



MESQUITE ISD MOBILE DEVICE AGREEMENT

Mesquite ISD will loan one device and charger per child for academic use. A Chromebook or iPad will be issued based on the grade level of the child. The intent is for the device to stay with the student until they withdraw or graduate. Students are encouraged to take their device between school and home so they have access to educational digital resources. Additionally, families who do not have internet access at home may check out one hotspot per family on a first-come first-serve basis.

Device Insurance Fee

Each student receiving a district-issued Chromebook or iPad and charger in grades PK-12 will pay an annual device insurance fee of \$20 per device. For families with multiple students, the device insurance fee will not exceed \$60.

This fee provides insurance for the device. The insurance will cover the full cost to repair or replace a damaged device. The \$20 annual insurance fee can save a family the cost of repairing or replacing a device, ranging from \$100 to \$500. *Please note that the insurance fee only covers repairing or replacing the device for the first time it is damaged. **If a student's device is damaged a second time in the same year, you are responsible for the full cost of the repair or replacement.***

Prior to the new school year, parents will be notified that the payment system is open. Payments can be made online by Credit/Debit Card on the Mesquite ISD website under Online Payments. Cash will be accepted in person at the child's campus. Checks will NOT be accepted. The device insurance fee is not refundable. **KEEP YOUR RECEIPT to show payment for multiple children at other campuses.**

Payment of the device insurance fee is due by Friday, September 5th, 2025.

If the device insurance fee is not paid by this time, students will have to pay the full cost of device repairs and replacement when damage occurs.

Breakage and Loss Fee

If a student damages their device, the \$20 insurance fee will be applied to the repair. Students are then responsible to pay the entire cost of repair or replacement for any additional damage to their device. This may also result in losing "take home" privileges depending on the damage.

If a student **intentionally** damages their device, the student is responsible for the entire cost of repair or replacement (minus the \$20 fee) and they will lose "take home" privileges immediately. A device will be provided for school use only.

In case of loss/mysterious disappearance (no signs of theft) of the device, the student will be responsible for the complete replacement cost.



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Student Responsibilities

Please read the following responsibilities carefully with your students and make sure they understand and follow each.

1. I will take care of my device. (I will not drink or eat while using it, I will hold it securely to avoid dropping or damaging it, and I will secure it at all times, etc.)
2. I will not remove any district inventory or network stickers from the device.
3. I will never leave the device unsecured.
4. I will never leave the device on the floor.
5. I will never loan out my device to others outside of my household.
6. I will know where my device is at all times.
7. I will charge my device each night so I am prepared for the next day.
8. I will not disassemble any part of the district owned device or attempt any repairs.
9. I will not deface or vandalize the district owned device.
10. I understand that the district issued device is subject to inspection at any time without notice and remains the property of Mesquite ISD.
11. I will notify my teacher/school if the district owned device is stolen, misplaced, vandalized, or if it stops working.
12. I will be responsible for all damage or loss caused by neglect or abuse (including, but not limited to, liquid or food damage).
13. I agree to return the device and power adapters in good working condition at the request of Mesquite ISD (e.g. withdrawal from school).
14. I understand that the district device is tracked and filtered over the district network.
15. I understand that no filter is perfect and that parents should monitor the use of the device.



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Acknowledgement and Device Information

I acknowledge and agree to the guidelines outlined above, and to abide by the MISD Acceptable Use Policy. I acknowledge that it is my obligation as a parent or guardian to communicate these expectations to my child. I also acknowledge the device and all accessories, including the charger, remain the property of MISD. Upon withdrawal from MISD, I agree to return the device and all accessories, including the charger to MISD in the same condition they were issued, minus reasonable wear.