

# CHOICE DISTANCE LEARNING INFORMATION

## What type of laptop or tablet does my child need?

Your child will need access to a laptop, desktop, or Chromebook with full browser capabilities. This includes access to Firefox or Google Chrome.

**Unfortunately, we have discovered that Ipads may not be compatible with some apps. To check to see if you have a compatible device, please visit the Parent Technology Resource Sheet on our website.**

Murfreesboro City Schools uses a Google Chromebook 3100 Education with 16 GB.

Chromebook minimum specifications:

Processor: Intel Celeron N4020 (Dual Core, up to 2.8GHz, 4M Cache, 6W) 1  
USB Type-C, 1 USB 3.1

Display: 11.6" HD (1366 x 768) Anti-Glare Non-Touch, Camera & Microphone,  
WLAN Capable

Memory: 4GB 2400MHz LPDDR4 Non-ECC

Hard Drive (Storage): 16GB eMMC Hard Drive

## Will MCS be providing a laptop for my child?

MCS does not currently have the technology resources to provide every student with a laptop. We ask parents who choose Choice Distance Learning and have access to a laptop or desktop to please provide a device for your child. However, a set number of computers will be loaned to students until our resources are depleted. Laptops will be loaned with the following priorities:

- 1st priority - Students with current Individual Health Plans (IHPs) with qualifying medical conditions such as Cystic Fibrosis and asthma.
- 2nd priority - Students who qualify for Direct Certification of Resources through State (WIC, SNAP, etc.)
- 3rd priority - Students who qualify for free and reduced meals.
- 4th priority - If there are remaining Chromebooks available after the first three priorities are fulfilled, a lottery will be held for the remaining laptops.

# **Parent Technology Resources Home Access Sheet**

Please check the system requirements & update your device's operating system before downloading any of the apps or accessing any of the sites below for best performance.

1. Clever

<https://apps.apple.com/us/app/clever-instant-login/id1134186971>

2. Lexia Core5

<https://apps.apple.com/us/app/lexia-core5-reading/id623853404>

[\\*check official system requirements here](#)

3. iReady

<https://apps.apple.com/us/app/i-ready-for-students/id1155613065>

[\\*check official system requirements here](#)

4. Zoom

Teacher will send a specific invite link per session via Clever or Google Classroom, etc.

[\\*check official system requirements here](#)

5. Google Classroom

<https://apps.apple.com/us/app/google-classroom/id924620788>

For Android Users, please use the Clever site to sign-in and download the specific app(if needed) for your device:

[Clever Website](#)

## **How does my child sign-in?**

Use Clever to access Lexia and iReady:

1. Request a Clever badge(QR code) from your child's teacher.
2. Use the student id and first name, all lowercase Ex.  
398759 john

Zoom: via Teacher sent link

## **Accessing my child's online accounts:**

1. Google and Google Classroom  
Any Google sign in site: [Google](#)  
student [id@cityschools.net](#)  
Student1

**Additional details will be sent later this week.**