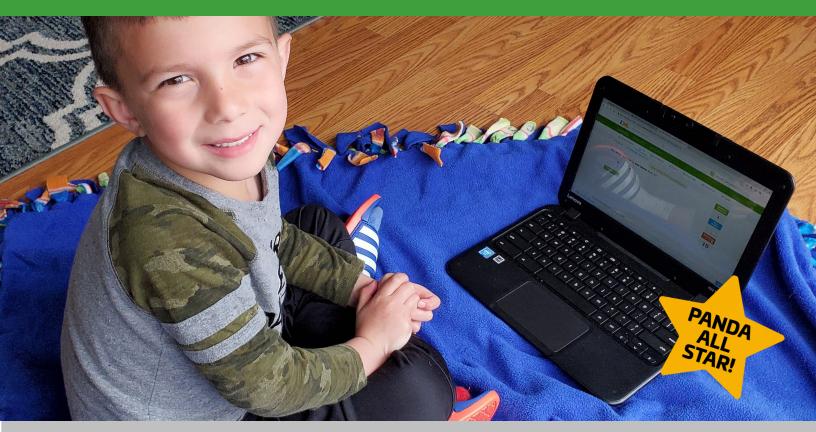


Remote Learner Parent Packet







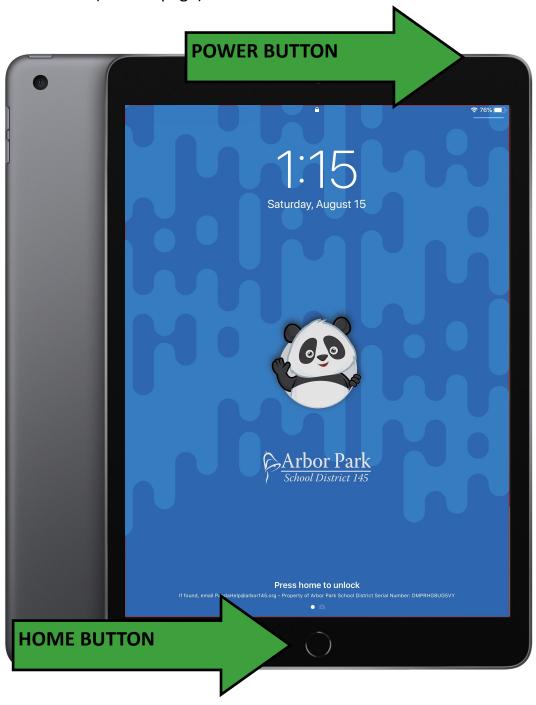


What device will my student have?

All iPads are managed, monitored, and supported by PandaHelp.

Here's a few tips to get you started!

- -There is no code to unlock the iPad
- -Keep the case on the iPad for damage protection.
- -Keep the device clean! (see last page)



MICROSOFT LOGIN INFO

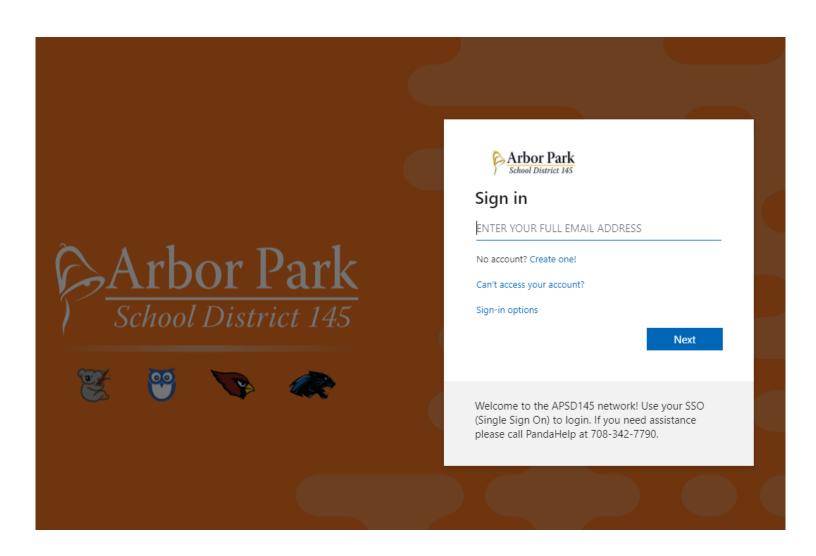
Student Account Microsoft Login Information:

Sign in with Microsoft

Username: FirstName.LastName@student.arbor145.org

Password: Arbor123

*Please note the capital **A** in the password



Does the device have an Internet filter?

Yes! All student-issued devices have a strong, reliable, and industry trusted Internet and content filter.

Arbor Park School District's Information Technology Department (PandaTech) is reminding parents to be vigilant while your kids are online. In these days of YouTubers, influencers, and social media it is important that kids are educated on Internet safety.

We've worked hard to ensure a secure and safe network while providing access to the correct learning resources. Our PandaTech team reviews Internet and Network traffic daily to ensure the correct websites are being visited. All Internet traffic is recorded and monitored by PandaTech on a daily basis.

Our firewall protects our data by blocking malware, viruses, and other negative things that impact schools, businesses, and organizations daily. Our firewall also has a strong content filter that protects our students and staff from a variety of website categories as recommended by CIPA (Children's Internet Protection Act). CIPA was created by the FCC to create guidelines to schools and libraries for Internet Safety. Arbor Park School District 145 is compliant with CIPA and does accept E-Rate funding which allows us to improve our network infrastructure and Internet speeds throughout our district. Our PandaTechTeam has gone above and beyond CIPA recommendations to make sure our kids are safe while on any device (iPad,Chromebook, Laptop, Computer) in our district.

We recommend you continue to sit down with your children and discuss safe Internet practices. In conclusion, we all must work together to ensure our kids have a safe Internet experience whether at home, school, or public places.

There are a variety of handouts and links available with information and safety tips:

Check out these two links to learn more:

https://www.consumer.ftc.gov/articles/pdf-0006-living-life-online 0.pdf https://www.consumer.ftc.gov/sites/default/files/articles/pdf/pdf-0002-heads-up.pdf

To find out more information on the Children's Internet Protection Act (CIPA), please visit:

https://www.fcc.gov/consumers/guides/childrens-internet-protection-act.

What apps we will be using?

There are a variety of apps available on the iPads. Teachers will provide instructions on which app will be used when. All district approved apps and software are listed on our website: https://www.arbor145.org/mc/panda

The following 3 apps are the most important for parents/guardians to know:



Microsoft Teams is a tool that provides video conferencing, assignment posting, and a single spot for teachers to communicate with students. Teachers will be streaming live lessons via Teams. This will provide the best experience for our remote learners. More information on Teams can be found on the next few pages.



ClassLink is an awesome tool that provides a library of applications for our students. ClassLink prevents the hassle of remember usernames and passwords for different applications. It allows a QR code to be scanned giving access to the library of apps. Best of all, it is very easy to use and will be a great resource for teachers and students.

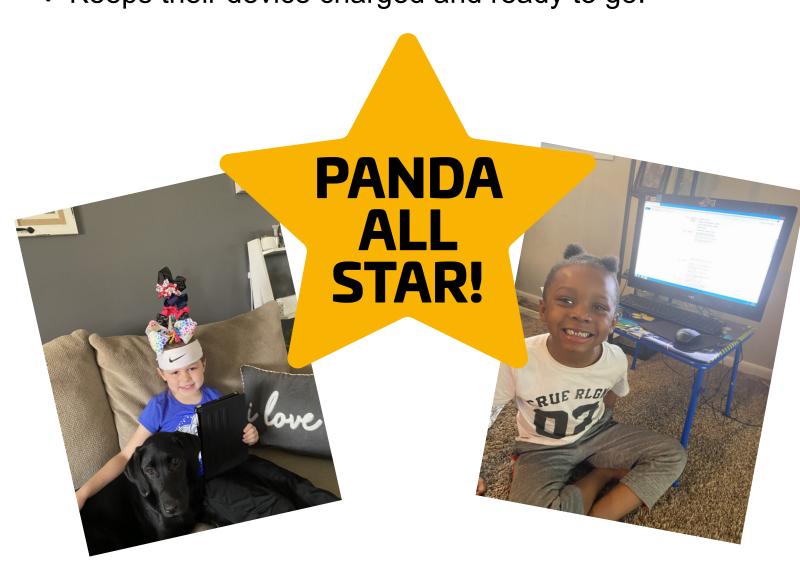


Parent Square is a tool for all Arbor Park parents to use to communicate with Teachers. Teachers can post (similar to Facebook) newsletters, events, and pictures. The most important feature is the one on one messaging system to communicate with parents. Pandas have pushed ParentSquare to student iPads at KHS so parents can utilize this tool. Parents are free to download this app on their own devices since it will be used in all schools.

Parents and Students can be Panda All Stars!

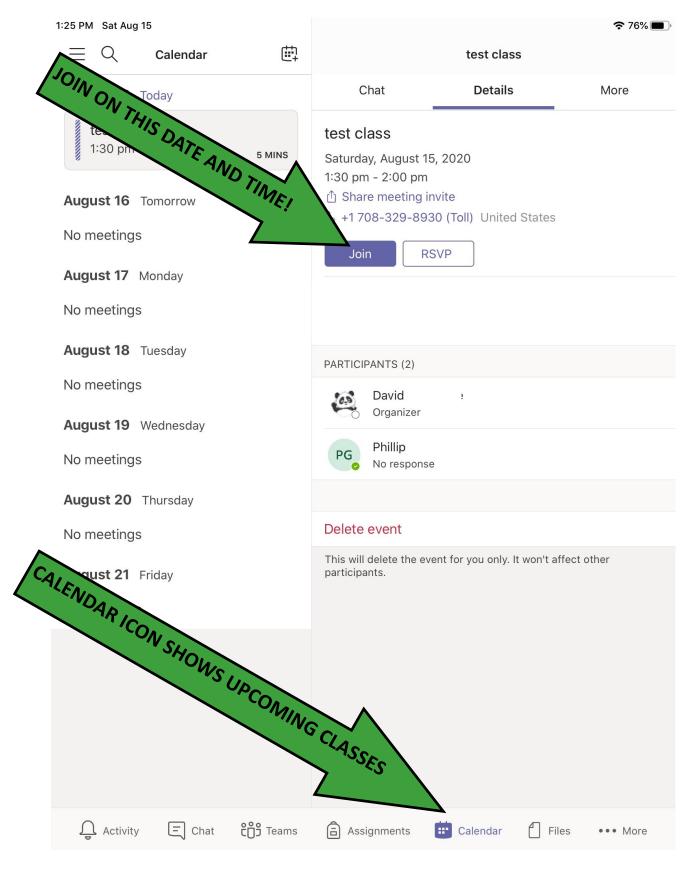
A Panda All Star:

- Checks the calendar on Sunday nights for live session meetings during the week.
- Joins the live classes when scheduled
- Pays attention to the class
- Contributes when possible!
- Keeps their device charged and ready to go!



How to See and Join Live Sessions?

Microsoft Teams—our Virtual Classroom!



Can I contact PandaHelp for tech support?

Yes! But, please reach out to your teacher for any assignment, schedule, or curriculum questions.

Pandas can assist with technical issues only.

Please email pandahelp@arbor145.org or call 708-342-7790

Parents, please be sure to leave your name, or student name, your relation to the student.



Panda QuickSupport App Icon:





Need Tech Support? Contact Panda!

ARBOR PARK PANDAHELP Remember to keep your device clean!

Good Tips from Panda!

What should I clean?

The screen, keyboard, case, charger, and the stylus.

How can I clean the device?

Spend a few minutes using a damp (not wet) rag with anti-bacterial soap OR an anti-bacterial wipe.

How often should I clean the device?

Every day! Clean the device and accessories right before you charge it. It's a good habit to be in!

'Do not submerge the device or accessories.

Water can damage components!

What can I use to clean it?

Anti-bacterial dish soap Anti-bacterial hand soap Clorox Wipes or equivalent



