

Brooks Museums Magnet Elementary School

BYOD Contract

Directions: Read and discuss the following expectations with your child. Then, please initial each section, and sign the bottom of this form. Return this form to your child's teacher.

Student Initial	Parent/ Guardian Initial	<h3>Expectations</h3>
		<p><u>Responsibility</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Students will not leave their device on campus after school. 2. Students will not share their device with other students or allow other students to touch it. 3. Students will place device in a safe location while in use. 4. If inappropriate material appears on the screen, students will notify and show their teacher (not classmates) immediately. 5. If students forget the device at home, parents/guardians cannot drop it off later. 6. Students will take <u>full responsibility</u> for their devices.
		<p><u>Attitude</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Students will share their knowledge and skills with others. 2. Students need to be patient with their device when completing tasks.
		<p><u>Respect</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Students will respect and protect the privacy of others. They will not take or post photographs/videos of any person on campus to public or social networking sites for personal reasons. 2. Students will stay on teacher-directed sites. 3. Students are expected to follow the Responsible Use Guidelines (http://www.wcpss.net/Page/12842) stated in the Student Code of Conduct 2016-2017. Any violation is unethical and may result in the loss of technology privileges at school, as well as other disciplinary action.
		<p><u>Self-Discipline</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Devices will be in silent mode while on school campus and while riding a school bus. 2. Students must comply with teachers' requests to shutdown the device. 3. Devices must use the wireless network provided by WCPSS BYOD network. It provides security and filters that make internet access safer and more directed for learning.

Please understand that the use of personal devices to support educational experiences is not a necessity but a privilege. When expectations are abused, privileges will be taken away.

Student Name: _____

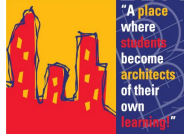
Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent Name: _____

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

Child's Teacher: _____

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With new technologies that continue to change the world in which we live comes many new and positive educational benefits for classroom instruction. To encourage this growth, Brooks Museums Magnet Elementary wants you to bring your own device (BYOD).

Definition and Purpose of "Devices"

BYOD technologies are privately owned, wireless, and portable electronic devices that can be used for wireless internet access, word processing, image/video capturing, sound recording, and information transmitting. Please note that portable gaming devices (i.e. Playstation and Xbox units) will not be supported by our wireless network and should not be brought to school.

Brooks Museums Magnet Elementary School believes that BYOD will allow students to enhance critical thinking skills through collaboration with peers. We are looking forward to seeing creativity blossom as students develop stronger communication skills through engaging and challenging projects that will require the use of 21st century skills. It is not about the devices themselves, but rather, it is about embracing them as a tool for enhancing great instructional practices.

Brooks Museums Magnet Elementary School will continue to develop rigorous technology-integrated lessons to enhance student learning and teach about responsible use and digital etiquette. Teachers are facilitators of instruction and will not spend time fixing technical issues with personal devices in the classroom. They will educate and provide guidance on how to use devices for learning, but technical support is the responsibility of the parents. Teachers will regularly communicate information regarding educational apps that parents may choose to download to their child's personal devices at home. Students unable to bring own devices to school have ample access to technology available at Brooks Museums Magnet Elementary School.

Security and Damages

any device that is stolen or damaged.

Responsibility to keep the device secure rests with the individual owner. Teachers are required to lock the doors when leaving for lunch, MIT's, recess, etc. to ensure limited access to the classrooms. We strongly suggest using protective cases for easy identification, differentiation, and protection of personal devices. If a device is stolen or damaged, the situation will be handled accordingly.

Please review and sign the BYOD agreement found on the next page.

Students will be permitted to use personal technology devices only if the agreement is signed by all parties and returned to the homeroom teacher.