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One to One at Charlotte Upper Elementary

There have been a lot of exciting changes at Charlotte Upper Elementary this year. One of those things is that we transitioned from having an iPad for every student to providing every child a chromebook to use in the classroom. At first, some people were very hesitant about this change, because it felt like a move away from tablets and the ease of an iPad. However, there are many



benefits from this change that we have already discovered since the beginning of this year. Some of the benefits of the switch to the chromebook: it is very similar to a tablet, it's portable like a laptop, and it has a keyboard that allows for easier writing for our students.

In every classroom the teachers are using different Google features to enhance their teaching. The teachers and students have really enjoyed using Google documents to practice their writing. The students have begun sharing their writing with each other to help practice editing and publishing their work. Also, the chromebooks have allowed the students to practice their math and reading at school and at home without having to worry about forgetting their homework.

This past Friday, we celebrated Halloween at the CUE with students wearing orange and black and different activities throughout the day. The teachers surprised their students by all dressing alike. They are so excited about the opportunities with the chromebooks that they all dressed up as Google docs to express their enthusiasm.

