

Laptops Ready for Students to Take Home!!!

The staff of AMS is pleased to announce that we are now ready for students to begin taking their laptop computers home! This has been a long process, given our responsibility to the State of Maine and to the taxpayers of Auburn, to create a procedure that allows for fair access for all AMS students while at the same time providing safeguards for these expensive computers. We believe that we have created procedures that are equitable, easy to implement and to maintain. Of course, as issues arise we will adapt as needed.

In order for students to take their laptop home parents must first attend a family laptop orientation session designed to familiarize them with the laptops, the policies and procedures governing laptop use and to indicate their agreement in writing. Parent/Guardian attendance at one of these sessions is mandatory and is non-negotiable. We have initially scheduled four sessions on different days and at different times of the day in order to accommodate as many schedules as possible. If none of these sessions fits your schedule, please indicate below what days or times would be best and we will try to schedule additional sessions.

First, indicate which session you will attend (sessions will last approximately one hour).

- Wednesday, Dec. 6 7:30 AM
 Saturday, Dec. 9 9:00 AM
 Tuesday, Dec. 12 7:00 PM
 Thursday, Dec. 14 2:30 PM

Second, will your AMS student be attending with you? This is a good idea so they can act as your “tour guide” so you will be able to use the computer that will be coming to your home and you’ll need their password!

- Yes
 No

Next, do you have access to the Internet from home?

- Yes
 No

If you do not have Internet access we have information that will allow you to have free or low-cost dial-up access made available through the Maine Learning Technology Foundation and GWI (Great Works Internet).

If you have a dial-up connection please bring the phone number used to connect and other account information so we can help you set up the laptop for the Internet.

Parent/GuardianName _____ Phone number where you can be reached in case we need to cancel _____

Student’s Name _____ Room number where the laptop is stored _____

If none of these sessions works for you, when would be best? _____



This form can be submitted directly from the AMS website: <http://ams.auburnschl.edu> by clicking on the Laptop Info link on the left side of the screen.

Contact Carl Bucciantini 784-1356 or carlb@auburnschl.edu with questions.