



Student Computer Guidelines

2019-20

1:1 Device

- Students are encouraged to check out a device from PDL
- If you are using your own personal computer, we cannot guarantee compatibility, Internet connection, the ability to take, record and assess online activities.
- We highly suggest using a district device.
- MBS – pick up your device from your other building.
- We no longer will be loaning out devices to use at PDL for day use; however, we will have a couple computers on hand for emergency cases.

Caring for Your Computer

<https://eschool.psd.local/TAC/>

Charge

Charge your computer fully each night. You will not have access to an outlet all day.

Keep

Keep computer in its sleeve when not in use.

Plan

Plan to keep track of all your accessories (sleeve, stylus & charging cord).

Protect

Avoid:

- Spills
- Rain, heat, cold
- Small Children
- Pets

Caring for Your Laptop

Never leave your laptop unattended.

Avoid leaving the computer in a car. Extreme heat or cold can damage it, and theft can occur.

If you must leave the computer in the car, make sure it is locked in the trunk or out of sight.

If you are in an after school group, talk with your coach or advisor about a safe place to store your computer.

This is a school district computer, please do not decorate it with writing or stickers.



Puyallup Protection Plan (P3) – Accidental Damage Protection

- If you and your family did not enroll, you will have to pay for any necessary repairs for the laptop
- If enrolled, the plan covers:
 - The current school year only
 - Accidental damage to the laptop (not accessories)
 - The number of repairs per year may be restricted



Puyallup Protection Plan (P3) – Accidental Damage Protection

- The plan DOES NOT cover:
 - Lost or stolen computers
 - Lost or stolen chargers, digital pens and protective sleeves
 - Damages to the computer, charger, digital pen and protective sleeve due to neglect
 - Intentional damage to the computer, charger, digital pen and protective sleeve

Free and Reduced Lunch

- If you qualify for free and reduced lunch, you may have access for a waiver of the \$50.00 insurance fee.
- Please double check with the Assessment Center.

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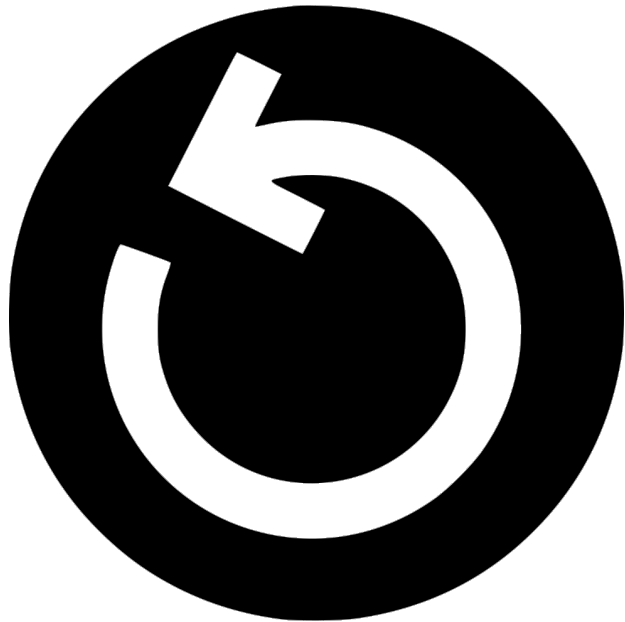
- Installation of any unauthorized software, application, or computer program or unauthorized changes to the student device will be considered **destruction of property** and/or **vandalism** and may lead to discipline and/or a fine for any repairs.



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- The internet is always filtered on your computer. It does not matter where you connect to wifi.
- Your parents or guardians can get a report of your activity on the computer.
- Because the computer is the property of the school district, PSD has access to all your activity.

What to do when something is not working



- Restart the application
- Restart the computer
- Call 8600 for district tech support
- Get help in the PDL Assessment Center

Final Thoughts

- Your computer should be a learning tool that provides access to a world of information.
- Have fun, be safe, responsible and kind!

