

Princeton Public Schools Device Protection Plan

About

Princeton Public Schools Device Protection Plan is a district run insurance program that covers the cost of device repairs or replacements in the event of theft or accidental damage. The protection cost is \$99 annually for each school-furnished MacBook Air, and \$25 annually for each school-furnished Chromebook, with a maximum annual cost of \$150 per family. Yearly Princeton Public Schools Device Protection Plan fees are placed in a separate account and are used to purchase repair parts and replacement devices. All MacBook Air repairs are done in-district.

This plan includes one replacement device per student. Additional replacements will cost the student/parent the full value of a device. Parents are asked to purchase this protection plan through MySchoolBucks (<https://www.myschoolbucks.com/>).

Please Note - The district will cover the cost of the Protection Plan for families:

- who qualify for free/reduced lunch.
- whose child has an IEP requiring an assistive technology device that is provided to them through the Student Services department.

Parents who are unable to purchase the protection plan, please send an email to: TechDirector@princetonk12.org.

Parents who choose to opt-out of the district protection plan will be responsible for the full cost of any repairs to or replacement of the district device.

Cost

The cost for the device protection plan is an annual fee and **must be paid by September 30th** of each school year. Since the district depends on these funds to repair and replace broken devices, if fees are not paid by September 30th, it will be assumed that the family has opted out of the protection plan program and will be charged the full cost for the repair/replacement.

Device	Annual Protection Plan Fee
MacBook Air	\$99
Chromebook	\$25

How To Pay for the Protection Plan

The district uses the My School Bucks website to collect payments for the Device Protection Plan. (<https://www.myschoolbucks.com>) If you already have a My School Bucks account, when you login, you will see a button for Technology Fees. If you are new to My School Bucks, attached are directions for creating an account.

Coverage

The Princeton Public Schools Protection Plan covers the cost of repairs for damage to the screen, keyboard, mousepad, ports, and internal components. If the total cost for repair exceeds the cost of a new device, the student will be issued their one replacement device. Additional replacements will cost the student/parent the full value of the device.

In the case of intentional damage and/or neglect, the student/parent will pay for the full repair/replacement cost.

Parents who choose to opt-out of the district insurance will be responsible for the full cost of any repairs to or replacement of the district device.

The Princeton Public Schools Protection Plan does not cover lost items. This includes any devices, cables, adapters, cases that are provided to students.

Repair/Replacement Costs

Chromebook Repairs*	
<i>Part</i>	<i>Cost</i>
Chromebook Replacement	\$213.00
Motherboard	\$140.00
Display Replacement	\$70.00
Battery	\$36.00
Power Adapter	\$30.00
Back Cover	\$25.00
Bottom Cover	\$25.00
MAX Protective Case	\$24.00
Camera	\$20.00
Bezel	\$15.00
Right Hinge Replacement	\$7.00
Left Hinge Replacement	\$7.00

MacBook Repairs*		
<i>Part</i>	<i>If Damaged by User</i>	<i>If Lost/Stolen</i>
MacBook Air	\$899 Full replacement cost	\$899 Full replacement cost
Display Replacement	\$314.07	N/A
Topcase (Keyboard/Full Computer Shell)	\$314.07	N/A
Power Adapter	\$40	\$45
Charge Cable	\$15	\$20
Track Pad	\$85.27	N/A
Logic Board	\$314.07	N/A

**Prices reflect cost as of August 2024 and are subject to change.*