

Dear Parents and Guardians,

As part of our ongoing effort to grow and expand our technology program, we are excited to announce that the district is piloting a new tool to help parents and guardians manage their child(ren)'s school-issued iPad at home. Our iPad management system now provides parents with the ability to download an app called ScreenGuide on a personally-owned iPhone or Android phone to manage the school device outside of school hours.

During the allocated time periods, ScreenGuide will allow parents to: disable the device, set screen time limits, apply restrictions (such as disabling the camera or web browser), lock the iPad into a specific app, and apply web filtering.

On weekdays, parents will be able to use ScreenGuide between the hours of 4:00 p.m. and 6:30 a.m. On weekends and days when schools are closed, parents will have 24-hour control over the school device.

To set up ScreenGuide, you will first need to download the ScreenGuide app on your phone.

[Click here to download ScreenGuide for iOS.](#)

[Click here to download ScreenGuide for Android.](#)

Directions for connecting the app to your child(ren)'s device(s) and using the management features are linked below and attached.

[Click here for directions on setting up and using ScreenGuide](#)

We are confident that this new tool will provide parents with a better option for managing the school-issued iPad at home.

If you have any technical questions or need assistance with the setup process, please contact the technology staff in your child's school or email parentsupport@greatneck.k12.ny.us.

If you have any questions or concerns about ScreenGuide, please let me know.

Thanks,
Justin