

Cozad Community Schools

2023-2024 Mobile Device Agreement

Please print your last and first name and your grade:

Student: _____ Grade: _____
Last First

Parent email (required) _____

Parent Phone number(s) (required) _____

One Chromebook & charger are being lent to the parents or guardian of the student and are in good working order. It is the student's responsibility to care for the equipment and ensure that it is retained in a safe environment. This equipment is, and at all times remains, the property of Cozad Community Schools of Cozad, Nebraska, and is herewith lent to the parents/guardian of the student for educational purposes and only for the academic school year. Students may not deface or destroy this property in any way. Inappropriate use of the device may result in the student losing his/her right to use this device. The equipment will be returned to the school when requested by Cozad Community Schools, or sooner, if the student withdraws from Cozad Community Schools prior to the end of the school year. Nebraska statutes 79-737 and 79-2,127 allow the district to obtain reimbursement from, or on behalf of, students for any damage to, loss of, or failure to return school property. Borrower acknowledges and agrees that Borrower's use of the district property is a privilege and that by Borrower's agreement to the terms hereof, Borrower acknowledges Borrower's responsibility to protect and safeguard the district property and to return the same in good condition and repair upon request by Cozad Community Schools. By signing the bottom of this document, I agree to follow the Cozad Community Schools' responsibilities and rules at all times while using the school issued device.

I ACKNOWLEDGE AND UNDERSTAND MY OBLIGATIONS:

Student signature

Date

Parent/Guardian signature

Date

Mobile Device Responsibilities and Rules can be accessed on the school website under Documents-Schools-High School

Cozad Community Schools Mobile Device Responsibilities and Rules

As your child's parent or guardian, you have been loaned a Chromebook mobile device to improve and personalize your child's education. It is essential that the Cozad Community Schools **Responsible Use Agreement** (RUA) be followed by your child in ALL use of the Chromebook and student online activities to ensure the safe, efficient and ethical use of technology in your child's education. Violations of the Cozad Community Schools RUA or other electronic device policies in the student handbook by your child may result in the loss of student device take-home privileges. In addition, ANY online activity on the part of the student which violates district policy or the student code of conduct may be grounds for the revocation of student device take-home privileges. Such activity may include but is not limited to:

- Mis-using social media or communication tools, including but not limited to bullying, threatening or harassing others.
- Unauthorized transmission or recording of audio or video images of any other student.
- Using the district-owned device or using district-owned or managed accounts or networks in the possession or distribution of inappropriate or pornographic electronic content.
- Using communication software, social networks, playing games or otherwise violating classroom rules while attending class, unless authorized by the instructor or school administrator.

In order for your child to use the Chromebook in class and/or to take it home (take-home only available for 6th-12th graders), you must be willing to accept these responsibilities and terms. In addition, if your child will be taking the device home, we require a \$20 annual take-home use fee, payable to Cozad Community Schools. This fee contributes to repair and maintenance costs for student take-home devices and is not used for any other purpose. Until the fee is paid in full, the student may use the device only while at school.

If the mobile device is lost or damaged, school technology personnel must be informed at the earliest opportunity during normal school hours. Cozad Community Schools is the sole agent authorized to undertake repair or replacement of the device. At the time of notification, the school will repair or provide a suitable replacement device to the student.

Most common repairs are approximately \$45. The first such required repair of the year (up to \$45) will be done free of charge. Subsequent repairs or repairs in excess of \$45 in the same year will be billed to the student. Please note that loss of the charger and intentional damage is NOT covered by the protection fee.

In the case of loss, theft, or extensive damage from abuse or negligence which require replacement of the device, the cost may be up to \$220. Such incidents will NOT be covered by the take-home fee and will require that the parent or student pay the full cost of repair or replacement. Please note that damaged or lost chargers are NOT covered by the take home fee. Take-home privileges are only allowed for students with no outstanding fees or repair charges.

Parent Responsibilities and Terms:

As the child's parent or guardian, I agree that I...

- Will read the Responsible Use Policy and discuss it with my child.
- Will supervise my child's use of the device at home.
- Will make sure my child charges the device nightly and begins the school day with a fully charged battery.
- Will make sure my child brings the device to school each day and keeps it locked in their locker when not using it for a class.
- Will discuss appropriate use of the Internet and supervise my child's use of the Internet outside of school.
- Will not attempt to repair the device.
- Will report any problems or damage to the device to the building administrator or member of the technology staff.
- Will report loss/theft of the device to school and proper authorities (police) within 24

hours.

- Will not remove any apps or certificates from the device which were provided or distributed by Cozad Community Schools, unless directed to do so by school officials or technology staff.
- Will provide the school with current contact information, including email and phone number(s).
- Will not alter or remove the school device management certificates at any time.
- Will allow the school administration and faculty to inspect and examine the device, apps and content at any time.
- Will make sure that the device is returned to the school when requested and upon my son's/daughter's withdrawal from Cozad Community Schools.

Student Responsibilities and Terms:

As a student attending Cozad Community Schools, I agree that I...

- Will read the Responsible Use Policy and discuss it with my parent/guardian.
- Will adhere to the terms of the Cozad Community Schools Responsible Use Policy and school and district rules and guidelines each time the device is used, at home or at school.
- Will recharge the device nightly and begin the school day with a fully charged battery.
- Will bring the device to school each day and keep it locked in my locker when not using it for a class.
- Will make the device available for inspection by a teacher, administrator or other staff member upon request.
- Will use appropriate language in all communications.
- Will abide by copyright laws.
- Will not use or attempt to use another student's assigned hardware, subscriptions, logins, files, or personal information.
- Will follow the practices I am taught to keep myself and my information safe and secure online.
- Will report loss/theft of the device to parents, school and proper authorities (police) within 24 hours.
- Will not use the device to record (audio or visual) others without their permission.
- Will not change or attempt to change the configuration or settings of management certificates.
- Will not attempt to repair, alter or make additions to the device.
- Will report all problems and damage immediately to an administrator or technology staff.
- Will not remove or attempt to remove identification tags on the device or deface with permanent stickers, marking pens, etc.