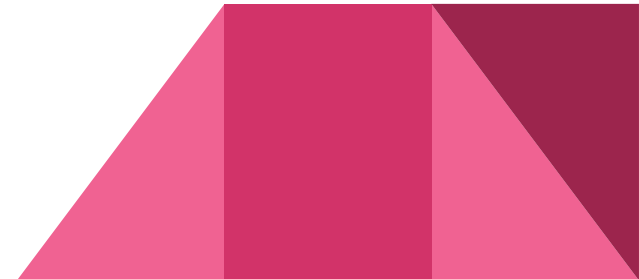


# SHRSD Grades 7-11 1:1 Chromebook Program Parent Chromebook Night

# Curricular-Technological Overview

The SHRSD Board of Education is committed to providing the students of this District with the technology, tools and resources that enhance achievement for 21<sup>st</sup> century learners. Excellence in education requires that technology be seamlessly integrated throughout the educational program. Increasing access to technology is essential for the future, and one of the learning tools of these 21<sup>st</sup> century students is the school furnished computer device. The use of school furnished computing device shall help empower students to maximize their full achievement potential and prepare them for transitions to middle school, high school, college and the workplace.

Technology immersion shall facilitate the learning process by providing access to educational resources via the Internet and enhancing the continuous dynamic interaction among students, educators, parents and the extended community. Effective teaching and learning with school furnished computing devices shall integrate technology into the curriculum both during classes and outside of school.



# Why 1:1 with Chromebooks?

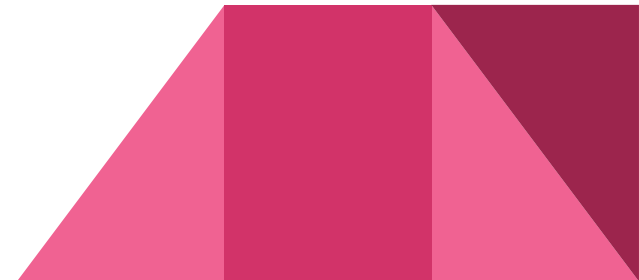
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### ★ Access to 21st Century Learning is...

- Constantly aligned & realigned with New Jersey Common Core Content & Common Core State Standards & Next Generation Science Standards
- Creative and constructive teaching and learning practices to challenge the four-walls classroom mental model of an educational experience
- Goal driven experimentation and entrepreneurship for teachers and students

and helps students build “**Techno-Educative Maturity**”

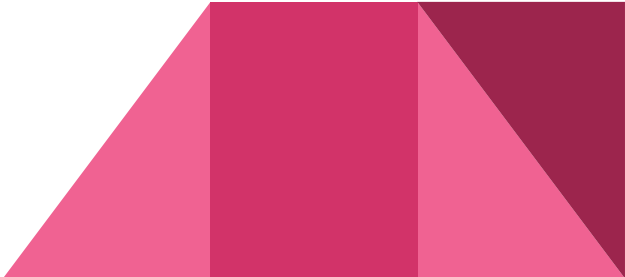
- Schoolwork facilitation and improvement;
- Psychosocial factors for students’ academic success (motivation, autonomy, interaction and attention);
- Access to information, learning and skills development;
- Equity, openness to the world, and opportunities for the future.



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1. **Facilitates** access and interaction of schoolwork for students and teachers, and consequently time saving;
2. **Expands** access to current, high-quality information;
3. **Increases** student motivation;
4. **Improves** student attentiveness;
5. **Develops** student autonomy;
6. **Raises** the academic interaction among students and among students and their teacher;
7. **Individualizes** and **differentiates** learning;
8. **Employs** active, interactive and meaningful learning with multimedia support;
9. **Explores** higher level IT skills;
10. **Promotes** Universal access;
11. **Opens** student-centered opportunities between school and larger community;
12. **Proliferates** students' future opportunities.

\***Reference Source:** Karsenti, T., & Collin, S. (2011). *Benefits and challenges of using laptops in primary and secondary school: An investigation at the Eastern Townships School Board. Summary of main results.* Montreal, QC: CRIFPE.



# ChromeBook/Student Safety

## Device Login

Only a District provided SHRSD.ORG Google Account can be used w/device.

- ❑ NO Guest or personal Google accounts will be able to log in.
- ❑ Only district approved apps and capabilities are accessible.
- ❑ Forced device re-enrollment to SHRSD.ORG if device wiping is attempted in the case of loss/theft.
- ❑ Parents encouraged to login alongside their children for any monitoring or general usage needs.

## Internet Access

- ❑ At school we employ web filtering solutions that help protect students from inappropriate content and minimize non-educational Internet use. At home this remains the responsibility of the parent.
- ❑ Student Internet access outside of school will be no different with this device than if they were to use an existing home computer, tablet or smartphone.
- ❑ Parents may choose to implement home web filtering solutions within your wireless router or with a service like OpenDNS to help block web access to sites they deem inappropriate if desired.
- ❑ Affordable Internet for Eligible Families - Please visit [InternetEssentials.com](https://InternetEssentials.com)

# Chromebook Usage and Care Guidelines

## Student Expectations

- ❑ Students are expected to charge their device at home each night and bring it to school with them each day.
- ❑ Shut down device during long periods of non-use (To/From school, lunch, gym, between classes, etc.)
- ❑ Device use will be allowed at the discretion of the teacher. Each teacher may have their own policy/rules.
- ❑ The student is expected to remain on-task at all times (device or not).

## Device Care

- ❑ Students are expected to carefully/gently transport their device to/from school in a soft-backpack or a protective carry case.
- ❑ In-school transport in backpack/case or via built-in carry handle.
- ❑ Never transport the device with the screen opened up.
- ❑ Never leave items on the keyboard/inside the device when closing the lid. (Papers, pens, etc)

Remember, the device you are issued is yours for a minimum of three years. If it seems like a bad idea, it probably is! Take responsibility.

# Device Information

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## Lenovo 100e (2nd Gen) Chromebook



# Warranty Coverage, Repair Costs & Optional Insurance Coverage

- The District has purchased a 3-year standard warranty which covers general mechanical failure/defects.
- **Additional Parent Insurance Option at \$20.90 per device**
  - District owned policy via SafeWare Insurance Agency, Inc.
  - Paid for by parents wishing to minimize financial risk.
  - Full coverage for Theft/Burglary/Robbery, Accidental Damage, Vandalism, Power Surge, Fire or Natural Disasters. Not covered for loss!
  - One-year term.
  - \$0 deductible.
  - No incident limit for the duration of the term.
  - Free two-way shipping to a local repair depot w/typical turnaround time of 5-10 days (Limited District owned loaner devices are available to the student during the repair period).
  - Incident report will be written up and submitted by the District with all claims.
  - Parent/Student must file a police report for claims involving stolen devices which will be submitted along with incident report with the claim. **POLICY DOES NOT COVER LOST DEVICES!**
- Policy purchase is available online **ONLY** for a 2-3 week period at the start of each school year. You will receive a notification to your contact info on record and it will be posted to the HS home page as well.
- Parents who decline the Safeware policy option will be responsible for the cost of repair/replacement for incidents that do not fall within the scope of the standard warranty. This is not unlike school policies regarding lost, stolen or damaged textbooks or other school property.

**It is with this understanding we will now ask that all parents (and students) please read, sign and submit the 1:1 Device Agreement in return for the device. (This is in addition to general Tech Use Agreement already signed)**



## **SHRSD Technology Policies:**

[SHRSD Board Policy 2361](#)

[SHRSD Board Regulations 2361](#)

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## **SHRSD Parent/Student Technology Agreements:**

[District Technology Use Agreement](#)

[District Furnished 1:1 Device Use Agreement](#)

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**District 1:1 Website - [shrsd.org/district/technology/one2one](https://shrsd.org/district/technology/one2one)**

Your Questions ???

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ChromeBook Pick Up!

PLEASE REMEMBER TO  
KEEP THE BOX!

