Salesian College

Educating for Life

Our Aim

"… is to send a young person out into the world who is confident, comfortable with themselves and all those round them, a good Christian, an honest citizen, a decent person and well-equipped to take their place in and make a significant contribution to society."

Digital Learning Strategy

- It is impossible to ignore the impact that digital technology has on our lives and on society in general

- We envisage a future in which digital technology will play an increasing role in everyday life, the workplace and in education

- Our Digital Learning Strategy is fully focused on helping students to develop as safe, responsible and informed digital learners, learning from and creating resources which, until recently, could only be accessed though high-end, hard to access computers

The Team

- Steven Rowe   Assistant Headteacher (Academic)

- Alex Kent   Assistant Headteacher (Pastoral)

- Michael Parsons   Digital Learning Technologist

- Two Student Digital Leaders – 6th Form

- Year 7 and Year 10 Student Digital leaders. Other years to be appointed

- Nicki Wise   External Consultant (Apple Trainer)

- IT Support Team

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Skills Sought by Employers

- Good communication (verbal and written)
- Effective teamwork and collaboration
- Good time management and organisation
- Effective planning, research and organisation
- Critical and analytical thinking
- Creative problem solving
- High level self-motivation and strong initiative
- Flexibility
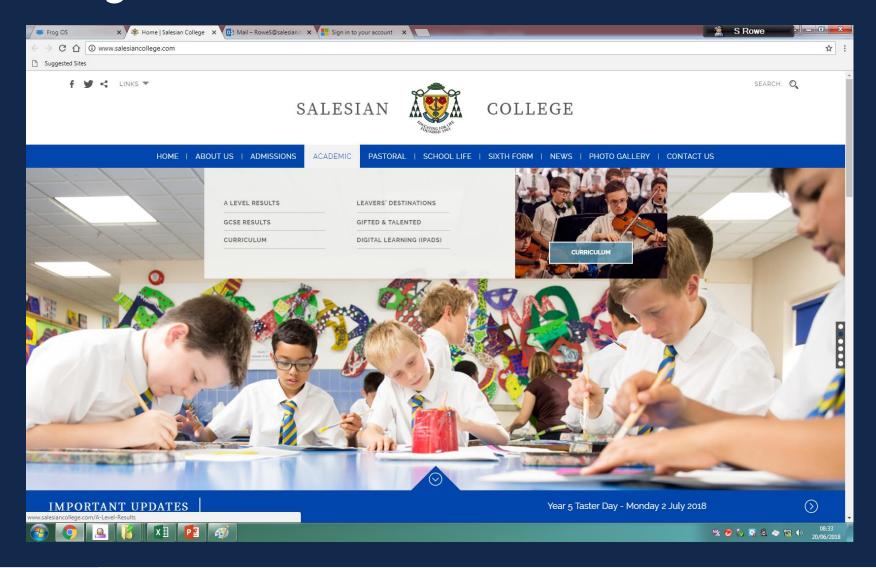- Life-long learner

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Why iPads?

- Instantly accessible
- Media rich
- Creative
- Collaborative
- Connected
- Secure and robust operating system
- Huge range of tried and tested Apps
- Robust management and monitoring software
- Successfully used in many other schools worldwide
- Quality support from Apple Trainers and commercial partner

Benefits

- Allow instant access to resources stored on the College's network, FROG (our Virtual Learning Environment) and on the internet

- Encourage students to be self-starting and independent

- Encourage teacher collaboration with regard to lesson/course planning

- Improve teachers' ability to differentiate resources

- Facilitate improvement in the quality of teachers' feedback to students

- Increase opportunities for creativity, independent research and problem solving

- Improve opportunities for collaboration

- Facilitate movement towards increased use of electronic resources such as e-books

- Facilitate students' safe and appropriate use of mobile devices, in line with practice in everyday life and business/industry

- Reduce reliance on photocopying
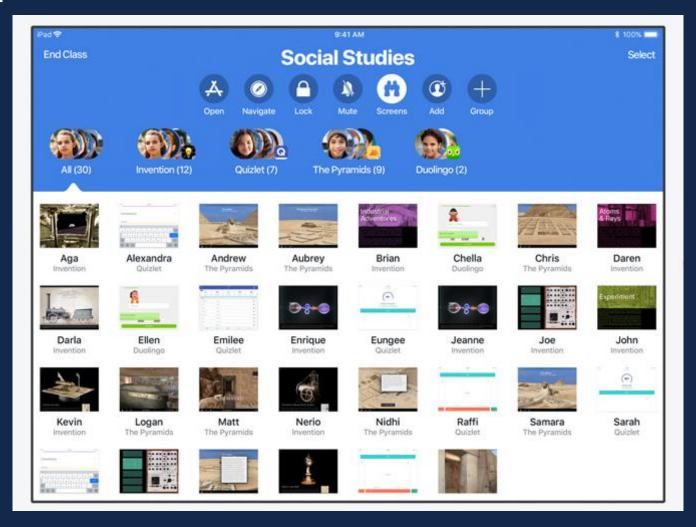
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College web-site

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- We do not expect the iPad to replace all traditional resources; we expect it to be used alongside them to enhance and supplement learning as appropriate

- We would expect the iPad to facilitate activities which could not be attempted without a mobile device (e.g. analysis of stance in cricket, instant filming and analysis of drama activities, filming and analysis of dissection, access to animations and learning games/quizzes

- **However, we must remember that for the foreseeable future, most students will need to write by hand during examinations**

Apple Classroom

Privacy (https://www.apple.com/uk/education/teaching-tools)

Privacy is built into everything we make.

Teachers see all of the wonderful things created by their students. We don't. All Apple products are built with an integrated approach to privacy and security — providing schools with devices, apps and services that keep student work and personal information secure. And with Managed Apple IDs, the school controls student information and can choose to enable or disable apps and services such as iMessage, FaceTime, or student progress reporting with the Schoolwork app.
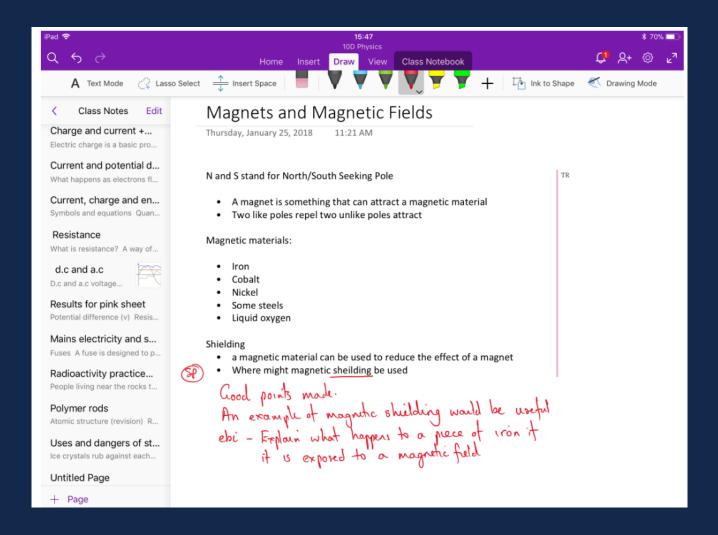
Apple has received ISO 27001 and 27018 certifications for implementing an Information Security Management System with measures for protecting PII in public cloud environments. We will also meet the requirements of the new EU GDPR framework when it takes effect in May 2018. In addition, Apple has signed the Student Privacy Pledge, further underscoring our commitment to protecting the information students, parents and teachers share in our schools.

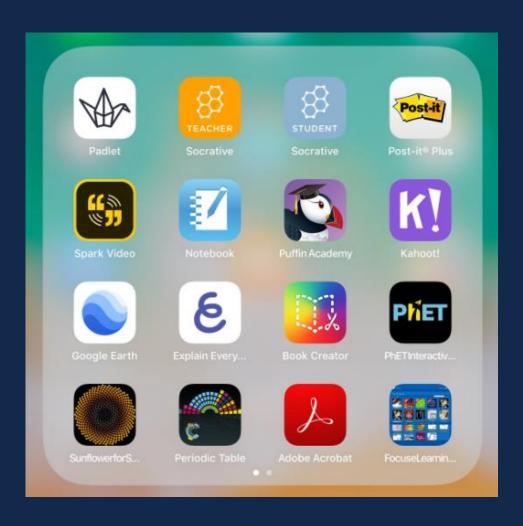Privacy and Security for Apple Products in Education

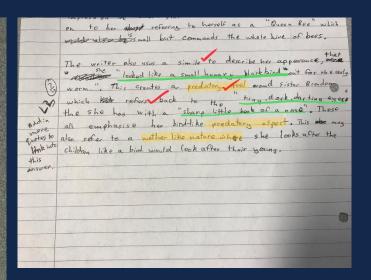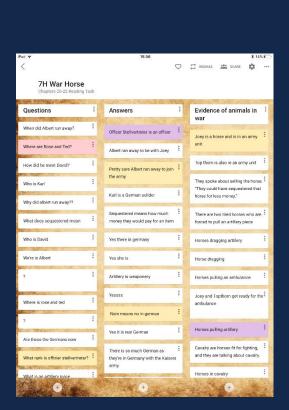Data and Privacy Guide for Schools (PDF)

Parent Guide to Privacy (PDF)

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Microsoft OneNote

Apps

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Annotations of Student Work

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Padlet

iPads in use at the College

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iPad Provision

- A comprehensive training and support programme for staff and students has been in place for some time

- iPads will be leased for 2 or 3 year periods

- iPads will be managed centrally by the IT Support Team

- iPads will be **personal educational devices**, not personal devices

- For use in lessons and at home, but **not** during free time, at break or during the lunch period

- The College will take all reasonable steps to restrict access to offensive, inappropriate and controversial materials on College premises

Responsible User Policy

- Sets out the terms and conditions under which an iPad will be loaned to your son

- Agreement form must be signed by parents and students and returned to College before an iPad will be issued

- Sent to all parents on Friday 6 September

- Please return asap if you have not already done so

iPads at Home

- Parents will need to take responsibility to oversee iPad use at home, including setting up internet restrictions on home Wi-Fi provision as appropriate.

- 2 key points from the RUP:
  - I understand that it is my responsibility to restrict access to offensive, inappropriate and controversial materials when my child is not on College premises.
  - I accept full responsibility for my child's use of the iPad when my child is not on College premises and understand that my child is still subject to the Terms and Conditions of the Salesian College iPad Responsible Use Policy when not in school.

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Looking after the iPad

- Storage in bags in the "Bays" or lockers during free time

- Robust cases will be provided

- "iCare" insurance will cover <u>accidental</u> damage/breakage

- Use will be governed by a "Responsible Use Policy"

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Printing

- It is not our intention to allow printing from iPads

- It will still be possible to print from PCs

Charger and Cable

- Will be provided with the iPad

- To be kept at home and the iPad charged in the evening

- No facility to charge the iPad in school

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Stylus and Apple Pencil

- Student iPads support the use of digital ink

- Options range from using a finger to using an Apple Pencil

- We will give details of a recommended inexpensive stylus on our web-site

- Apple Pencil is £89 retail (this time last year it was £99)
- Great piece of kit but currently too expensive for us to provide
- iPad case will have a slot in which to store an Apple Pencil
- Our iPads do not support use of the new "Apple Pencil 2"

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Further Information

- The Salesian College web-site

- Mr Rowe and Mr Parsons will be available to answer questions at the end of the evening

- iPads will be issued to Year 10 students on Thursday 26 September

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