

Parents & Students,

We are excited to welcome you back to another school year and are busy preparing for your return. We want to touch base with you about an ongoing program. As students progress in their education and enter the workforce, devices with online access have become an everyday and necessary tool. Recognizing this and desiring to provide this resource equitably, Canyon View has joined other secondary schools in the district to become a one-to-one school. Each student is issued a Chromebook to use at home and school. This has opened greater opportunities for students to engage in rich learning experiences. Other benefits of issuing students a Chromebook include:

- In-class time can be optimized for student learning instead of using valuable class time on device management.
- Students can customize their user experience to better fit their individual needs as a learner.
- Whether a student is completing work at home or is absent from school they will have access to learning materials and online resources.
- Students have 24/7 access to multiple online learning tools.

We are continuing this program this year. Returning 8th-grade students should still have their Chromebooks. If they returned the device and will need it reissued, they should reach out to Pat Fossat at pfossat@alpinedistrict.org. Incoming 7th and 9th grade students will be issued a Chromebook within the first week of school.

Here is some important information to be aware of.

- All students will now need to complete the [Acceptable Use Agreement \(Spanish\)](#), every year. This can be done through [Skyward](#) using this [tutorial](#). All 7th graders and anyone new to the school will also need to complete the [At Home Use Agreement \(Spanish\)](#). This will also be done on Skyward in the same manner. [See below for more information](#).
- The Chromebooks are filtered by the district. These filters and protections are the same as when the devices were only used at the school.
- When the device is located at the school, teachers have access to a program called BlocksI that allows them to monitor and restrict student devices to only access sites and apps needed for the learning activities students are engaging in. Parents also have free access to use BlocksI when the device is located at home. Here is a [video](#) and a [step-by-step guide](#) for parents to use BlocksI.

- Students are expected to care for the Chromebooks. They would be responsible for loss or damage. The fines for the Chromebooks are similar to that of a large textbook, yet the liability has been consolidated to one device rather than multiple books that students once were issued. Also, there is a low-cost full coverage insurance available if you desire to protect the Chromebook in this way. [See this document for fines and information about the insurance \(Spanish\)](#). To avoid any charges, here are some [tips for caring for the device](#).

We are confident that these technology resources can be a great benefit to your student and are excited to partner with you in making the Chromebook a valuable tool in your student's education. This link contains [more information about this program](#). Please don't hesitate to reach out with any questions, challenges, or concerns.

See you in a few weeks!

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Additional information about Student Information Update

The Student Annual Information Update is now required **each year**. It can be accessed by logging into Skyward as a parent (not as a student). The update must be done on a computer (not a mobile device). If not completed, students will **not be able to login to their school accounts** on the first day of school. Please complete this process as soon as possible.

- The Student Annual Information Update will become active on July 26th. Please use your parent login to access Skyward and complete this process.

Skyward Login - <https://skyward.alpinedistrict.org>

[Student Annual Information Update Written Tutorial](#)

- Student accounts will remain active until August 8th. Starting August 8th, accounts will be disabled for students whose permissions have not been set in the new process.
- Accounts will be reactivated as soon as the process is completed. Please make sure it is complete before the start of school so students can access online resources.

Actualización Anual de Información del Estudiante

La Actualización Anual de Información del Estudiante ubicada en la cuenta de Skyward de los padres se debe reanudar anualmente. Si no se completa, los estudiantes no podrán iniciar sesión en su cuenta escolar el primer día de clases. La actualización debe realizarse en una computadora (no en un dispositivo móvil). Por favor, complete esto lo antes posible.

- La Actualización Anual de Información del Estudiante estará activa a partir del 26 de julio. Utilice su inicio de sesión(login) de padre/madre para acceder a Skyward para completar este proceso.

Inicio de Sesión en Skyward - <https://skyward.alpinedistrict.org>

[Tutorial Escrito de la Actualización Anual de Información del Estudiante](#)

- Las cuentas de los estudiantes permanecerán activas hasta el 8 de agosto. A partir del 8 de agosto, las cuentas se desactivarán para cualquier estudiante que no haya tenido sus permisos configurados en el nuevo proceso.
- Las cuentas se reactivarán tan pronto como se complete el proceso. **Por favor, asegúrese de actualizar su información antes del inicio de clases para que los estudiantes puedan acceder a los recursos en línea.**