
1:1 iPad Options and Enrollment Information

SHREWSBURY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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Dear 4th Grade Parents and Guardians,

Please find below links for an overview of the 1:1 iPad program and detailed information on each of the three options that are available to families. All students will need to be registered for one of the three programs by **June 13, 2014**. In addition, you will find information for how to enter your option choice in PowerSchool and sign up for a summer orientation/distribution session which is required for all students and at least one parent. Finally, at the bottom of this document you will find a link to a form that will enable you to submit a specific question about the iPad program if you need further clarification about any of the information contained in this document.

Links to Program Overview and iPad Options

- Program Introduction: <http://safeshare.tv/w/vjSxviAtoh>
- Take Home Option: <http://safeshare.tv/w/BcKIAJcaop>
- Family Owned Option: <http://safeshare.tv/w/tJUcKuSsaj>
- School Only Option: <http://safeshare.tv/w/gqImzXtypX>

For additional information, please refer the following documents:

Personal iPad FAQ: http://schools.shrewsbury-ma.gov/egov/docs/1400186807_140960.pdf

Comparison Chart of Options: http://schools.shrewsbury-ma.gov/egov/docs/1400186924_867767.pdf

May 15, 2014 - June 13, 2014: 1:1 iPad Enrollment Window

1. Please log in to your PowerSchool Parent Portal at <https://ps.shrewsbury.k12.ma.us>

If you have difficulties accessing the portal, please send a message to powerschoolaccounts@shrewsbury.k12.ma.us and someone will respond to you.

2. In the blue bar at the top of the screen, click on the name of your incoming 5th grader
3. On the left menu, click "Technology Take-Home."
4. Select one of the following iPad Program Options for 2014-2015 and sign up for an orientation session in August.
5. Agree to our Acceptable Use Policy and updated Liability agreement. If you have not already done so, please review this policy with your child, so that he/she is aware of the rules and regulations for appropriate technology use, and then sign off on the policy.
6. Print your ticket for the orientation session you selected. *Please note that regardless of the option you choose, a parent and child must attend an orientation session.*

If you continue to have questions after reviewing the information in this communication, please follow the link below to a form where you can ask a specific question. Someone will respond to your inquiry within a couple of days.

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1sEMJKd4r8DcV8f9iNq5AcZLutN7HnVbciZsyw7hZILE/viewform?usp=send_form

Thank you in advance for your attention to this important 1:1 iPad enrollment information.

Warm Regards,

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