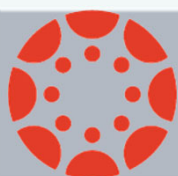# Parent Guide to Technology at Manasquan Schools

The Manasquan School District is committed to the effective use of technology to support student achievement. This guide is to assist you in learning about our commonly used programs and sites.

Canvas
Grades 6-12

Our cloud-based Learning Management System for digital classrooms

How is Canvas used in the classroom?

- Students have 24/7 access to course materials, such as lessons, worksheets, videos, online tools, and websites.
- Teachers can create assignments, discussions, and quizzes that student submit online.
- The unified calendar, class announcements, and text notifications help students keep track of work and events.

Parents: Canvas is for you too!

The *Canvas Observer Role* allows you to connect to your student's account in order to be able to see what is going on in their courses.

To register for an Observer Role, view our *Parent Quick Start Guide,* which can be found at www.manasquanschools.org/canvas.

Microsoft Office 365
Grades Pre K-12

Manasquan's online platform for student email, file management, Office resources. This includes:

Outlook: Student email manager
Email Address: StudentID@manasquan.k12.nj.us
Student accounts are not able to send/receive emails out of district.

OneDrive: Cloud file storage. Students may save, share, and sync Office files and access them across all their devices.

Office Programs: Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Publisher, and more!

OneNote: Create notebooks online that can be accessed across devices. Type and/or handwrite notes, sketch diagrams, include videos/pictures/links.

Learning Tools: Free tools that implement proven techniques to assist all learners, regardless of age and ability.

Teams: Video conferencing tool that allows teachers to host virtual meetings with classes.

Our school district's online student information system.

Student Accounts: **students.manasquanboe.org**

Students have their own Genesis Student Access accounts, which are set up as soon as they are registered as a student in the district.

The student login ID is the same as the school email address (StudentID@manasquan.k12.nj.us).

Parent Accounts: **parents.manasquanboe.org**

Genesis Parent Portal allows us to provide you with a safe and secure way to view academic information about your children.

If you do not already have a Parent Portal account, you will need to complete a Parent Access Form, available at parents.manasquanboe.org. Please contact the guidance office by calling 732-528-8810 x1010 with any questions.

What can be viewed/accessed in Genesis?

Student schedule · Daily Attendance · Class Attendance · Discipline Information · Class Assignments · Gradebook Grades · Marking Period, Exam, and Final Grades · Report Cards · Student Fine Information · *Parents Only: Access Online Forms (such as Emergency Cards and Sports Applications)*

Additional Programs

The following technology is also utilized by our school district.

SCOIR   Grades 9-12

A web-based college planning system, which allows for students to search for colleges that match their personal and academic interests. Once ready, students may begin their college application process here, organizing all of their documents and requesting letters of recommendation.

Honeywell   Grades Pre K-12

Receive important announcements from the school district via the medium of your choice.

Phone, text, email.

Stay up-to-date on what's happening!

Visit instantalert.honeywell.com