



Hamilton-Wentworth District School Board **iPad Home-Use** Permission Form

Hamilton-Wentworth District School Board (HWDSB) believes that equitable access to devices and resources is a key component in the education of your child. In some circumstances this includes the added responsibility of using this device at home.

I hereby agree to the statements below:

- An iPad is being issued to my child by HWDSB.
- The device remains the property of HWDSB and will need to be returned during the school year for maintenance. This will usually take place over the summer months and periodically throughout the year. Special arrangements will need to be made if summer use is required.
- This device may have the ability to connect to the internet, and may be able to receive and transmit digital information including pictures, video and text.
- This device is intended to be used both in school and at home, to help support my child's learning. My child is responsible for bringing their device to school each day, fully charged.
- I will be responsible for monitoring my child's internet use outside of the classroom, to ensure that the HWDSB 21st Century Learning Agreement on acceptable internet access is followed, and that the equipment is used for educational purposes, to help extend the learning in the classroom.
- I will be responsible for monitoring and guiding my child to properly handle and care for the device.
- In the event of loss, damage or theft, I will notify the main office at the school by phone, email or in person. A replacement device may be issued. Situations like this will be dealt with on a case-by-case basis. Repeated instances of damage or loss will result in replacement devices no longer be issued for home use.
- The device and any additional accessories (case, charging adaptor, etc.) will be returned in perfect working order.

By signing below, I agree to the statements above and provide my permission for

_____ to take his/her iPad home each night from school.
(STUDENT NAME)

Parent Signature (or student if over 18)

Date