

Dear Families,

This winter at Hazelwood, classrooms have received Chromebooks that will allow students to have access to online learning resources and tools every day. In grades 3 through 6, Chromebooks are assigned to each student to use during the school day; at other grade levels, there are enough Chromebooks for students to share a device. Each student is assigned a Google educational account which allows students to share documents with their teachers and classmates. They will not be able to send email to people outside of Edmonds School District. They can use nearly any digital device that has internet access (phone, tablet, computer) to log into their school account and complete assignments from home or other locations.

We encourage you to talk to your child and learn what they are doing in school. Please have your child share his or her username and password so that you can monitor schoolwork at home.

Students will receive various training such as:

1. How to use a computer safely.
2. How to responsibly handle equipment.
3. What is appropriate use of their school accounts, which can be monitored by their teachers.

During the training, your child will sign a digital citizenship contract. They will pledge to:

1. Communicate responsibly and kindly with each other.
2. Protect their own and others' private information online.
3. Respect each other's ideas and opinions.
4. Give proper credit when using others' work.
5. Stand up to cyberbullying.

There are many internet safety and cyberbullying resources available to families on the school district website: <http://www.edmonds.wednet.edu>. Also see Edmonds School Board Policy 7396 - Electronic Information Systems (Networks) <http://www.edmonds.wednet.edu/site/Default.aspx?PageID=214> and Electronic Information Systems (Networks) Acceptable Use Procedures and Guidelines <http://www.edmonds.wednet.edu/site/Default.aspx?PageID=215> If you have any questions, please contact your child's teacher.

Sincerely,

Tim Parnell, Hazelwood Principal

Sullivan Shaw, Hazelwood Assistant Principal

I have read and agreed to the terms of this contract.

student

parent