

HWDSB

Guiding Principles and Tips to Engage in Virtual Learning *for Students*

K- Grade 2

- ✓ Ask your parent/guardian to set up a learning area, free of distractions
- ✓ Have a fully charged device
- ✓ Only one speaker at a time, wait for the teacher to call on you
- ✓ Turn off video and microphone
- ✓ Even though we aren't together in a classroom, this is our new classroom and our same expectations apply
- ✓ Be kind and forgiving when someone makes a mistake

curiosity

Grades 3-6

- ✓ Find an area free of distractions
- ✓ Have a fully charged device
- ✓ Only one speaker at a time, wait for the teacher to call on you or open discussions
- ✓ Turn off video and microphone
Even though we aren't together in a classroom, this is our new classroom and our same expectations apply
- ✓ Be kind and forgiving when someone makes a mistake
- ✓ Avoid slang terms or short forms like "u" for you or "ur" for your

creativity

Grades 7-12

- ✓ Turn off video and microphone
- ✓ Be on time for scheduled lessons
- ✓ Find an area free of distractions
- ✓ Have a fully charged device
- ✓ Only one speaker at a time, wait for the teacher to call on you or open discussions
- ✓ Be kind and forgiving when someone makes a mistake
- ✓ Avoid slang terms or short forms like "u" for you or "ur" for your
- ✓ Remember your digital footprint-how you engage on these devices and in these platforms can't be erased

possibility

Virtual Education in HWDSB:
Norms and Learning Environment