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Dear Parents and Carers



Tadcaster Grammar School

Tadcaster Grammar School – Chromebooks for Learning Scheme

Many thanks for your patience, as we await delivery of the chromebooks ordered over the summer. I have been speaking to our technology partner Freedomtech on a regular basis, and have been informed that the devices are currently being prepared for dispatch and should be with us shortly.

For any parents who were unaware or unable to participate in the scheme before the summer break,, we will be opening a 'catch up' portal on our website <u>HERE</u> which is a second opportunity to order a chromebook. The details are as follows:

Portal Opens: Monday 13th September **Portal Closes:** Sunday 10th October

First DD: 25th October **Delivery:** mid November

Username: Y7Tad2021 **Password:** S3cure02!

Those parents who will be providing their own device will need to indicate that they require a 'Google Education Licence' using the form on the school website. HERE, and payment for this can be made through 'Parent Pay'. Students will then need to bring their chromebook to the ICT team in room M22 to have the licence applied to their device.

Can I take this opportunity to ask you to discuss with your child the care and attention that needs to be taken with their chromebook whilst carrying it to and from school, and also when moving around school. Whilst there is an insurance cover in place for the device, we have limited loan devices for students should their own need repair, and we do not want to find ourselves in a situation where we do not have enough devices for this purpose.

Please visit the *Chromebooks for Learning* page on the school website under the 'Parents' tab <u>HERE</u> which contains further information regarding the scheme.

If you have any concerns or questions not addressed on the web page, please contact: chromebooks@tgs.starmat.uk.

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