Utilizing Technology for School

Why Use Technology?
- Integrating the use of technology in your studies makes studying and collaborating with others much easier and more streamlined
- It enables you to stay connected and check your grades, assignments, or announcements right from your phone

Apps (iOS):
- *Microsoft Office* (Word, PowerPoint)
  - o Having Microsoft Office on your phone will make it so that you can easily review assignments or open documents on the go
- *Google Apps* (Google Calendar, Google Drive, Google Docs, Google Slides)
  - o Perfect for group work and personal organization/time management
- *Reminders*
  - o Having reminders (especially with timers and alarms) will help keep you on task!
- *Gmail* (for your Ryerson emails)
  - o Having the Gmail app will help you receive all important Ryerson-related emails much easier
- *Ryerson App*
  - o The Ryerson App is essential to anyone who wants to stay updated with everything Ryerson
  - o You can book a study room in the library or SLC from it, check D2L Brightspace, your grades, operating hours of buildings on campus, and more!
- *Evernote*
  - o This is an app for taking notes that can sync with all your devices
  - o You can take notes on your computer, and have them sync over the cloud to your phone/tablet for quick reference

Apps (Personal Computer):
- *Microsoft Office*
  - o You can get it free from Ryerson (google Ryerson CCS software)!
- *Evernote*
  - o For taking notes if you don't like using Word or taking notes by hand
  - o Evernote also sells journals that you can write in and then scan to translate into typed notes
- *iTunes University*
  - o Helpful for getting textbooks at a lower price
- *Quizlet*
  - o Quizlet allows you to make custom quizzes to study material; it also provides pre-made quizzes by other people!