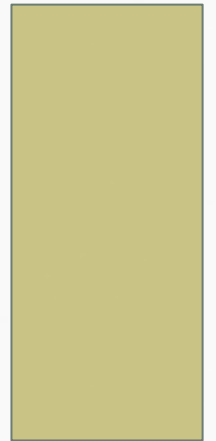


TECHNOLOGY

HELPFUL DIGITAL RESOURCES FOR PTMS AND SDUHSD STUDENTS



INTRODUCTION

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OVERVIEW

- I hope you leave with an understanding of the resources available to you and your child
- Make sure you received 2 handouts:
 - Important Digital Resources
 - Common Sense Media Tip Sheet

PTMS WEBSITE

- Check here for updates on everything PTMS
- Make sure to sign up for the weekly PTMS e-blast newsletter. Click on e-Option and fill out the google survey.
- Email vetha.pierce@sduhsd.net if you are not getting the newsletters

AERIES

- Check your student's grades (missing assignments in red, give teachers a day or two to put in missing work)
- Check aeries with your child.
- Check your information - make sure your email address is correct!

TEACHER WEBSITES

- Access from the PTMS Webpage
- Get to know each teacher's site. Encourage your child to check it regularly and when they are absent.
- All teacher emails are firstname.lastname@sduhsd.net - look at the website before emailing

COMMON SENSE MEDIA

- We understand the incredible importance in helping our students learn about digital citizenship and literacy and we need your help.
- If you ever have concerns about your child's media use, head to Common Sense Media and check out their resources.
- We are a Common Sense Digital Citizenship: Certified School
- Digital Citizenship Day: October 21st

MY.SDUHSD.NET

- A great starting place for students when they need to use technology for a class.
- Has links to a variety of resources including Aeries and your student's personal Google Drive.
- Students will have a Google Drive that will stay with them until they graduate from high school.

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GO TO MY.SDUHSD.NET

- A resource made by middle school teachers in our district to introduce students and parents to the various technologies we use in our district.
- You may benefit from the Aeries page and the Parents sections.
- Encourage your students to go to that page if they need help using a technology assigned for class.

ACCEPTABLE USE POLICY (UNDER REGISTRATION LINK)

- Chromebooks checkouts or have your student bring her or his own (BYOD).
- Review the AUP with your child and help them understand the consequences of using technology in inappropriate ways.
- Cell Phone Policy

21ST CENTURY LEARNING

- How do we empower our students to thrive in a world of media and technology?
- Common Sense Media:
 - “We empower parents, teachers, and policymakers by providing unbiased information, trusted advice, and innovative tools to help them harness the power of media and technology as a positive force in all kids’ lives.”

QUESTIONS?