

CHAMPION LOCAL SCHOOLS



1:1 TECHNOLOGY INITIATIVE INFORMATION SHEET

Welcome to Champion! It is our goal to provide a rigorous and personalized learning environment for all of our students.

After plenty of research, we felt that the Chromebook was the best device to meet the goal of preparing students for life after high school. This device has been tested by Champion students and teachers in actual classroom environments over a period of time. The Chromebook, with deep ties to Google Apps for Education, online testing capabilities, ease of management, and overall cost was a clear choice.

Students in grades 4-8 will be issued a school owned Chromebook. Your student will be responsible for caring for the device, for taking it to each class at school, as well as taking it home at night. It is understood that your child will make responsible decisions regarding the safe use and care of the Chromebook. A \$35.00 insurance cost will be collected when your student enrolls. The \$35.00 yearly fee allows the student to take the Chromebook home in the evening and on weekends. In addition, the monies collected will go toward the purchase of a case to protect the device from accidental damage.

The Chromebook will be used in a variety of ways in the classroom. The focus is to provide students with multiple opportunities to research collaborate and create. Students may view and complete assignments and submit them online. They may research and respond to questions, access online textbooks, collaborate on a document or presentation with other classmates, or create something new with one of the apps available to them. Students can use the Google Apps for Education menu and house their work in their Google Drive. This work can be accessed from any computer by going to drive.google.com. All students use a uniform login format.

Please find more information on the 1:1 Chromebook Initiative on www.championlocal.org and look for our Frequently Asked Questions informational sheet.