

LAPTOP COMPUTER PROTECTION

The Belle Fourche School District recognizes that with the implementation of the laptop initiative there is a need to protect the investment by both the District and the Student/Parent. The following outlines the two areas of protection: School District Protection and Self-Insurance.

The District Laptop Protection does not cover intentional or neglectful damage to the laptop computer.

INSURANCE FOR THEFT OR NATURAL DISASTER: The following are the two options that are available for these types of losses, and the Student/Parent must commit to one by checking the appropriate box.

Self-Insurance

You agree to pay for the replacement of the laptop at a cost not to exceed depreciated value of the laptop, should the laptop be stolen or damaged by fire. **OR** you will cover the laptop under your own insurance policy and in the case of a theft or damage by fire, you agree to pay the District the amount received from your insurance company plus any additional amount needed to cover the laptop replacement not to exceed the depreciated value of the laptop.

School District Protection

You choose to pay the school district protection payment for coverage of theft or damage by natural disaster in the amount of \$25.00.

The \$25.00 payment will be paid once to cover the entirety of the student's use of the device and is non-refundable.

This coverage of this device begins upon receipt of the payment and ends upon the student's cessation of classes in their current building.

(SP, MS, HS)

Families eligible for free/reduced lunches will have the \$25.00 fee waived.

PAYMENT OPTIONS: For check or cash, return this form with the payment to the building secretary or Central Office. For online payment, please use the EZSchoolPay portal located under the parents tab on the school website.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: In cases of theft, vandalism and other criminal acts, a police report **MUST** be filed by the student or parent for the protection coverage to take place. A copy of the respective report must be provided to the principal's office.

INTENTIONAL DAMAGE: Students/Parents are responsible for full payment for repair of intentional/neglectful damages or loss of laptops, not to exceed depreciated value of the device.

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Student Name: _____ (Please Print)

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____