

Parent's Guide to HIVE

Digital citizenship in the classroom



Welcome, parents! We're excited to share how HIVE is helping our students become responsible digital citizens. This guide will give you an overview of what HIVE is, how we use it in the classroom, and how it benefits your child.

What is HIVE?

HIVE is our school's platform for teaching and practicing **digital citizenship**. It's a safe, controlled online environment where students learn to:

- Communicate respectfully online
- Protect their privacy
- Evaluate information critically
- Be responsible creators and consumers of digital content

Safety and Privacy First

- **Monitored Environment:** All activity within HIVE is monitored by teachers and administrators.
 - **Privacy Protection:** Students learn about protecting their personal information online.
 - **Reporting Tools:** Easy-to-use reporting tools allow students to flag inappropriate content or behavior.
- We take your child's safety and privacy **very** seriously. HIVE is designed with multiple layers of protection to ensure a positive and secure online learning experience. We use age-appropriate content and constantly update our safety measures to reflect the latest best practices in digital safety.

Educational Benefits

HIVE enhances your child's education by:

- **Developing Critical Thinking Skills:** Evaluating online sources and identifying misinformation.
- **Promoting Responsible Communication:** Learning to communicate respectfully and effectively online.
- **Encouraging Creativity:** Creating and sharing digital content responsibly.
- **Preparing for the Future:** Equipping students with the skills they need to navigate the digital world safely and successfully.

How You Can Help at Home

- **Talk to your child:** Discuss online safety, privacy, and responsible digital behavior.
- **Set clear expectations:** Establish rules for online usage and screen time.
- **Stay informed:** Learn about the latest digital trends and safety issues.
- **Be a role model:** Demonstrate responsible digital citizenship in your own online activities.

Questions or Concerns?

If you have any questions or concerns about HIVE, please don't hesitate to contact your school administration.