



Technology at Zion Lutheran School

Preparing our students to be 21st Century Learners...

RESOURCES

WORLDBOOK ONLINE

www.worldbookonline.com is our online subscription to primary source documents and e-books fully integrated with encyclopedia content plus timelines, citation builder and saved research (home access: LOGIN ID: zionhome / PASSWORD: zionhome)

GRADELINK www.gradelink.com Online grading system - student logon credentials will be distributed by your homeroom teacher. Be sure to set-up your email alerts!

EASYTECH www.learning.com
We use EasyTech's curriculum to help introduce more advanced computing skills and give in-depth instruction on computing skills using MS Office applications.

ROSETTA STONE
www.rosettastone.com/schools
New this year, we have the unique opportunity to provide the world's number one language learning program to our students (K-8).

AFTER SCHOOL COMPUTER LAB
Every Wednesday from 3:00-4:00 P.M.

TURN-IT-IN www.turnitin.com Will be utilized in Mrs. Fischer's writing classes to deliver rich feedback on student work, automate peer reviews & check for potential plagiarism.

Middle School Technology Highlights

What is 21st Century Learning? "Twenty-first-century learning involves enabling today's students to be academically competitive in global situations; good citizens within their community, country, and world; and effective within their workplace. It means that education must engage new technologies, equip students with rigorous academic coursework, and foster innovation and creativity." (pearsonschool.com)

Questions, please contact Pam Thomas, IT Coordinator/Computer Teacher at pthomas@zlcs.org ☺

Students need to return a signed INTERNET USE POLICY form to use a campus computer – forms will be distributed 1st week of school

At Zion Lutheran School, we strive to provide your child with the skills they need to succeed in the 21st Century.

Middle School Focus Skills

- Computer fundamentals
- Keyboarding proficiency
- Online safety & research
- Word processing
- Spreadsheets/charting
- Working with graphics/photos
- Desktop publishing, presentation software, multimedia/databases
- Web browsing, communicating online & basic HTML
- Cross curricular projects in writing, science labs, & social studies
- 6th Grade-"Cross of Jesus" video
- 7th Grade-Published botany book
- 8th Grade-Animation

"For I know the plans I have for you," declares the LORD, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future." Jeremiah 29:11