

Expectations for Parents for Online Learning



Model Hard Work and Persistence



- Online learning removes many systems of accountability found in a traditional classroom
 - Achieving the same level of success will take a higher level of motivation
- Parents and other caregivers can make a huge difference by demonstrating the importance of these skills:
 - Time-management
 - Self-pacing
 - Independent learning



Set Up a Designated Workspace



- The right workspace makes a huge difference
 - And effective environment is important
- Start by thinking about your child's personality and needs
 - How can you tailor their workspace to ensure comfort and maximize productivity?
- Does your child thrive in quieter areas?
 - A desk and comfortable chair in a room will work best
- Does your child need more interaction?
 - A desk/table in the living room or kitchen may be a better option
- Be sure your child has access to supplies and materials
 - Good headphones
 - Computer mouse
 - Notebook paper
 - Pens
 - Other office basics



Get to Know the Online Platforms



Get to Know the Online Platforms Videos Provided by MAC185 Technology

How Students Login to Clever:

https://youtu.be/a0rn_2uLICw



Getting Started in Microsoft Teams:

<https://youtu.be/o4tvNMhmAG4>



How to use Skyward:

<https://youtu.be/n90fKd3XeCA>



Communicate With Teachers

- Just because students are working remotely, doesn't mean they are learning independently! Teachers still play a critical role in the e-learning facilitation!
- Parents must know teacher expectations & help encourage/enforce those expectations at home!
- Don't forget to ask questions or call teachers whenever possible!
- Share your student's success with us too - We want to know what's working!
- Macomb High School Staff Directory:

<https://www.macomb185.org/Directory.aspx?DID=18>



Ensure that Your Student(s) are completing their Best Work



- Make sure the student does their own work!
 - Students won't learn if they don't think for themselves & make their own mistakes. Parents should make suggestions; but it is a student's job to do the learning!
- Remember to monitor your student's internet usage, and that they are completing the work, not just finding answers online!



- Teachers want to see honest attempts from All students!