

Middle School Chromebook Optional Damage Protection Program

The Meriden Public Schools is offering an Optional Damage Protection Program for Chromebooks that are being issued to middle school students. While we expect that all students will do their best to take good care of their Chromebooks, parents and students are responsible to pay the cost of repairs for any damage to their school-issued device. This protection plan will help guard against the expense of repair costs for accidental damage, such as a cracked screen, a broken power jack, missing keyboard parts, keyboard failure due to a spill, etc., up to and including the cost of a full replacement for a device that is damaged beyond economical repair.

Participation in the Optional Damage Protection Program for Chromebooks is voluntary and is not a requirement for a student to receive a Chromebook for school use. Please review the information provided below, select whether you wish to participate, and return this form to the school office.

Protection Program Cost and Coverage Details:

The participation fee for the Protection Plan, which is in effect while the student attends middle school, is **\$50.00 (nonrefundable)** for the following coverage:

- Protection plan will cover up to two (2) repairs at no cost.
- Devices damaged beyond economic repair: \$25 replacement fee; limited to one time per coverage year.
- Students will be provided a free loaner device during the repair period.

Protection Program Exclusions and Related Costs:

- Lost power supplies are **not covered** under this program:
 - Replacement **power supply** cost is **\$50.00**;
- **Lost or stolen devices are not covered. In the event that the student's school-issued Chromebook is lost or stolen, parents and students are responsible to pay the full replacement cost which is currently \$175.00.**

Repair and Replacement Costs Without Protection Program Coverage:

Parents and students who do not elect coverage are responsible to immediately notify and arrange for repairs through the Meriden Public Schools. Replacement parts and repair costs will be billed at the school's cost as follows:

- LCD Screen Replacement: \$100.00
- Broken Shell or Housing Each Side: \$ 50.00
- Keyboard Replacement: \$ 80.00
- Missing Keys: \$ 10.00

_____ Yes, I wish to participate in the Optional Damage Protection Plan and have enclosed a check payable to the Meriden Public Schools for the \$50 participation fee. [Submit this form with the check to your school's office.]

Student Name (print): _____ Current Grade: _____

Parent/Guardian Name (print): _____

Date:

Signature: