



Westside 1 to 1

Parent/Student Orientation

Hardware

MacBook	2 GB RAM
120 GB Hard Drive	Video Out
Audio in	Audio Out
Ethernet Port	Plays DVD's and CD's
Firewire Port	Creates CD's
2 USB Ports	Wireless Network Card

Basic Installed Software

Safari (web browser)	AppleWorks	Word Powerpoint Excel
iTunes	iMovie	iPhoto
iDVD	Garage Band	iCal
World Book FirstClass	Photoshop Illustrator Dreamweaver InDesign	Pages Numbers Keynote

- Other Curriculum Specific Software Added Later
 - FirstClass is our intra-school eMail.

Some Opportunities

- ① leverage and exercise abilities to think
- ① analyze data and make conclusions
- ① express ideas, knowledge, points of view
- ① keep track of assignments, documents and appointments
- ① create music, movies, poetry, and pictures
- ① collaborate rapidly with teachers and peers
- ① research academic topics
- ① do much more!

Some Responsibilities

- ① use for academic tasks
- ① bring to class consistently (charged battery!)
- ① protect from damage (spills, impacts, extreme temperatures)
- ① protect from loss and theft
- ① use less paper (go digital!)
- ① obey laws and school rules
- ① appropriate use of email and internet
- ① help each other be responsible

Responsible Use

- ⑥ Obey copyright law--only use movies/music/etc. that you have rightfully purchased.
- ⑥ Your computer has one account with distinct capabilities intended for your use.
- ⑥ Pay attention to the computer loan agreement you are signing.
- ⑥ Respect other's rights--don't interfere with others' efforts to learn.
- ⑥ Back up school work regularly (CD, flash drive or server)

Responsible Use

- 👁️ There are quite a few “fun” things to do with your computer (iTunes, DVD’s, email, etc.).
- 👁️ Most of your time spent on your computer should be focused on learning/academic pursuits.

Protect From Damage

- ⑥ Close & put in case to move (required) Lost cases can be replaced at a cost of \$20.
- ⑥ Laptop is most vulnerable when plugged in-- don't string through area where people move
- ⑥ Power adapters are also easily damaged (replacements available in bookstore for \$45)
- ⑥ Keep from liquids and dirt
- ⑥ Place only on flat, stable surfaces (this does not include the floor!)
- ⑥ Don't use mini-CD's

Protect From Loss/Theft

- 👁️ Keep it with you
- 👁️ Don't leave it unattended
- 👁️ Don't leave in a shared locker
- 👁️ Check it in with an adult
- 👁️ Keep it out of sight
- 👁️ Help each other

Computer Damage/Loss Cooperative Fund

- Optional participation (but encouraged)
- Cost: \$35
- Accessories (chargers, cases, keyboards) under \$100 are NOT covered.
- Computer cooperative will pay 70% of major damage or loss that exceeds \$100 (see application form for details).

Getting Help

- ⑥ Use tutorials built onto your laptop (access through start page of web browsers)
- ⑥ Check the WHS-TechSpot in FirstClass for laptop-related information and announcements.
- ⑥ Ask a classmate or friend
- ⑥ Stop by a tech support area (221E in the Media Center)
- ⑥ Ask a teacher or educational assistant
- ⑥ Call Apple Support (1-800-800-2775)

Late/Incomplete Registrations

- ① We try--but we may not have a computer ready for you
- ① Once you are properly registered come to Tech Support with your completed paperwork so that we can make sure that a computer is prepared for you

