

## **Chromebook Returns and Refunds Policy**

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### <u>Introduction</u>

The Trust enters into Credit Sale Agreements with parents and caregivers for the sale and purchase of a learner device bundle for children in Kootuitui schools. The purpose of this policy is to set out the circumstances in which a refund can be given, and the related procedure.

#### **Purchaser Commitment**

- 1. In signing the Credit Sales Agreement, purchasers acknowledge that they have read and agree to all terms and conditions set out therein.
- 2. A device, charger and case will be allocated to a student upon the purchaser entering into a Credit Sales Agreement, paying a deposit and having started making payments, or when the device has been paid for in full up front, with these monies in the Trust bank account.
- 3. Page four of the Credit Sale Agreement contains provisions for cancellation of the device. No refund is payable in circumstances where a whaanau chooses to return the device due to reasons outside of the agreement.

# **Returns**

- 1. In the event of faulty goods, the equipment will be repaired under the terms of the extended manufacturer's warranty that forms part of the purchase.
- 2. A purchaser may cancel their agreement up to the time the device is physically issued to the student. In this circumstance, the deposit and/or payments made will be refunded to the purchaser and the Credit Sales Agreement cancelled.

#### Payments - over and under

- 1. Kootuitui will make every effort to advise purchasers when the device is nearing full repayment so that purchasers can cancel their automatic payments.
- 2. An invoice will be issued to the purchaser confirming full payment of the device.

- 3. When purchasers do not cancel their payments in time, Kootuitui will hold any resulting overpayments in a separate cost centre, and request the purchaser's bank account number into which the refund will be paid.
- 4. A refund for overpayment will be paid if payments up to that date have been more than required under the Agreement.
- 5. Underpayments under \$10 will not be sought. All overpayments will be repaid.
- 6. No additional administration fee will be charged for any refund activity.