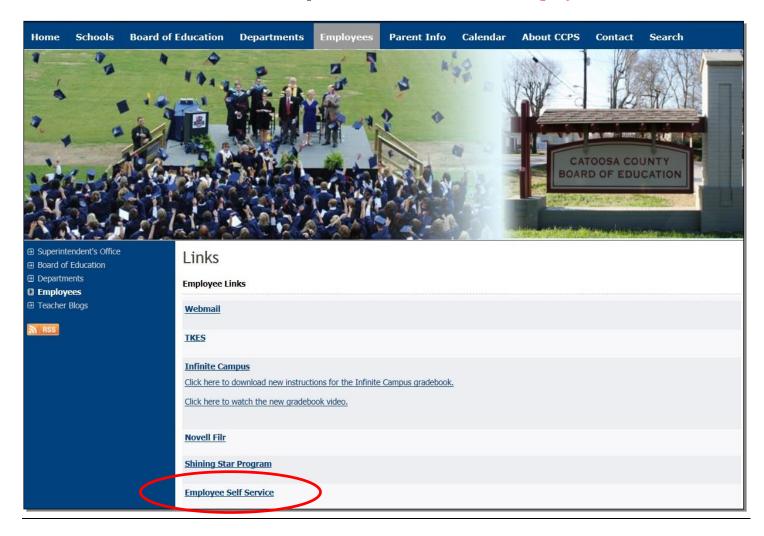
Your screen should look like the one below:



<u>Next</u> – Click on "**Employees**" located in the center of the screen. Indicated on the picture below:



Next - Your screen will look like the picture below....click on "Employee Self Service"



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This is the Main Screen for Catoosa County Public Schools "Employee Self Service"

# Logging In

To Log in to the site, click the " $\log$  In" link in the upper right-hand corner of the screen.



<u>Next</u> – you will see a screen like below. This is your "**Log In**" screen.

# Username Forgot your username? Password Forgot your password? Log in

The first time you log in to Employee self service you will use your first initial + last name + the last 4 digits of your SS# as the username, and the last 4 digits of your SS# as your password. (Example: username: ssmith5555 Password: 5555)

If it is the first time you have logged in, you should be directed to immediately change your password as shown in the screen below. Here you will have to enter your current password and change it to a new password, plus you will have to enter some type of password hint. This hint will be emailed to you if you should ever forget your password. Once you have entered the information then you will click the "Update" button as indicated below.

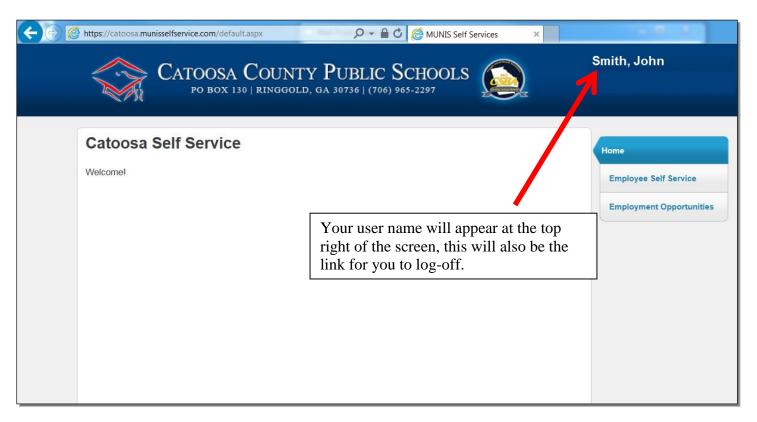
\*\*Important note: You will only receive the password change screen on the first login. \*\*\*

Before proceeding you Current password	must change your password.
New password	
Password strength	Unacceptable
Confirm new password	
New password hint	
	Change Cancel

After you change your password successfully you should see the following screen. Then you simply click the "Continue" button to enter Employee Self Service (as indicated below).



Once you click **"Continue"** you will enter Employee Self Service. The following screen will appear.



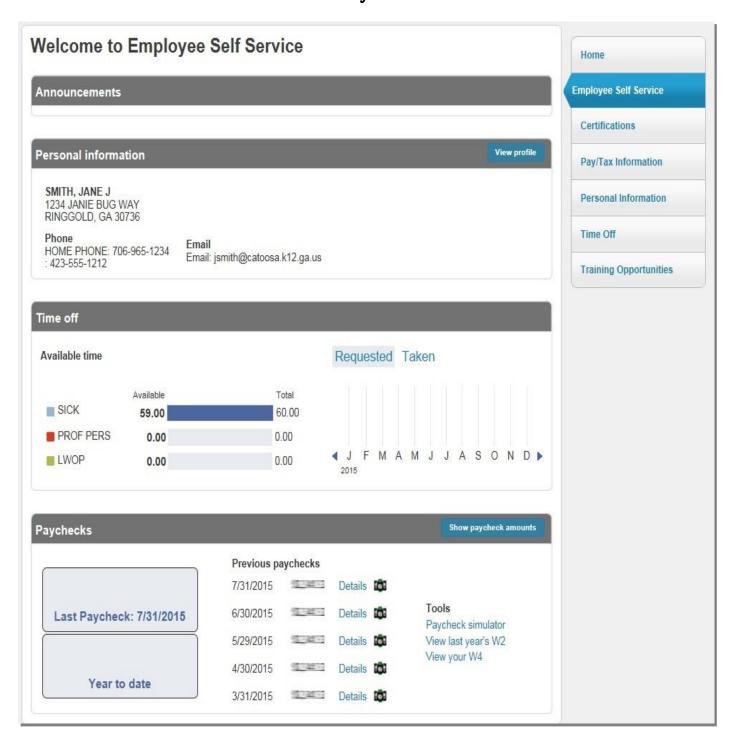
Upon successful login you will see the above items on your screen.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Please note these items carefully. Always make sure that your name appears in the upper right hand corner as noted above before moving on with Employee Self Service\*\*

## **Using Employee Self Service:**

You have now entered Employee Self Service. On the right hand side of the screen click on the link that shows "Employee Self Service." Upon clicking this you will see the following screen below. The Employee Self Service page is divided into 4 sections:

#1. Announcements #2. Personal Information #3. Time Off #4. Paychecks



#### 1. Announcements

The Announcements section is set by an Administrator. All Catoosa County Employees will view the same Announcements in this section.

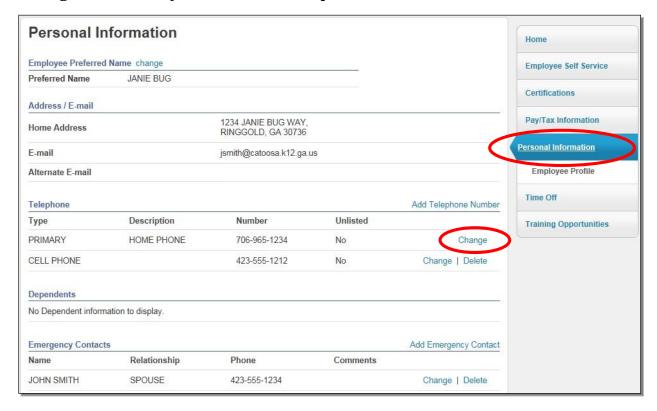


#### 2. Personal Information

This screen will show your demographic information that is currently in Munis. Click on the View Profile button to view the full screen showing more in depth information about you "the employee" personally, such as, date of birth, start date, etc.



To add/change designated information (**NOTE:** only Telephone and Emergency contacts are available for updating) click on the Personal Information link in the right hand column. Click Change in the area you would like to update.



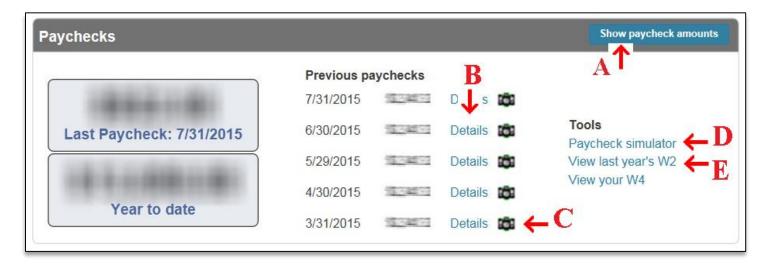
#### 3. Time Off

View available/used time off information in this section

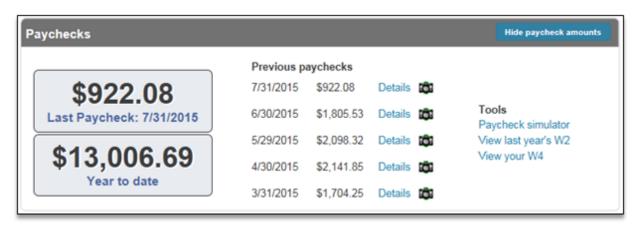


# 4. Paychecks

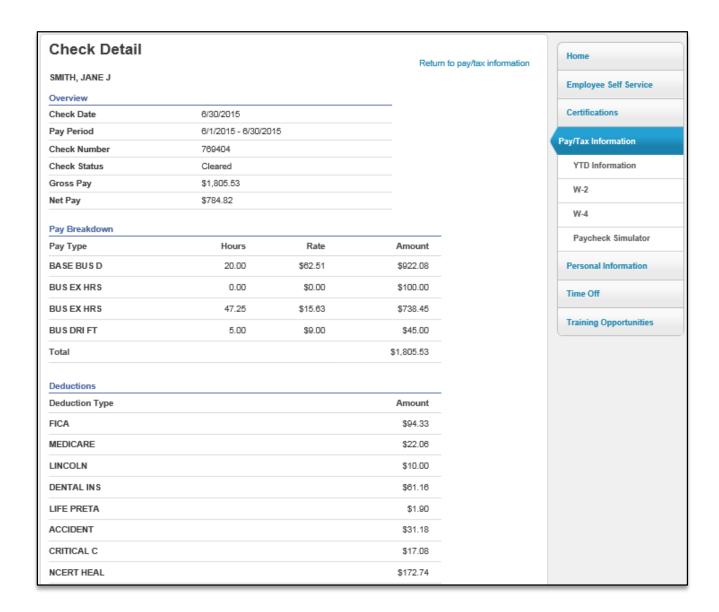
The paychecks section shows the last 5 checks



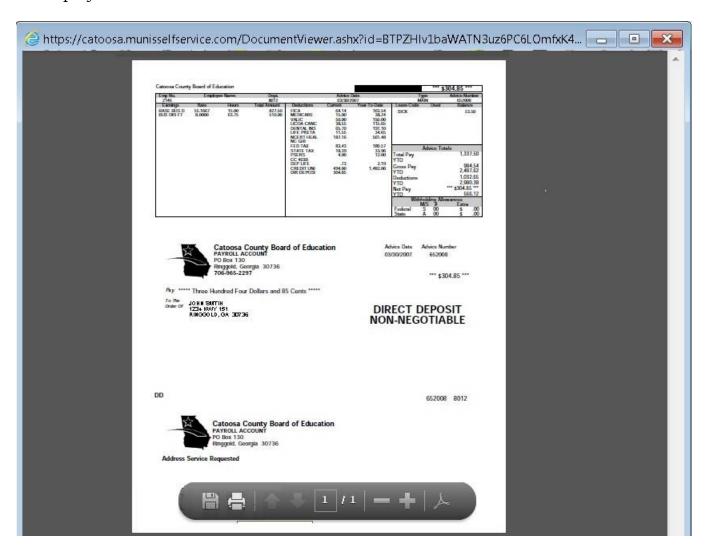
**A.** To display the check amounts on this screen, click on the Show Paycheck Amounts button. The screen below will display:



**B.** The Details links allow you to view the details of a paycheck, click on the Detail link beside the paycheck you would like to view. The screen below displays:

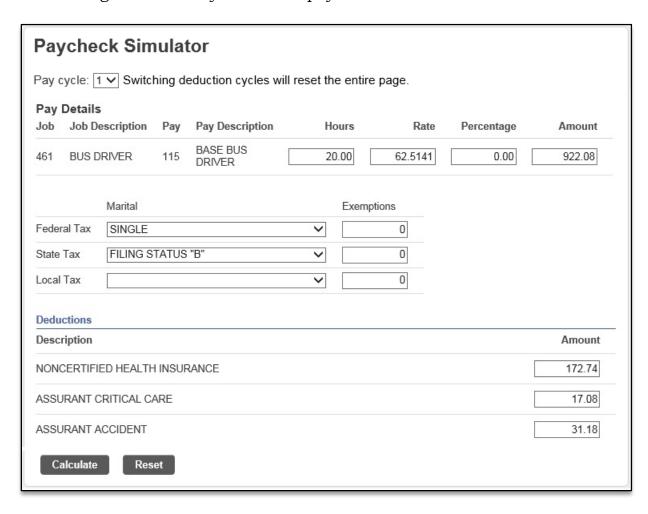


**C.** The Camera links allow you to see a digital copy or to print a copy of your paycheck stub, click on the camera icon, beside Details. The window below will display.



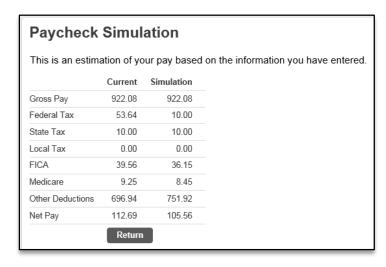
To print a copy of your check, click on the picture of the printer that will display at the bottom of the screen when you hold your mouse in that area.

**D.** The Paycheck Simulator link will allow you to simulate changes to your Tax Exemptions, Payroll Deductions, or Direct Deposit amounts and calculate how those changes will affect your overall pay check amount.

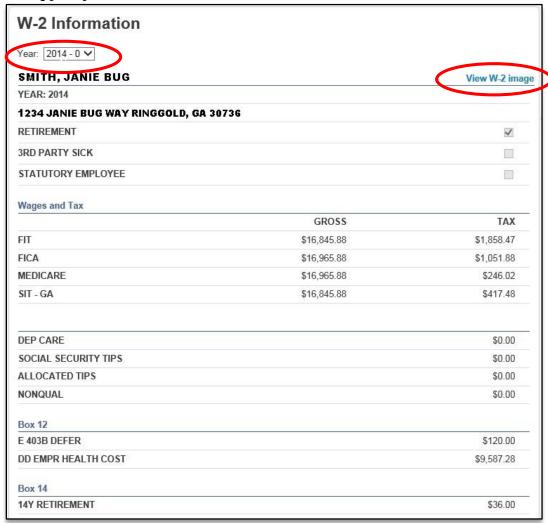


Enter any changes you would like to see the result of and click the Calculate button at the bottom.

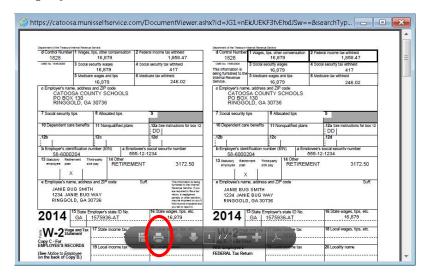
A new window will open showing your Current in one column and the Simulated adjustments in the second column.



**E.** To view last year's W-2 information, click on the link and the window below will display. From this window you can click the drop-box beside Year: and choose previous years or can click the View W-2 Image link at the top to open a printable copy of your W-2.



To print the W-2 image, hold your mouse at the bottom of the screen and click on the Printer icon that displays.



## **Quick Access Links**

The quick access links in the right hand column become highlighted when you are inside each of the sections, to return to the main screen, click on the Employee Self Service link.



When you are through viewing/updating your Self Service information, click on your name at the top of the screen and click on Log Out.



**ALWAYS LOGOUT** of Employee Self-Service when you are done, if you do not, the next person to use the computer will be able to access your information.