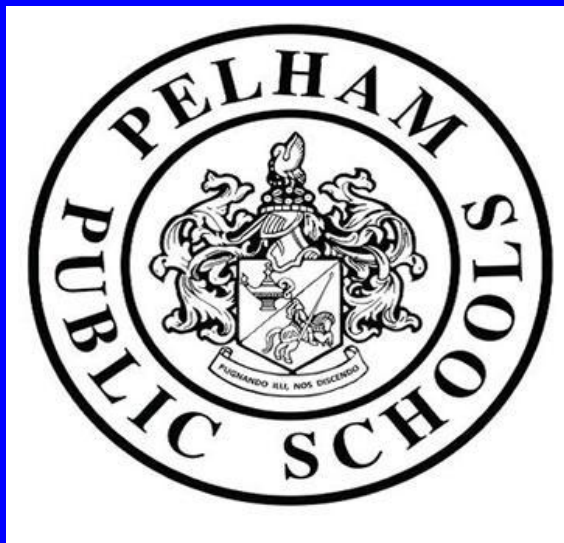


Chromebook Parent/Community Forum



9/10/14

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Objectives of Session

- Provide an overview of the Google Apps for Education/Chromebook program to members of the Pelham learning community
- Address questions from the Pelham learning community regarding this program
- Identify resources for members of the Pelham learning community to support participation in this program

Overview of Google Implementation

➤ **Google Apps**

➤ **G-mail**

➤ **Chromebooks 8th-9th Grades**

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➤ **Sponsored by Pelham Education
Foundation and Sen. Klein Grants**

Selected Device: Acer C720



Program Overview

- **8/9th Grade Students**
 - All secondary eventually
- **Home and school use (when appropriate)**
- **Filtering and monitoring even off campus**
- ***“When can students use them?”***
- **Passed out at Chromebook Celebration**
- **Insurance option**
- **Made possible with Grants from PEF and Sen Klein**

Chromebook Use

➤ School

- During free periods
- When approved by teacher

➤ At Home

- Must have a Wifi connection
- Activity will be filtered and monitored
- Must comply with all guidelines laid forth in Chromebook AUP (located on website/Hard Copies)
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Chromebook AUP

- Available on website
- 2 Signature Parts
 - Student Pledge
 - Parent/Guardian Section/Student
 - Turn in completed forms when Chromebook is picked-up
- AUP Generalization: Use Chromebook in a manner that supports appropriate academic inquiry/pursuits

Chromebook Celebrations

- 8th Grade- 9/29/14
- 9th Grade- 10/14/14
- 6:00pm-8:00pm- in Cafe. C PMHS
- Come with all paperwork
 - Chromebook AUP 2 Parts
 - Student Pledge
 - Parent/Guardian Signature
 - Insurance Option Payment (Check Only)
- Make arrangements with Mr. Tromblee to pick up after celebration date

Insurance Option

- Consider the Chromebook a Textbook
- If lost or damaged- student is responsible for it:
\$238.00
- Insurance \$26.00 - \$29.00 covers damage and theft
(Actual amount update by Celebration
 - Full replacement value
 - Full repair coverage
- District will process claim- students bring to my office
- Theft- police report required
- Worth Avenue Group

Google.edu Privacy

- Clear difference between “Google.edu” and Google
- Google Policy: <http://www.google.com/edu/privacy.html>
- Pelham “owns” student data
- FERPA and COPPA Compliant
- No Ads

Support for Students

- **Monthly Google User Groups**
 - **Second Monday of each month during academic year**
- **Technology Support Website**
- **Technology Support Staff**
- **Instructional Staff**
- **Colleagues**

Support for Teachers

- **Monthly Google User Groups**
 - 1st Monday of each month during academic year
- **Technology Support Website**
- **Technology Support Staff**
- **Students**
- **Colleagues**
- **District provided Professional Development- Funded by Pelham Education Foundation**

Support for Parents

- Technology Support Website
- mtromblee@pelhamschools.org
- Students
- <http://www.google.com/edu/>

Important Dates

➤ Chromebook Celebrations (Passing out of Devices)

- 9/29/14 6-8pm Cafe C PMHS
- 10/14/14 6-8pm Cafe C PMHS

➤ Chromebook Forums-Same Content

September 10 - 6 to 7 pm, Alumni Hall (opposite main gym of PMHS)

September 23 - 6 to 7 pm, Alumni Hall (opposite main gym of PMHS)

October 27 - 6 to 7 pm, Alumni Hall (opposite main gym of PMHS)

➤ Tech 101 Events- TBA

Please refer to District Calendar and Website for updates

Resources

➤ For the most up-to-date support materials and announcements

Visit- Technology Support Website

http://www.pelhamschools.org/group_profile_public_view.aspx?id={4DE2E92F-D277-4946-B64A-6154BDA7ECE1}

[org/group_profile_public_view.aspx?id={4DE2E92F-D277-4946-B64A-6154BDA7ECE1}](http://www.pelhamschools.org/group_profile_public_view.aspx?id={4DE2E92F-D277-4946-B64A-6154BDA7ECE1})

- Student Chromebook Resources

Questions

Thank You For Your Time