

TechEquity Take Home Initiative

Dear PUSD Parent/Guardian,

In our continuous efforts to provide the best education and opportunities for all of our students, the District is excited to announce the continuation of our TechEquity initiative. This initiative includes a 1:1 take home program for students in grades K-12. Each student will be assigned a Chromebook that will be used both at home and in school to support and enhance student learning and achievement.

The Purpose

The purpose of this initiative is to provide all students with rich online programs, learning resources, and equitable access to 21st century tools. With these educational tools we hope to provide endless opportunities for all students within PUSD, allowing for creative innovation and independent learning.

Implementation

In order to support and sustain this initiative we have implemented learning opportunities for students, parents, teachers, and administrators. Our Digital Citizenship program equips all participants with resources and tips for safe online practices. Although providing a rich 21st century education is our focus, keeping our students safe online is our top *priority*, which is why students may not bring or use their own devices on campus. All PUSD issued devices include content filtering.

All students will receive a new device this year to ensure up-to-date technology. The devices are insured for normal wear and tear, basic repairs and are replaceable if stolen, provided a police report is filed and turned into the district.

We are pleased to offer this educational opportunity to all of our students. Thank you for your continued partnership and support. By signing below, you acknowledge that your student is receiving a district managed device.

In order to receive a new device your student must return this form and return any existing Chromebooks they previously had.

Teacher Name:			
Student ID#:	_Student's full name:		
Parent/guardian's full name:			
Parent/guardian's signature:		Date:	