

Simpson Elementary School's BYOD Overview and Agreement

Overview: **BYOD, Bring Your Own Device**, is a county-wide initiative designed to enhance instructional activities. Students will have the option of bringing their own devices to school in order to have one more tool in the teaching and learning process. Students will be able to access online tools and content through our filtered, safe, and secure wi-fi. BYOD is for instructional purposes only.

- Simpson Elementary School encourages students to take advantage of the school system's BYOD policy, but participation is not required.
- A BYOD (Bring Your Own Device) agreement must be signed before students can use their device at school.
- Students' devices and components should be clearly labeled with the student's first and last name.
- Some devices are better suited for various instructional activities than others. You may want to look at options and limitations based on what your child's class is doing.
- The school is not responsible for personal devices brought to school.

For more information about BYOD, including device operating system requirements, features, and recommendations, check out the resources on the GCPS website. [Click here...](#)

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Simpson ES BYOD – Park It or Pack It Agreement

If your teacher says **PARK IT** - put your device on the corner of the desk right away!

If your teacher says **PACK IT** - put your device in your backpack right away!

- Use your device only when instructed by your teacher.
- Your device and any components you bring to school must be clearly labeled with your first and last name.
- Devices are to be used for instructional purposes **ONLY!**
- Screens should always be visible to the teacher.
- Charge your device at home.
- Take your device home every day.
- Follow the *Park It or Pack It* rule.
- Your device should remain in your backpack when on the bus.
- Do not share your device with others.
- Your device must always be in your backpack or on top of your desk.
- Download apps or other programs only at home.
- Follow the [GCPS Responsible Use Policy](#) at all times.

Student's Name: _____ Teacher: _____

I agree to follow the ***Park It or Pack It*** guidelines if or when I bring a device to school. I understand that BYOD is a privilege. I understand that if I don't follow the guidelines, I will not be allowed to use my device.

Student's Signature: _____

Parent's Signature: _____

Date: _____