POWSTIK FOR IB SCHOOLS · CAS

CAS sign-offs, without the chasing.

Your students' CAS work, confirmed by the adults who saw it, and checkable by any university they apply to.

Creativity | Activity | Service | CAS Project

THE PROBLEM

CAS is real work. The record of it isn’t.

When	A coordinator’s year, today
September	Explain CAS again. Set up folders, forms and portfolios.
October–May	Evidence lands in ten places. Coaches and NGO staff rarely reply to email.
DP2 spring	The scramble: missing strands, missing outcomes, signatures from people who moved on.
Applications	Students list their activities. A university has only their word for any of it.

WHY IT MATTERS NOW

69%

of international applicants in one programme's 2025 cycle had an essay flagged as AI-written. Admissions staff asked to spot them did barely better than chance.

Applicants who looked like AI users were admitted less often, whether or not they were. Honest students get caught in the same net.

Isley, Gaebler & Goel (Harvard / NYU), arXiv 2609.22549, Sept 2026. 7,462 applications to one US graduate programme; the authors note it may not generalise.

HOW IT WORKS

CAS already has a witness. Powstik records them.

1

The student posts it

Pick the strand, tick the learning outcomes it shows, add a link to photos or files.

2

The supervisor confirms

One link by WhatsApp or any app. One tap. No account, no password.

3

It counts

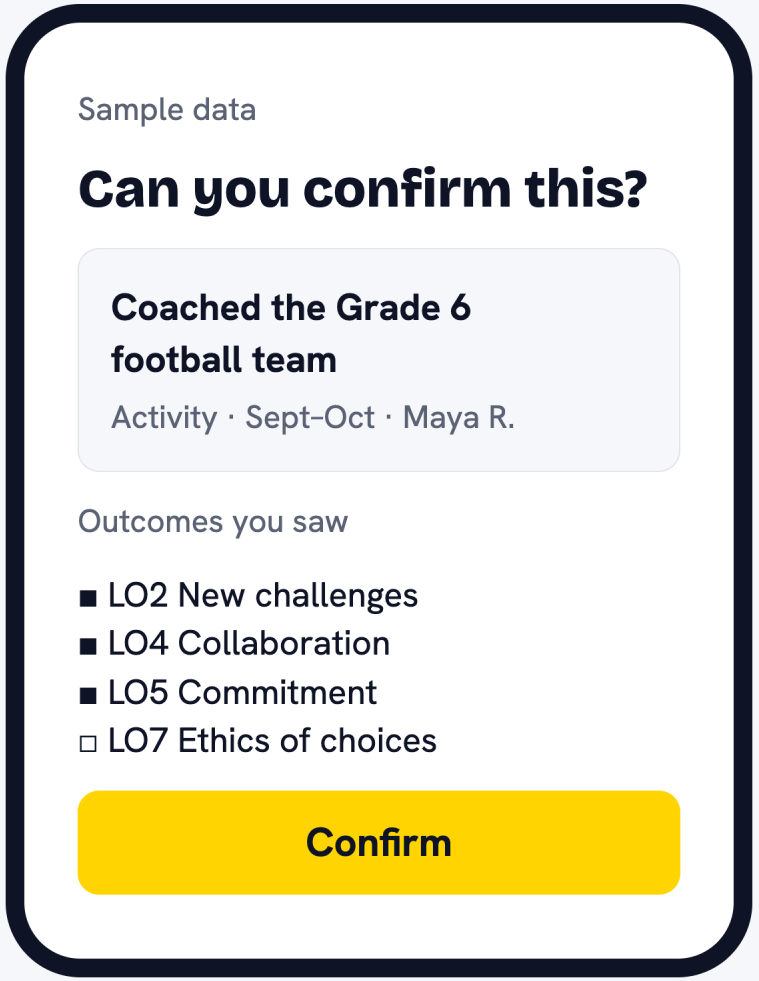
Signed and dated. On the coordinator’s screen and in the student’s Trophy Case.

Runs in any browser, on phones and laptops. Nothing to install.

FOR SUPERVISORS · FREE, ALWAYS

One link. One tap. Done.

- No account, no password, no app.
- They tick only the outcomes they actually saw.
- Coaches, NGO staff and club leaders can confirm, not just teachers.
- If a sign-off waits three days, the student can send a polite nudge by WhatsApp.



The supervisor gives a name and a yes. Nothing else.

FOR STUDENTS · FREE, ALWAYS

A Trophy Case of work someone saw.

Log and reflect

Every strand and the CAS Project. Tag the seven outcomes. Write reflections that stay private to the school.

Know what's next

A short "today" list: sign-offs waiting, a missing strand, outcomes not yet shown. A daily streak keeps it moving.

Keep it for good

One signed Trophy Case link for applications. The student keeps it after leaving school.

Under-18 Trophy Cases are private by default and never appear in search.

FOR COORDINATORS

Opens on what needs you today.

Not a table to dig through. At most three actions, each one click from the fix. The full roster sits below, by strand and outcome, with every gap flagged.

Sample International School · sample data

What needs you today

5 sign-offs waiting longer than a week →

Interview 2 due for 6 DP1 students →

4 students missing a strand →

Student	C · A · S	Flag
Maya R.	3 · 4 · 2	Missing an outcome
Arjun K.	2 · 3 · 0	Missing a strand
Omar S.	0 · 0 · 0	No activity in 30 days

Tour it yourself with sample data: powstik.com/school/demo

FOR COORDINATORS

Everything CAS asks for, in one place.

CAS needs	In Powstik
Three strands	Every experience logged by strand, confirmed by the adult who saw it
Seven learning outcomes	Student tags them; supervisor ticks what they saw; claimed vs confirmed side by side
A CAS Project	Start and end dates and teamwork recorded; flagged if under a month or solo
Reflections	Written by the student, in any form, private to the school
Three interviews	Recorded with notes and next steps; overdue ones show in “today”
Completion	A checklist per student; the coordinator decides; a completion list to enter in the IB’s own system

Completion is always a human decision. Powstik is not connected to IB systems.

FOR PRINCIPALS AND HEADS

A programme you can show.

A page a term

Progress by strand, sign-offs confirmed and waiting, three highlights. Ready to forward.

The evaluation pack

Every student's experiences, who confirmed each one and when. One click, print-ready.

The League

Schools ranked by verified student work. Only the school is named, never a student.

What the school gets back: staff time, a programme it can show, and applications universities can check.

FOR IT AND DATA PROTECTION

Clear rules about student data.

The school owns the record. It is the controller; a Data Processing Agreement is published.

Every confirmation is signed, so anyone can check who confirmed it and when.

Staff sign in with Google. Supervisors never need an account.

Export any time, in every plan state, even after you stop paying.

Under-18s are never public and never in search results.

An audit log of sign-offs, exports and role changes that cannot be edited.

No ads. Nothing sold. Students and supervisors never pay.

If you leave, each student keeps their own record and the school’s view ends.

Data Processing Agreement: powstik.com/school/dpa

HOW IT FITS

Alongside what you already run.

ManageBac and Toddle

Keep them. Paste a read-only link to any student’s Powstik record into either.

Nothing to install

Any modern browser. Built phone-first, so a coach can confirm from the touchline.

Habits, not reminders

A daily “today” list and streak for students, and phone alerts they can switch on.

Accessibility checks run on every release.

PRICING

One price per school. Students never pay.

Who	Price	Terms
Founding schools 1–25	Free, then $99/mo	Free to 30 June 2027, then locked
Founding schools 26–100	$99/month	Locked while you stay
Up to 180 DP students	$199/month	After the founding 100
181 DP students or more	$299/month	After the founding 100

Two months free on annual. Prices change only at renewal, with 30 days' notice. Your data is never deleted for non-payment.

Founding places close 31 December 2026.

GETTING STARTED

Your first term.

Day 1

Sign up yourself. Paste your class list, send one invite, share one supervisor link. About fifteen minutes.

Week 1

Students post experiences. The first confirmations land on your screen.

End of term

Forward the termly summary. Print the evaluation pack when you need it.

Paying is one page: the school’s price is already filled in, and you can forward the link to your bursar. Dodo Payments issues the receipt. Annual invoices on request.

Joining never waits for payment.

QUESTIONS SCHOOLS ASK

Short answers.

Do supervisors need an account?
No. One link, one tap.

Who owns the data?
The school. Each student keeps their own record.

What if we stop paying?
Export stays open. Students keep their records.

Does it replace ManageBac or Toddle?
No. It works alongside them.

Are students ever public?
Under-18s, never.

Is Powstik approved by the IB?
No. Powstik is independent of the IB.

Free for every school: the 2026 IB CAS Toolkit at powstik.com/portfolios/ib-cas

Fifteen minutes is all it takes.

I set up every founding school myself. Reply to the email this came with, and we will find a time.

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powstik.com/portfolios/ib-cas
For schools, and the free CAS Toolkit

powstik.com/school/demo
Tour the coordinator dashboard

powstik.com/paths/ib-cas-portfolio
What a student does, free

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