



Computer Use Agreement (2018-2019)



Purpose

Phillip O. Berry Academy of Technology is a 1:1 technology school; therefore; all students are expected to bring a school-provided or personal laptop to each class every day. Students can be loaned a free school-owned HP Chromebook laptop to use in class AND at home for the sole purpose of completing school-related assignments. Students can also purchase a Chromebook for a discounted price of \$169 through a CMS vendor at the following link: <http://bit.ly/cmslaptopdeal>. Internet access is provided free on any CMS campus or at any Charlotte Mecklenburg Library. Students who do not have access to internet at home may also be eligible to receive a wifi hotspot through the Sprint 1 Million program while supplies last. Please contact the school or visit <http://bit.ly/pobsprint1mil> for more information.

Student Expectations: We expect students to do the following:

- Bring your device to school every day fully charged.
- Keep your device with you at all times.
- Use the device for school-related activities only.
- Keep protective cases on devices at all times.
- Treat the device with care.
- Avoid eating or drinking near the device.
- Avoid leaving the computer in extreme temperature conditions.
- Immediately report any damage, theft, or other issues for school-related devices.
- Return your school-provided device and charging cord at the end of the school year or prior to withdrawing from the school.

Additional Information:

- Violations of student expectations could lead to a student losing his or her privilege to use the device.
- Financial obligations will be issued for damaged and lost devices.
- The district will periodically and without warning monitor the historic activity on the student’s device.
- Only a CMS issued Google account can be used to access the Chromebook.
- Students will be required to sign in to the web filtering system when using the device off campus.
 - Username: studentidnumber@cms.k12.nc.us (Do not include the “student” from your normal student email address)
 - Password: 8 digit birthdate (YYYYMMDD)
- Printing is not supported from school-issued devices.
- Tech support can only be provided for school-issued devices.
- Students should bring non-functioning or damaged Chromebooks to the main office in the mornings between 6:45 a.m. and 7:10 a.m. If a Chromebook is broken during the school day, students must wait until the following morning for repairs.

Date

Printed Student Name

Student ID #

Grade

Each student will be required to bring a laptop computer or tablet to class each day. Please select ONE of the following options:

- I will use a school-issued device and take the device home daily.
- I will use a school-issued device and request a locker. I will be sure to charge device PRIOR to 1st block each day.
- I will bring my personal laptop to school each day, and I WILL NOT use a school-issued device.

Student Signature

Student Schedule

Homeroom Teacher

1st Block Teacher

2nd Block Teacher

Parent/Guardian Information

Printed Parent/Guardian Name

Parent/Guardian Signature

Parent/Guardian Phone #

Parent/Guardian Email