

Richmond County Schools PowerUP 1:1 Planning Process -2025-2026

1. Getting Ready for Device Distribution Day

School Administration

- Determine the members of your school's Distribution Team
- Plan your school distribution process
 - (1) Devices in classroom Carts for Elementary & Middle
 - (2) Plan device distribution for High School new & transfer students
- Plan for Parent orientation training
- Review topics and documents with staff
 - (1) Distribution plan
 - (2) PowerUp Handbook
 - (3) Digital Citizenship lessons (Parents and Students)
 - (4) Technology Loan Agreement Form
 - (5) Device Fees and Insurance:
 - * Review the insurance flyer
 - * The Principal, or appointed designee, may impose Or waive student device fine(s)
 - * Device fines are entered in My School Bucks by the school
 - * Device fines are entered in IQ by the Technology Team
- Plan for collection of Loan Agreement Forms – where to store?
- Review below Classroom device usage guidelines
- Link to access PowerUp Documentation
[PowerUp Process Resources](#)

Teachers

- BEFORE devices are distributed, the Device Loan Agreement must be signed by the Parent/Guardian
- BEFORE devices are distributed, use Canvas Commons to teach Digital Citizenship lessons
- BEFORE devices are distributed, Share Device care information with students
- Elementary teachers distribute devices from the classroom cart by recording each student's name next to the laptop serial number on the IQ Device Check-In Form. The School Technician will assist, collect the forms, and update the IQ inventory system
- High School Teachers coordinate with your School technician to assist with the distribution of New incoming students
- If a student does not have a device or the device is not working, please let the Media Specialist or School Technician know
- Review Tutorial to create and use ClassLink Quick Card QR Password code for student login
[Quickcard Tutorial .mp4](#)
- Review below Classroom device usage guidelines
- If device service or student help is needed, Submit an Incident IQ support request via
[Click here to open an Incident IQ ticket](#)

2. Classroom Device Usage Guidelines

• Day User Guidelines

- (1) cannot take a device home due to one of the following reasons:
 - a) The parent submitted a signed Technology loaner agreement indicating the student is a Day User
 - b) The student has not returned a signed Technology loan agreement
 - c) The student violated the RCBOE Technology Loan Agreement or the RCSS's Acceptable Use Policy
- (2) Elementary and Middle school Day Users should have a device checked out to them in Incident IQ from their homeroom. Devices must be returned to the homeroom cart at the end of each school day
- (3) High school Day Users should have a device checked out to them in Incident IQ from the Media Center. Devices must be returned to the Media Center at the end of each school day

Note: Student devices stored in carts for testing or loaners are marked with a yellow Richmond County label

• Devices in Carts

- (1) After distribution, devices remaining in the classroom cart are used by students designated as Day Users
- (2) At the end of the day, verify that Day Users' devices are returned to the cart
- (3) To avoid damage to the cart's adapter cables, teachers should assist students with plugging in and unplugging devices

• Testing days

- (1) Students must use RCSS devices for testing
- (2) Students may not use personal phones or mobile devices for testing
- (3) Students' RCSS devices must connect to RCSSAir or RCSS121 Wi-Fi during class time and testing, not the BYOTrcss Wi-Fi