



In preparation for summer and the 2024-25 school year, please read the sections below that pertain to your student(s) and their school-provided technology device.

## Students who will not attend Avon next year

Laptops and chargers must be turned in by the end of the last day of school at the technology support desk or the main office of your school. If your student's enrollment status changes during the summer, these items may be returned at Door 5 of Avon Middle School South between 8:00 am and 4:00 pm Monday-Friday. Laptops will be assessed for damage and if applicable, repair/replacement fees will be billed to parents/guardians. If the laptop and charger are not returned, we will follow our technology policy, which includes charging the parent/guardian for the device and charger.

## Students currently in grades 5 - 8

Laptops and chargers must be turned in to the school prior to the end of the last day of school. Specific instructions will be provided by your school.

**All incoming 9th graders will be issued an ACSC laptop when they attend Oriole Preview Day at Avon High School. Due to curricular and assessment requirements, 9th graders will not be permitted to use personally owned devices at school.**

## 8th grade students attending summer school

Current 8th grade students participating in summer school will keep their currently issued school laptop for summer school use. These students must turn in this laptop at Oriole Preview Day at Avon High School in order to receive their 9th grade laptop.

## Students currently in grades 9 - 11

Returning high school students who use a school provided laptop should keep their laptop and charger and bring them back to school at the beginning of the 2024-2025 school year. Laptops are issued to specific students and are to be used for school only by the student to whom it is issued. If the laptop and charger are not brought back when the school year begins, we will follow our technology policy, which includes charging the parent/guardian for the device and charger.

## Current AHS seniors

Seniors with a school provided laptop must turn in their laptop and charger to the school prior to the end of the last day of school. AHS will provide more specific instructions to seniors. Laptops will be assessed for damage and if applicable, repair/replacement fees will be billed to parents/guardians.

## Students entering grades 11 - 12 considering purchasing their own computer for use at school

Only incoming 11th and 12th grade students have the option to bring their own laptop for school use. Consider these requirements when purchasing a laptop for use at school:

- ACSC does not support Chromebooks. They may have challenges connecting to our wireless network or accessing school learning resources.
- Windows laptops are preferred. Minimum specifications: Windows 10 or 11, Intel Celeron N4100 or faster processor, 8 GB RAM, 128 GB hard drive.
- Apple MacBook Pro or MacBook Air running at least MacOS 11 (Big Sur).
- Please do not bring touch screen only tablets such as an iPad, Kindle, Android tablet, or equivalent as your only device. You must have a laptop with a keyboard to access learning resources most effectively.



**PLEASE NOTE**



If you have questions or concerns, contact the Technology Dept. at (317) 544-6103.

- **Laptops and chargers issued from the school are school property and must be returned when requested.**
- **Please remove stickers, ink, or other markings before returning devices. A clean-up fee may be charged if laptops are returned with these markings.**
- **Insurance to protect school-issued laptops is available and should be renewed yearly if purchased.**