

Dear Parent or Guardian:

Mother of Our Redeemer is continuing our iPad initiative for the 2023-2024 school year. The vision of our school is to become an Apple Distinguished school. Every student in grades 4th-8th will receive a school-owned iPad to use for school-related tasks. Personal iPads will not be allowed in school for school-related work. Our new initiative aims to continue achieving the following:

Goals for the new iPad Initiative

1. School managed iPads will lead to less involvement from parents. (Phone calls, etc.)
2. A convenient Apple educational package only offered to schools.
3. With the introduction the iPad program, and in keeping up with the most up to date technology, we will now collect an additional \$150 per year, per students, in grades 4th through 8th, through FACTS in 10 months installments commencing in August 2023.
4. Allows for a seamless transition at the beginning of school.
5. A school-managed safe platform.
6. Separation of personal email/Apple ID and school email/Apple ID.
7. Enhanced learning for all students.
8. Minimal interruption in learning (in-house troubleshooting and tech support)
9. Allows for students to remain engaged and focused.
10. Allows MOR to implement the most current technology for individualized instruction. iPads will be updated every three years to ensure students utilize the most updated technology.
11. Provides equal opportunities for technology use for all students. (All students will have the same 9th generation iPad.)
12. Promote collaboration and increase student engagement.

Parents/Guardians and students will attend a distribution meeting tentatively scheduled for August 10, to receive your iPad and iPad case. Exact times will be forthcoming. This distribution meeting is crucial in order to make sure that students are prepared to take ownership of an iPad and successfully begin using it in classes on the first day of school.

Join us in this very worthy endeavor as we continue to find the best ways to expose your children to one of the best types of learning available. We look forward to seeing each of you in August, in the Compared Center, as we begin a new chapter in teaching and learning at MOR.

Should you have any questions, please contact Mr. Paolercio at jpaolercio@moorsch.org.