

## **2022-23 HIGH SCHOOL CHROMEBOOK AGREEMENT**

### ***General Overview***

Each student will be assigned a Chromebook for educational use at school and at home. The device will remain with the student and will be returned at the end of each school year. Parents/Guardians have the right to elect to have their students check the device in at the end of the day to the High School Library and check out the device at the beginning of each school day. Academic need should be considered when selecting the “check-out” option since missing a Chromebook at home may impact a student's ability to work on homework.

### ***Filtering and Monitoring***

The District filters the online content utilizing filtering software at school and at home. Objectionable content is determined locally.

As a user of the Tonasket School District network, communications on the network are public in nature, and therefore general school rules for behavior and communications apply and should be in support of the educational process. No student should have any expectation of privacy when using the district's network.

Inappropriate use of the network, internet, and/or email may result in your student's loss of privilege to use these educational tools, as well as other disciplinary action and/or prosecution, if appropriate.

- A. Filtering is not a guarantee that 100% of inappropriate content will be blocked. Each student is to be responsible for his/her use of the internet and avoid objectionable sites;
- B. Attempts to bypass filtering or to hide internet activity is prohibited and will result in disciplinary action;
- C. Student email and Google Drive accounts assigned by the district are filtered and monitored.

### ***Damaged Chromebooks***

Like textbooks and other district property issued to your student, there is a responsibility to take care of these valuable resources. Below are details for damages:

#### ***Accidental Damage***

If a Chromebook is damaged but repairable, we will perform the first repair for free. If a Chromebook has been accidentally damaged so that it cannot be repaired, the first replacement device will be subject to a fee of \$50. Any additional damages will be fined \$50 each. We can repair screens, trackpads, broken or missing keys, broken shell pieces (from being dropped), and bent hinges. We will make every effort to repair a Chromebook. We want these devices working as much as you do.

#### ***Intentional Damage***

Intentional damage such as drawing on the Chromebook, stickers, picking keys off the keyboard, rearranging keys on the keyboard, etc. will be the responsibility of the student to pay to replace/repair the damage at full cost with a *minimum* fee of \$5 charged for the first occurrence. Any additional intentional damage will be fined a *minimum* fee of \$50.

#### ***Lost or Damaged Beyond Repair***

If a Chromebook is lost or has been accidentally damaged so that it cannot be repaired, the first replacement device will be subject to a fee of \$50. Each additional replacement device will be \$250. If a lost Chromebook is found/recovered in good working order after a fine has been paid, a refund will be issued. If a student intentionally or maliciously causes damage to a device, even if it is their first issued device, replacement of the device will be \$250. Only one Chromebook will be replaced for \$50 during a student's time at the Tonasket School District.

#### ***Chromebook Chargers***

We will replace the first charger for free whether it is damaged or lost. An additional charger will be \$40. Only one charger will be replaced at no charge during a student's time at the Tonasket School District. A broken wall to charge brick cord will be replaced the first time at no charge. Additional wall cords will be subject to a \$5 fine.

**Unreturned Chromebook**

If a Chromebook is not returned at the end of the school year/upon school withdrawal, it will be subject to a \$290 fine. The student will be charged for both the computer and charger. If the Chromebook and charger is returned in good working order after the fine is paid, a refund will be issued.

**Payment Plans**

Payment plans can be set up with the Student Services Secretary in the High School Office.

**Daily Charging**

Students are expected to come to school each day with their Chromebooks charged. There is a charging station located in the library for students to occasionally charge their Chromebooks during the day. The school has a limited number of Chromebooks to loan while charging. Chromebooks may be checked in to the library overnight, even if you normally take the Chromebook home to be charged each night.

**GRANT INTERNET USAGE**

As a parent or guardian, if you would like your student to use the Internet, including email, you must sign this form. Students do not have access to the Tonasket School District network, including the Internet and email, until this form is signed and returned.

**Please check one:**

**We would like to take the Chromebook home each night.**

*Student issued charger for **home** use. Please leave your charger at **home** so it is not lost or stolen.*

**We would like to check the Chromebook in to the Library each evening.**

*Student **not** issued charger.*

*Note: It is the student's responsibility to check the Chromebook in/out at the Library. Damage or Loss that occurs when the device is not checked in will be handled as described in the *Damaged Chromebook* section above.*

**Parent/guardian please initial [       ] I have read the Chromebook guidelines, and I know that I am responsible for my Student's Chromebook. I also grant my child access to the Internet while attending the Tonasket School District.**

**This form shall remain in effect until a new agreement is signed.**

**Student Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Parent/Guardian Name)

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(Signature of Parent/Guardian)

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(Date)