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Parents of children who are new to Edgewater's iPad Project

Welcome!

You are asked to attend one of 2 mandatory iPad and Google Apps for Education **set-up sessions on Thursday, August 29th**. All parents must attend the session, **even if their child is borrowing a school iPad**. There will be an afternoon and an evening session to choose from: the first at 3:30pm and the second at 6pm. Please go to <http://bit.ly/iPadSetUp> to indicate which session you will attend. **Without these initial set-up tools, students will not be able to use their iPads in class!** Please note, that whether you are using a borrowed iPad from the school or have your own, we need you there!

At these sessions you will be provided with redemption codes for paid Apps, an LBPSB student Google Account and you will receive instructions on restriction settings. Teachers, LBPSB consultants and technicians will be on-site for guidance, assistance and to answer all of your pertinent technical questions. The set-up can take up to 2 hours if not properly set up prior to the parent session. In the past, parents who followed the instructions below were done in less than an hour.

Please do the following prior to the Aug. 29th session.

1. Set up your iPad with a new Apple ID (or using family sharing- please see note)
2. Download the free Apps listed on the attached page
3. Have your iPad fully charged

The iPads will remain at your home until *after* the parent set-up sessions are completed. For the set-up sessions to run quickly and efficiently:

- The attending adult must know the Apple ID and password (students should NOT know the password).
- Your iPad must be completely charged before you arrive.
- Your iPad needs to have been configured with the Free Apps listed.

We have included the configuration process below:

Setting up a new iPad:

1. Fully charge the iPad.
2. Turn on your device. You'll see "Hello" in different languages. Slide from left to right anywhere on this screen.
3. Select language (English or French).
4. Select Canada.
5. Choose a Wi-Fi Network. Enter WiFi password.

