

Chromebook/Macbook Computer Acceptance Form - 2023-2024:

I understand that the Chromebook/Macbook computer and related equipment I am being issued is the property of the Springville School District. I agree to all of the terms and conditions of the Springville Chromebook/Macbook Policy and the Springville policy on appropriate use of the computers, computer network systems, and the internet. I will return the Chromebook/Macbook computer and any related equipment I am issued in the same condition in which I received it. Failure to abide by the acceptable use policy could result in loss of privileges or further disciplinary measures deemed appropriate by the administration.

In signing this agreement I/we agree to allow my/our son/daughter to be issued a Chromebook/Macbook for use at school. We agree to pay for any costs associated with damage to the device in accordance with this policy. We also agree to let our son/daughter take the Chromebook/Macbook out of school unless we have arranged to have the Chromebook/Macbook stay at school through communication with the school.

7th-12th grade students getting a Macbook: In signing this agreement, I/we agree that we will be responsible for up to \$200 per incident to repair a Macbook for any issue that is deemed to be beyond manufacturer defect. The list of fees is on page 2 of this document and in the full acceptable use handbook. For further information about this policy, please refer to the full acceptable use handbook that can be found at www.springville.k12.ia.us.

Student's printed name: _____ Grade: _____

Student signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

Only fill out for students in grades 3-6 - Chromebook Protection Coverage

The optional fee for the 2023-2024 school year is \$50 per student or maximum of \$90 per family for Chromebooks (Please see handbook for information regarding Macbooks). Paying this fee covers loss due to fire, flood, natural disasters, vandalism, power surges, and accidental damages, and does not remove any obligations stated in the loan agreement. This fee is non-refundable regardless of leaving the district, disciplinary reasons, early graduation, etc. that would cause a student to no longer have a Chromebook.

___ I agree to pay \$50 per year (\$90 max per family) for coverage of the Chromebook to cover loss due to fire, flood, natural disasters, vandalism, power surges, and accidental damages and understand this fee does not cover willful neglect or misuse that causes damage.

___ I am declining to pay the \$50 per year (\$90 max per family) coverage fee. By declining, I acknowledge that any damage outside of typical manufacturer defects will be my responsibility and I will be billed and pay for those damages.

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

Macbook Fee Structure - Grades 7-12 - 2023-24

Below are the fees that will be charged based on the damage that occurs to the Apple Macbooks. The cap for accidental repair will be \$200. Depending on the situation, the \$200 cost is considerably less than the actual cost to repair the issue. Fees for repair will be charged for all instances with the exception of manufacturer defects. Generally, manufacturer defects are internal parts that fail to continue working properly without the influence of the user.

The following are examples of possible manufacturer defects that we have seen while being a 1:1 school (assume all issues are not the result of user error such as water damage, heat, cold, etc.): Battery no longer holding a charge, screen fails to turn on without signs of having any cracks, a specific keyboard key no longer works, a charger without any damage doesn't charge a device, etc.

The following examples are typically not considered manufacturer defects and will incur a charge to the individual who the device has been assigned to regardless of the incident being purposeful or accidental: broken/cracked screens, water damage, bent device casing, damaged cords, damaged device ports, any lost items.

Both lists are not exhaustive and each incident will be examined by the district technology director and determination made on the damage and costs associated. Additionally, any lost item or any destruction of the device due to negligence or willful acts is exempt from the \$200 cap and must be fully paid for.

Here are some suggestions to possibly avoid damaging your device:

- Use the school-provided computer bag that provides extra padding
- Don't carry your device with the display open - close the device and put in the bag while traveling
- Do not stack items on your computer to reduce risk of screen damage
- Don't close the display with pencils, pens, papers, etc. on the keyboard
- Don't use your device near food/drink such as the lunch table, tables at home with meals, etc.
- Do not have power cords laying across the ground in high traffic areas so that someone doesn't trip on the cord pulling down your device
- Keep cords/devices away from younger children, pets, the vacuum
- Don't leave devices in hot or cold temperatures such as in cars
- Don't leave your device laying out, unattended, not locked up, in the hallway, on the ground in walkways

Fees to be charged:

- Charger
 - 30W Power Brick - \$40
 - USB C Power Cord - \$20
 - Full Charger - \$60
- Screen/Display Replacement - \$200
- Logic Board (typically due to spills) - \$200
- Top Case (Bottom half of device that includes battery, keyboard) - \$200
- Battery - \$125
- Keyboard key - \$12
- Computer Bag - \$30