



Valley Forge Elementary School

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iPad Use at Valley Forge Elementary School

Your child will be given an iPad at school soon. We envision a learning environment where iPads enhance the educational experience for our students. Below are some general notes that we hope are helpful to parents and students in understanding how iPads are used and managed at VFES. Students should bring their iPads to school charged each day. At the end of the school year, most students will be asked to return the device for the summer. They will return the charging cable at the end of elementary school. Please see the TESD Acceptable Use Agreement for additional information about the use of iPads.

Program Delivery During School Closures:

In the face of unforeseen challenges such as school closures, iPads will be used as program delivery devices to ensure continuity in education. Our students will have access to Schoology, digital assignments, collaborative platforms, and District-approved applications to facilitate learning when school is closed.

Supplemental Instruction and Learning Centers:

The primary use of iPads will be within the classroom to provide supplemental instruction. Teachers sometimes designate iPads for learning centers and research activities, enabling students to explore different subjects, practice essential skills, and engage in interactive learning experiences related to the curriculum.

Responsible Device Usage:

In promoting responsible digital citizenship, students are required to adhere to specific guidelines. While traveling the hallways, iPads must be turned off and securely placed in their backpacks. All iPad usage should align with the District's policies and regulations concerning electronic devices and students are expected to refrain from utilizing District-provided iPads for non-school purposes. To the right, is a graphic that will be reviewed with students when teachers distribute iPads:

