MORNING ANNOUNCEMENT- GROWTH MINDSET SEPTEMBER 30, 2021

GOOD MORNING, STEAM @ TOPE FAMILY! Take a deep breath in and let it out and settle in for a minute. Tomorrow is the first day of OCTOBER and we will be learning about what it means to be a HERO.

We are going to take a quick break from our regular morning announcement and focus on adding some SOPs and expectations surrounding technology. We are a STEAM school and we are truly blessed with the amount of technology that we have. Last night, I was talking with my husband and he said that they have ONE AQUOS BOARD in Palisade High School--- ONE! They do not each access their own personal Chromebook and they especially do not have robots.

We want you all to experience the T in technology. We want you to access new learning in the best possible way! We have invested time and money into this. Now, we need you to honor your RUA (Responsible User Agreement) that you or your parents all signed at the beginning of the year.

Today, as a class you are going to review what the RUA states and also watch a video about what a digital footprint is. A digital footprint is created every time you swipe a key on the keyboard, it is any information or data that you leave behind about you.

Many of you know that your browser collects your history of sites that you visit and access. Some of you know how to erase that browsing history. What I need you to understand is that even your erased browsing history is accessible by me and/or the district. Make good choices and be a HERO when using your technology privilege.

As you walk down your path to awesome, know that you are gifted with accessing technology. Please also know that failure to honor the reasons that you are gifted with technology will result in losing this gift.

TOPE VOCAB-

digital footprint

Video-

□ Digital Footprint Video | Common Sense Media

Activity-

Take a moment to Write out a class commitment to responsible use agreement for technology.

Please review the consequences of not following the RUA- Think Sheet, Major Incident Referral, Loss of Chromebook for an assigned amount of time, loss of Chromebook for an entire year

I will put a RUA in your box to review with students.

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