Laptops will be distributed to all participating 9th grade students at the start of school. The parents/guardian and student must sign and return the Student Registration form before the laptop is issued and remit yearly payment during the year the laptop is issued to the student. The District's Damage/Loss Cooperative Fund has been established to protect the laptop investment for the District.

Accessories will only be provided by the district the first year a student participates in the program. It is recommended that the student keep their AC adapter & power cord at home for ease of use and to prevent loss. All replacement accessories will be paid for by the student and are not covered by the District's Damage/Loss Cooperative Fund.

Laptops will remain with the students throughout the school year and during summer vacation as well. Students will retain their original laptop throughout each school year while enrolled in onsite classes at the District high school and is responsible for the $25 payment annually. These laptops will be collected once per year for a short time by ET for maintenance to make sure they have received all necessary updates, especially those related to testing.

The Cooperative Fund covers laptops loaned to students against all accidental damage or loss 24 hours per day during the academic school year. In no case shall the charge for the laptop repair be greater than the deductible. The District will pay any additional costs. Financial assistance meeting deductibles will be provided to students qualifying for free or reduced lunch status.

A student is responsible for 100% of the damage or replacement if a student intentionally damages or disposes of a laptop. Theft of a laptop is a felony.

The ET department representative coordinates the repair work for laptop. Services provided include hardware maintenance and repairs, re-imaging hard drives, updates and software installations, and coordination of warranty repairs. Office hours in a designated area will be established at each school location.

Under no circumstance should laptops be left in unsupervised areas, including the school grounds/campus, cafeteria, locker rooms, library, unlocked classrooms or hallways. Any laptop left in these areas is in danger of being stolen. Unsupervised laptops will be confiscated and taken to the designated school location. Laptops should be brought to school each day in a fully charged condition.

Students should save documents in folders on the District’s network, on a personal flash drive or in a District approved cloud based storage. Items should not be saved to the desktop as they will be lost during updates. Printing is allowed in the media center only.

Offsite access to WiFi is permitted. District web filtering is enforced regardless of the WiFi/laptop location.

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This student registration form must be completed and returned in the first year of student participation to your school before a laptop will be issued to your student.

Name of Student: _____________________________________________________________

Student ID#: 4300___________________________________

School Attending: ___________________________________________________________

Date of Request: _________________________________________ Grade: _______________

Option 1:
_______ I would like to participate in the Laptops for Learning program which requires participation in the Damage/Loss Cooperative Fund. The cost to participate is $25 per school year with a $250 deductible for lost or stolen devices and $250 deductible for repairs. I understand that these deductibles apply to each accidental loss or damage claim. I understand that all payments to the Damage/Loss Cooperative Fund are non-refundable and accessories (AC adapter & power cord) are not covered by the Fund. Financial assistance meeting deductibles will be provided to students qualifying for free or reduced lunch status.

$25.00 Payment:
☐ Check or Money Order (payable to the Martin County School District)
☐ Cash

Option 2:
_______ I will bring a personally owned device and do not wish to be issued a District laptop. I understand no District support will be provided for my device, no District software will be deployed to my device and I must run a current antivirus program. I understand that the District is not responsible for any loss or damage to my device.

Student Signature: _____________________________________________________
Date____________________

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____________________________________________
Date____________________

____ Device Asset Tag: ____________________ Device Serial Number: ____________________
____ AC adapter & power cord

Date the device was returned: ________________________________