



Pen Argyl Area School District
 2021-2022
Learning to Learn Financial Statement

The Pen Argyl Area School District **Learning to Learn Initiative** provides students/families/guardians the opportunity to borrow a district-owned Chromebook for use during and after school hours.

The goal of this program is to provide increased access to learning opportunities for all Pen Argyl Area School District students. Through the Learning to Learn program we hope to provide students the opportunity to collaborate, communicate and create both in and outside of the classroom environment through the use of technology. To that end, students are strongly encouraged to take their device home.

Some of the advantages of your student taking their Chromebook home are outlined below:

Advantages of Take Home
Access to homework, notes, study guides and textbooks using the same device 24/7
Chromebook is always available
No check-in/check out

Chromebooks are used throughout the day for note taking, research, collaboration, and online textbooks. We strongly encourage all students to bring their Chromebooks home as an extension of the school day.

The annual “take home”/technology fee has once again been waived. However, fees for repairs still apply. Please refer to the chart below. Please note: If a Chromebook is damaged multiple times by the same student, the district reserves the right to charge the full cost of repair or replacement for the Chromebook and the student may lose the privilege of having the Chromebook for the remainder of that school year.

Technology Fee Structure

	Take home
Technology Fee	No Charge
Broken Screen	20.00 1st time 40.00 subsequent times
Lost or Broken Charger	20.00 40.00 subsequent times
Replace Keyboard	25.00 50.00 subsequent times
Lost/stolen/damaged beyond repair	Full replacement cost of \$241.00

Financial Obligations

Damage that occurs to district-owned equipment due to student negligence will result in financial responsibility on the part of the student. Such damages will include but may not be limited to:

- o Damage caused as a result of horseplay in the vicinity of the Chromebook.
- o Damage caused by the spilling of liquid on the Chromebook.
- o Damage caused by closing the LCD monitor on an object
- o Damage caused by excessive heat
- o Missing Chromebook due to loss or theft

Please note: Damage to Chromebooks occurs infrequently, however, it has been observed that the possibility for damage occurs most frequently from carrying the Chromebook in the backpack along with books and notebooks. It is in your best interest to keep your Chromebook separate from your backpack

I have read and understand the Pen Argyl Area School District Learning to Learn Financial Statement. I choose to have a Chromebook for my student to take home.

Student name _____

Grade _____ Homeroom _____ Date: _____

Parent Signature

Student Signature
