

Pickerington Local School District

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Technology Protection Plan for Grades K-12

Please read this entire document to determine if this plan is needed for you and your child's protection against the cost of damage to the loaned device (Chromebook or iPad) in your care. This plan is available for all students grades K-12 for the 2021-2022 school year

Coverage and Benefit

This annual agreement covers the Chromebook or iPad ("device") loaned to the student against any accidental damage and/or repair costs. This agreement costs \$40 per device per school year for a total of \$400 worth of repairs, replacement and/or labor costs. Any costs above and beyond \$400 will be the responsibility of the parents/guardians/student. The charger is covered if damaged, but not covered if lost. Coverage is 24 hours per day. **Damage(s) due to intentional, reckless, willful, wanton and/or malicious conduct is not covered.** Lost devices will not be covered by the technology protection plan. Stolen devices will be covered by the technology protection plan as long as the parent/guardian submits to PLSD a filed police report for the stolen device. The Technology Protection Plan will cover damage and repairs for loaner devices, but will count towards the total allowed for the TPP.

Effective Date and Expiration

Coverage is effective from the date this technology protection plan is purchased through Infinite Campus. Subject to immediate termination for the failure to timely pay the premium, the coverage shall end on the date that the device is required to be returned to the school, **whether or not that device is returned to the school by that date.** This is an annual plan.

Premium & How to Purchase the Technology Protection Plan

The premium cost is \$40 for the 2021-22 school year, for this OPTIONAL coverage, and the premium will not be prorated. This premium will be added to your child's account at the start of the school year. **Payment is due by September 24, 2021 for the plan to be in effect.** Coverage will be removed for those students whose parents/guardians do not pay this premium by September 24, 2021. Payment may be made via the Infinite Campus Parent Portal, or at your child's school.

The Technology Protection Plan is non-refundable. Administration, in its sole discretion, will determine if damages were due to intentional, reckless, willful, wanton and/or malicious conduct (*please see PLSD Technology website for more specific information*). This is an annual plan, previously purchased PLSD Technology Protection Plans will NOT cover the new school year. **The Technology Protection Plan is not subject to waiver for free and reduced students as it is totally an OPTIONAL fee; students/parents are NOT required to have this coverage.**

Reminder this is an annual plan and does NOT extend from one school year to the next.

Student Enrolling After the Start of the School Year: Purchasing the TPP

If you are new to the District after September 24, 2021, log in your Infinite Campus Parent Portal and under the fees section, there is an optional purchase, Technology Protection Plan. Purchase and pay for the plan for it to be active. Reminder this is an annual plan and does NOT extend from one school year to the next.

If the Technology Protection Plan is NOT Purchased

All damages and replacement parts will be charged at the current market rate with a labor fine of \$15-\$50 determined by the repair. Damage fine without the Technology Protection Plan will range between \$15 – \$300. If the cost of the damage exceeds \$300, then a new device will be issued at the cost of \$300. All damage, replacement parts and labor costs will be applied through the parent portal in Infinite Campus. Additionally, when a student is provided a loaner device all of the regulations apply for proper care of loaner devices, any damage to the loaner device will be the responsibility of the parent/guardian/student.

If Your Device is Damaged (if you have the Technology Protection Plan or Not)

Take your device to the Media Center and inform the Media Center Specialist/Aide what the issue is with the device. A loaner device will be supplied during the time in which your issued device is being repaired. Loaner devices are only available to students that have submitted a damaged device to the Media Center.

Any questions or concerns about fines should be addressed by calling (614) 834-2109.