

Use technologies

Suggestions for using technology to support communication and information sharing.

- ✓ Leave computers on at the end of the day and invite parents and whānau to view students' digital work.
- ✓ Find out the types of technology that parents and whānau use and offer to share in those mediums.
- ✓ Consider using multiple channels, such as mobile devices, email, instant messaging services, social media, and the school website, to connect with parents and whānau.
- ✓ Provide deliberate support or training to show parents and whānau how they can engage with students' work, both face-to-face and through technology.
- ✓ Create and promote online spaces such as blogs that invite parent and whānau participation and feedback.
- ✓ Establish a site or portal for parents and whānau to access and contribute to student learning.
- ✓ Design e-portfolios to inform future steps in learning.

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