

Dear Parent(s) and/or Guardian(s),

The Stevens Point Area Public School District has purchased [Securly](#), a Chromebook monitoring and management service. Within our district purchase we now have access to the Parent Console and Securly Classroom. The two areas below provide more information on these services.

Parent Console

Once the school day has ended parents may wish to utilize Securly at home, [benefitting from features](#) that will help you control Chromebook usage during non-school hours. These benefits include:

- ✓ Checking online activity
- ✓ Customizing rules
- ✓ Pausing internet access
- ✓ Opt-in for notifications
- ✓ Get weekly reports
- ✓ Filtering rules

You can sign up for Securly Home service by [completing this brief form](#) or visit: SPAPSD home page → Departments → Technology Services → scroll to the bottom of the page and click on the “more information” link.

- Please note that if you have multiple students in the district, you will need to fill out the form [for each student](#).
- After registration is complete and an account is created for you, you will receive an email from Securly explaining how to get started.

Next step: Access the Parent Console

There are 2 ways to access your Parent Console, through their [website](#) or their app.



If you have any questions regarding the Parent Console, email: homesupport@securly.com or visit [Securly home support website](#) at: <https://homesupport.securly.com/hc/en-us>

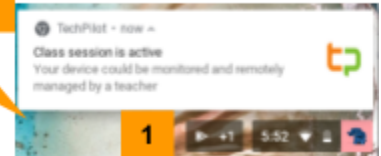
Securly Classroom

Securly Classroom is a tool which allows teachers to guide, monitor and communicate with students during class. You may have noticed a notification on your student’s Chromebook while learning at home on E-Learning days. This service is used by teachers only during school hours (7:00 AM - 4:00 PM) Monday through Friday.

- When a teacher activates a class session in Securly, students will see a notification on the lower-right corner of their screen alerting them that their Chromebook is being monitored.
- A Securly extension icon will also change from grey to color during active sessions.
- You may find that teachers use Securly to push out links, send announcements, or close tabs that do not pertain to classroom instruction and assignments.
- It is not possible for teachers to activate the Chromebook camera or microphone or use this service for unobserved surveillance.

Notification of active sessions appears in two areas:

1. Notification message on the bottom right of the screen
2. Securly extension changes from grey to colored in



If you have any questions or concerns about how Securly will be used in the classroom with your child, please feel free to contact me or Brian Casey, Director of Technology at 345-5511.

Sincerely,

Insert teacher signature