

Use technologies

Suggestions for using technology to support communication and information sharing.

- ✓ Leave computers on at the end of the day and invite parents to view students' digital work.
- ✓ Find out the types of technology that parents use and offer to share in those mediums.
- ✓ Consider using multiple channels, such as mobile devices, email, instant messaging services, social media, and the school website, to connect with families.
- ✓ Provide deliberate support or training to show parents how they can engage with students' work – both face-to-face and through technology.
- ✓ Create and promote online spaces such as blogs that invite parents' participation and feedback.
- ✓ Establish a site or portal for parents to access and contribute to student learning.
- ✓ Design e-portfolios to inform future steps in learning.

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