

CRMS BYOD Initiative



BRING YOUR OWN DEVICE

Our goal is for every student to have a computer to use throughout the school day. We believe this level of access to technology is vital in preparing students for the world in which they live. A Bring Your Own Device Initiative encourages students to move from textbook readers to worldwide researchers, empowers students to take control of their personalized learning and enables students to use their understanding of technology for the betterment of their education.

Temporary replacements, or loaners, may be available during the school day so that learning is not disrupted. Students are responsible for the care of the loaner.

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WHY?

Accessibility 1:1 technology allows for personalization of learning because students can take ownership of their learning paths in order to create unique learning experiences based on individual needs.

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HOW?

To personalize learning, teachers and learners need access to 1:1 resources in the classroom. The BYOD initiative empowers students to take control of their own personalized learning.

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WHAT?

BYOD - A tool that not only helps your student be successful today but will also be a usable tool for the years ahead.

BYOD allows



Integrated (curriculum, instruction, and assessment are intertwined.)



Flexibility in time and space. Portability and accessibility of learning.



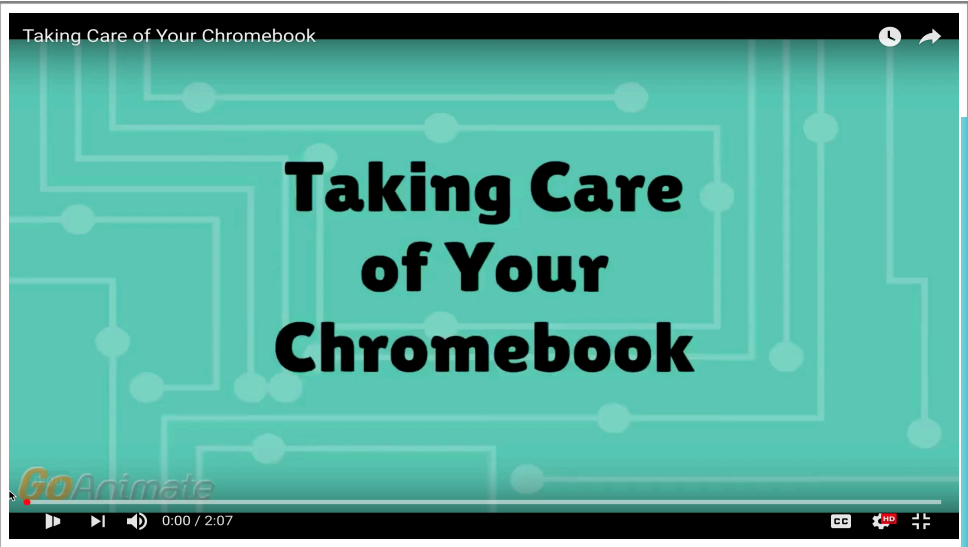
Differentiated and focused on individual learning needs.

Device Care

At school, students are expected to use their devices in accordance with all school and district policies. For more information, please review the [Student Code of Conduct](#) policies regarding technology use and personal devices.

Security Reminders

- Do not share logins or passwords with anyone other than parents/guardians.
- Do not develop or use apps, files, documents or other communications that harass others in any way.
- Follow internet safety guidelines at all times.



Keep your device safe!

When transporting your device keep it protected from possible damage.

Do not throw or toss your backpack at any time.

Dedicate a special pocket in your backpack for your device and consider using a special sleeve or padded envelope.

Protect your device from extreme heat or cold, food and drinks as well as small children and pets.

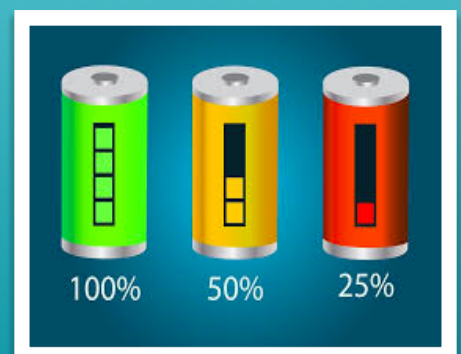
Insert cables, like headphone jacks, carefully into ports to prevent damage.

Store your device on a desk or table - never on the floor.

CHARGING AND BATTERY LIFE

CHARGE THE CHROMEBOOK FULLY EACH NIGHT.

Students are responsible for keeping their device battery charged for school each day using the appropriate charging cord. Please leave your charger at home. To help preserve battery life, keep your device closed during class time when not in use.



Monitoring Student Use Helps Keep Them Safe

Keep your students safe! We suggest you monitor student use of technology. The best way to keep students safe and on-task is for parents/guardians to be aware and involved.

Suggestions

- ✱ Develop a set of rules/expectations for technology use at home.
- ✱ Only allow technology use in common rooms of the home (e.g. living room or kitchen) and not in bedrooms or other isolated locations.
- ✱ Demonstrate a genuine interest in what your student is doing on the mobile device.
- ✱ Ask questions and request that they show you his or her work often.
- ✱ Investigate and apply parental controls available through your Internet service provider and/or your wireless router.
- ✱ Mobile devices contain cameras, review their pictures and

SMILE!

You're on camera!

Respect others' wishes when taking videos or still images of any person.

Videos or still images may not be posted online without parent/guardian consent, and consent of all parties represented in that image or video.

No video or still image may be recorded in any location where there is an expectation of privacy (locker rooms, restrooms, for example).

Guidelines and Reminders

- ✱ DCSD email should be for educational purposes only.
- ✱ Parents may check student e-mail at any time, provided they have the password.
- ✱ Students are encouraged to share their password with their parents.
- ✱ Email should be used by the authorized owner of the account.
- ✱ Students are expected to protect their passwords.



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