

Technology Program

Kindergarten: In the technology lab students will use Chromebooks to be introduced to basic tech skills. Building a sense of awareness with mice and the trackpad, students will engage in learning through the use of technology. Various web-based tools and programs are used to enhance tech skill development and content area learning. These programs include Star fall, abcya.com and others. Students will explore, create and have fun while in the lab. Kindergarten students attend the technology lab once a week.

1st **Grade:** First graders come to the technology lab once a week. Using Chromebooks, students learn introductory tech and web-based skills. Students will be engaged in various learning websites that allow skill practice with content and concepts from the classroom. Continued practice with the keyboard, trackpad and mouse through webbased programs is emphasized. Starfall.com and abcya.com, as well as other websites are used.

2nd Grade: Second graders come to the technology lab once a week. Using Chromebooks, students learn introductory tech and web-based skills. Students will be engaged in various learning websites that allow skill practice with content and concepts from the classroom. Continued practice with the keyboard, trackpad and mouse through web-based programs is emphasized. Abcya.com, as well as other learning websites is used. Students are introduced to correct typing strategies, Google apps for education, internet safety and digital citizenship.

3rd Grade: Third graders come to the technology lab twice a week for 40 minutes. Using Chromebooks, students develop tech and web-based skills. Students will be engaged in various learning websites that allow skill practice with content and concepts from the classroom. Continued reinforcement with proper typing techniques, trackpad and mouse skills through web-based programs is emphasized. Students will have Google accounts that allow access and working within the cloud through google apps for education. Coding, internet safety and digital citizenship are introduced.

4th Grade: Fourth graders come to the technology lab twice a week for 40 minutes. Using Chromebooks, students develop tech and web-based skills they will use for further learning. Students will be engaged in various learning websites that allow skill practice with content and concepts from the classroom. Continued reinforcement with proper typing techniques, track pad and mouse skills through web-based programs is emphasized. Students learn to use their google apps for education accounts for presentations and documents. Coding, internet safety and digital citizenship are continued.

5th Grade: Fifth graders come to the technology lab twice a week for 40 minutes. Using Chromebooks, students develop tech and web-based skills they will use for further learning. Students will be engaged in various learning websites that allow skill practice with content and concepts from the classroom. Continued reinforcement with proper typing techniques and working with various web-based programs is emphasized. Students will develop further knowledge and use of their Google apps for education accounts for presentations, documents and communication. Coding, internet safety and digital citizenship is continued. Students will also use Chromebooks in the classrooms.

6th Grade: Sixth graders come to the technology lab two to three times a week for 40 minutes. Using Chromebooks, students develop tech and web-based skills they will use for further learning. Students will be engaged in various learning websites that allow skill practice with content and concepts from the classroom. Continued reinforcement with proper typing techniques and working with various web-based programs is emphasized. Students will develop further knowledge and use of their Google apps for education accounts for presentations, documents and communication. Researching, Coding, internet safety and digital citizenship is continued. Students will also use Chromebooks in the classrooms.

7th Grade: Seventh graders come to the technology lab twice a week for 40 minutes. Using Chromebooks, students develop tech and web-based skills they will use for further learning. Students will be engaged in various learning and creation tools that allow skill practice with content and concepts from the classroom. Continued reinforcement with proper typing techniques and working with various web-based tools is emphasized. Students will become more proficient in the use of their Google apps for education accounts for presentations, documents and communication. Researching, Coding, internet safety and digital citizenship is continued. Students will also use Chromebooks in the classrooms.

8th Grade: Eighth graders come to the technology lab twice a week for 40 minutes. Using Chromebooks, students develop tech and web-based skills they will use for further learning. Students will be engaged in various learning and creation tools that allow skill practice with content and concepts from the classroom. Continued reinforcement with proper typing techniques and working with various web-based tools is emphasized. Students will become more proficient in the use of their Google apps for education accounts for presentations, documents and communication. Researching, Coding, internet safety and digital citizenship is continued. Students will also use Chromebooks in the classrooms.