

Acceptable Use Policy

7th Grade Life Science iPad Expectations and Regulations

This Document MUST be signed by student, parent/guardian, and returned prior to iPad use.

Hampton City Schools has adopted an online 7th grade life science browser-based digital textbook. We are very excited to begin our technology-enhanced learning in the classroom. In an effort to keep parents and students informed of our expectations, we have created this acceptable use policy for you to review with your child. The use of an iPad classroom is designed to enrich your child's learning, NOT distract from learning.

1. Students will use the iPad's for instructional purposes only. Use only the apps that you have permission to use.
2. iPad's will be **closed** on the desks until directed by teachers.
4. iPads will be numbered and assigned to students. Students will not swap iPads with another student as they are accountable for the iPad assigned to them. The iPads are used in the classroom only, they cannot be checked out to take home.
5. Students will not download or delete any apps on the class sets of iPads. If a student finds an interesting app or suggests one, science department personnel may download it using the cart.
6. Students will not copy and paste text for class assignments (no plagiarism).
7. Students will open the browser **only** when the teacher directs them to do so.
8. Students will **not** go **to** chat rooms, personal email, social networks or Facetime.
9. Modifying any applications, system/ device settings is prohibited. NO jail-breaking.
10. No writing, stickers, decorations etc. on the device or its cover.
11. Students will **not** use iPads in any class being taught by a substitute teacher.
12. No destruction of the device such as putting holes in it, taking it apart, throwing it around, no trying to put anything into any area of the iPad, getting it wet, no use of lotion while using the iPad, no magnetic items near it, or dropping it (this is not an inclusive list). Keep food and drink away from the iPad.

(signatures on back of this sheet)

Failure to comply with these guidelines will result in disciplinary action. Per the Hampton City Schools Rights and Responsibilities Handbook for middle school students. All students are expected to abide by all technology policies as stipulated in School Board policies IIBEA (Computer Systems Acceptable Use), IIBEB (E-Mail), and related policies as noted in the agenda handbook. The Division and classroom teacher assumes no responsibility for any unauthorized charges or fees as a result of using the computer system, including telephone or long-distance charges.

Students that do not return this signed document will be provided with a paper copy of the on-line textbook until this form is signed and returned. Signing this agreement indicates that you have read the above school iPad policies.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Student Signature

Date: _____

One advantage to the digital textbook is that you cannot leave it at school! The *eScience 3000 Life Science* text is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week wherever your child has access to the Internet. The website is compatible with a wide variety of devices and operating systems: computers, Android smartphones, iPhones, etc. Does your student have access to the Internet outside of school?

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No