

What if my Chromebook computer is stolen or damaged while at school? Whom should I contact about this?

A computer is considered the same as other assigned property; such as textbooks, musical instruments, calculators, athletic gear, etc.

Ashwaubenon School District is not liable for the theft of a device, nor responsible for damage done to the device while at school. Anytime a theft or damage occurs at school, you should contact a teacher, school administrator and/or police liaison officer to make them aware of the offense.

Will the Chromebooks have internet restrictions or be filtered when students get home?

If students are accessing a home wireless network, or a wireless network in the community (McDonalds, Starbucks, Public Library, etc..) Ashwaubenon School District is not responsible for available content. Please contact your personal Internet Service Provider to discuss your options for your personal home network or wireless system.

Are computers replacing text books?

There are subjects and classes where learning resources are already transitioning from traditional text books to digital or Web-based resources. This trend will continue as text book publishers are reducing traditional text book options. Publishers are already making some of their materials Web based or digital only.

This decision is made on a subject by subject basis as part of the ongoing District Curriculum review process.

These FAQ's are meant to address common questions that have arisen regarding the 1 to 1 at Ashwaubenon High School. If you have questions or concerns not otherwise addressed, please contact us via email or at 920-492-2940.

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Frequently Asked Questions

about the

1 to 1 Program

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Frequently Asked Questions

What is a “1 to 1”?

The 1 to 1 is a program to provide all students access to internet resources throughout the school day and semester (1 Computer to 1 Student).

What device will be used?

The devices provided by the Ashwaubenon School District will be a Lenovo Chromebook.

Is there a cost associated with this program?

For the year 2015-16 there will not be a cost with the Parkview 1:1 program to receive a Chromebook.

Will every student at Parkview be participating in this program?

No, for the 2015-16 school year, the 8th grade class will participate in the 1:1. Sixth and seventh grade students will have access to mobile carts of Chromebooks and access to the traditional computer labs in the school.

What is a Chromebook?

A Chromebook is a smaller, lighter in weight and more portable version of a laptop computer. A Chromebook operates on the Google Operating System (OS) and will run Web based resources. There are also many educational “apps” that are available to enhance the educational value of a Chromebook.

Can I load personal software on the Chromebook.

No, Chromebooks do not provide the ability to load software. However, there are Google Chrome “apps” available that are similar to a tablet or smartphone.

What if the Chromebook/netbook is damaged or lost?

Students are responsible for the individual Chromebook they are renting, similar to being responsible for an assigned textbook, athletic or band equipment. Replacement costs can change depending on hardware updates and availability. Students will be charged *actual* replacement or damage cost.

What software will we need to buy?

None, Ashwaubenon School District has a private or closed “domain” established with Google through the Wisconsin Dept. of Public Instruction and “Google Apps for Education”. Through this agreement, Ashwaubenon can offer Google Apps free to students. This includes word processing, spreadsheets, presentations and graphics editing software. This is Web-based (secure and private) and students will have access from home.

Are eighth students expected to bring their Chromebook to every class every day?

Yes, it is the expectation that every 8th grade student have a Chromebook to use every day. Similar to other educational tools, like assigned textbooks and workbooks, use of computers in class is up to the discretion of individual teachers. While Chromebooks may not be used every day in every class, students are expected to have their Chromebook available. *Be sure to know your teachers expectations!*

Will I be able to plug my Chromebook in for power/recharging during my classes?

In general, no. Accommodations for charging will not be provided as part of regular classroom capability. Students will operate devices on battery power during the school day and are responsible to have their device charged at the beginning of the day.

What if I forget or leave my computer at home?

In general, if you forget your Chromebook at home, you will work without it during the day (have a spiral notebook and a pencil...just in case). We do not have an inventory of “loaners” for students who forget their device at home.

What if I have an issue arise with my Chromebook during school?

This will be covered with students, but there will be a “help desk” in the LMC. Students should take their Chromebook there for troubleshooting.

What if I have an issue with my Chromebook at home?

We do our best, but we aren't available 24 hours. Please have your student bring their device to the LMC first thing the next morning.

Can students save documents to the school network?

Not with Chromebooks. Students still have access to networked computers in the LMC and the general computer lab. There are also desktop computers in Art and Tech Ed. Or, students could transfer files through Google Apps for Education or a flash drive.