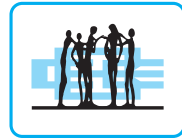


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Re: Wireless Student Network (Open Access)

Dear Parents and Guardians,

A wireless student network (Open Access) for internet access is being provided at Central Memorial High School. Student-owned personal electronic devices such as laptops, netbooks, digital storage devices, and Personal Digital Assistant Devices (PDAs) will be permitted for use on campus. The use of these devices by students, with the guidance of parents and teachers, will assist in addressing individual student preferences and needs for learning. Individual subject teachers will clarify and instruct students on the appropriate use of such devices in their classroom.

Central Memorial High School encourages the use of computing and network resources to enhance the learning environment of the school community. Access to the computing and network environment is to be used in effective, ethical and lawful ways that support the ends of the Calgary Board of Education.

<http://www.cbe.ab.ca/policies/governance.asp#ends>

I am pleased to announce the Open Access is ready to launch at Central Memorial High School some time in mid May. It will be available to students on a voluntary basis. Open Access is governed by Central Memorial High School's Acceptable Use Policy which focuses on student learning and places the responsibility on the students for compliance. Parents/guardians are encouraged to discuss the learning opportunities and the risks with their son or daughter. School Use Policies are located on the school web site www.cbe.ab.ca/b823 through the Information link on the left hand side of the page. Copies of these documents are also available through the main office.

Please Note:

- Responsibility for loss, theft or damage to student PDAs rests solely with the student.
- Tech support will not be available for personal devices such as laptops, netbooks, digital storage devices, and Personal Digital Assistant Devices (PDAs).
- Content filtering that is normally used to filter inappropriate materials on the school's internal network will also be applied to the open access network.
- Students must not bring into the school learning environment – sites, programs, and software in contravention of CMHS Acceptable Use Policy.

Thank you for your attention to this important information. For more information:

Central Memorial High School website www.cbe.ab.ca/b823

CBE website at <http://www.innovativelearning.ca/sec-learntech/webaware-index.asp>

Yours sincerely,

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