



**Canyons School District
Elementary Tech Club
Application Form - Sprucewood Elementary**

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The Canyons School District Education Technology Department is excited to announce the start of our new Elementary Tech Clubs! This year tech clubs will be held at Brookwood, Copperview, Draper, Midvale, Quail Hollow, Sandy, Sprucewood, and Sunrise elementaries. The purpose of our tech clubs is to provide a fun, engaging environment for students to learn STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Math) skills. For more information, please visit our tech club website: <http://techclub.canyonsdistrict.org/>

Students in grades four and five are invited to apply to participate in their school's tech club. Students must submit the attached application form to the front office or via email no later than **3:30 pm, Friday, November 21, 2014.**

Tech Club Information:

- See the Behavior Expectations below for specific school procedures and expectations.
- Tech Club will occur on **Wednesday mornings from 7:40 to 8:40.**
- Students will be notified of their acceptance into the tech club by November 25.
- The first club meeting will be **December 3.**
- Tech Club will run **every Wednesday** unless students are otherwise notified.
- In order to apply for Tech Club students must:
 - Be a 4th or 5th grade student at Sprucewood Elementary.
 - Submit a 1-2 paragraph essay stating why you (the student) would like to join Tech Club.
 - Agree to follow and honor the behavior expectations outlined by your school's tech club.
- More information can be found at techclub.canyonsdistrict.org or by emailing Katie Blunt (Sprucewood's Ed Tech Specialist) at kathryn.blunt@canyonsdistrict.org.

Sprucewood Tech Club Expectations:

In order to provide a safe environment for students to learn, explore, and work, behavior expectations must be met. Students should behave in a way that comports with the behavior expectations and guidelines of the school. If student behavior in Tech Club is not deemed safe, responsible, and respectful, a student may be asked to leave and lose the privilege of participation in Tech Club.

Consistent participation is also a must for success in Tech Club. Students who miss more than two sessions in an 8 week period will relinquish their spot to a student on the waiting list. Students are responsible for their own transportation to Tech Club. Students are expected to arrive on time.

Students will have the opportunity to work with a variety of technology tools at Tech Club. Students are expected to treat these tools with caution and care. We understand that accidents happen from time to time, however if technology tools are damaged on purpose or due to student misbehavior, students will relinquish their spot in Tech Club to a student on the waiting list and may be asked to help replace damaged equipment.

Please complete and submit the application form on page two of this document.



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School: Sprucewood Elementary School

Grade: _____

Student Name:

Student Phone Number:

Parent Name:

Parent Phone Number:

Parent Email Address:

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Parent Email Address:

Parent Permission

I agree to allow my child to participate in the Sprucewood Tech Club. I have read and understand the Sprucewood Tech Club Expectations explained on page 1 of this application.

Parent Name: _____ Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

Teacher Recommendation

I recommend _____ for participation in the Sprucewood Tech Club and verify that he/she will be able to follow the Sprucewood Tech Club Expectations outlined on page 1 of this application.

Teacher Name: _____ Teacher Signature: _____ Date: _____

Student Agreement

If I am accepted into the Sprucewood Tech Club, I agree to follow the Sprucewood Tech Club Expectations explained on page 1 of this application.

Student Name: _____ Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

Student Essay:

In one or two paragraphs, please explain why you (the student) would like to join the Sprucewood Tech Club.