SDUHSD Chromebook Update

Ed. Tech Software Gathering Information

Staff Survey

- All certificated, classified, and administrators
- Open from 3/30/2021 through 4/22/2021
- 437 responses from Certificated staff
- Staff could request up to three additional websites that were not included in the survey.

Department Academic Committee Meetings

Ed. Tech Software District Purchases

ALEKS
Freckle
Go Formative
Pivot Interactives
SmartMusic
Soundtrap

EdPuzzle
Illuminate
Pear Deck
Screencastify
Turnitin

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Additional Information and Notes

Edpuzzle & Pear Deck - Continued access

Illuminate

- Plan for PD on new assessment tools and recent updates
- Secure browser for online assessments
- Push scores directly to Aeries
- Connection to Google Classroom (2021-2022)
- Long-time access for SDUHSD

Additional Information and Notes

JSTOR

- A digital library of academic journals, books, and primary sources.

Screencastify

- Interest from certificated, classified, and administration

Turnitin

- Plan to gather feedback from teachers in 2021-2022 regarding comparison to Google Classroom Originality Reports (continued access for 2021-2022)

Teaching and Learning

❏ **Continuity of access to an online learning system** and instructional materials for students and families as all neighboring feeder elementary districts are 1:1

❏ Students and families highlighted the **need for one common learning management platform** which allows for **consistent communication between students and teachers.**
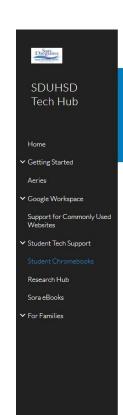
Teacher and Learning

❏ **All students will have access to the same device, apps, and extensions**

  ❏ Touchscreen devices and built-in stylus

❏ **Access to instructional materials regardless of where learning is taking place.**

❏ **Reduce impact of limited internet access**

  ❏ Google Drive allows students to work on files offline.

Safety and Security

- **GoGuardian** (Already owned)
  - With 1:1, teachers can monitor student activity during their class.
  - Teachers can share their screen, lock student screens, push out links, limit use to specified websites during class time, and more.

- **Locked browser**
  - Secure online assessments possible via a number of platforms including CAASPP, Illuminate, and Google Forms.

- **SDUHSD App Store**
  - Safe and approved apps and extensions only
  - Customized dashboards, menus, shortcuts and help

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STUDENT CHROMEBOOKS

Every SDUHSD student will be provided with a Lenovo 500e touchscreen Chromebook to assist with their studies beginning Fall 2021.

School sites will be distributing Chromebooks before the start of school. Watch for communication from your school with dates and times for distribution.

Check out this playlist of videos to learn about the touchscreen Chromebook.

IMPORTANT REMINDERS

ACADEMIC USE ONLY

The Chromebook provided to you by the District is intended for academic use only. Please do not use it for games or other non-academic purposes.

PROPER CARE

Keep your Chromebook in a safe place and away from food and liquids.

Do not add stickers to or write on the Chromebook except for the label already added by the district.

BE PREPARED

Students are expected to bring their district Chromebook to school daily, fully charged.

Loaners may be available from the Learning Commons for emergencies.

Chargers will be available in key locations on campus.

POWER DOWN

Students should power down the Chromebook daily. This ensures the operating system is up to date for optimum performance. It is not enough to just close the cover.

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Support and Management

- ❏ **Remote Support**
  - ❏ 1:1 Chromebooks would provide remote tech support with current staffing levels
  - ❏ Chromebooks can be reset remotely.

- ❏ **School-wide assessment**
  - ❏ Coordinating any kind of school-wide testing or survey always requires a great deal of time and energy just to ensure all have the resources to complete in the allotted time.