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RE: One to One Chromebook Program and Coverage Options

Dear MCHS Parents,

As you probably know, District 156 will advance 21st century learning and college and career preparedness by providing all students with chromebook devices and the access they need to learn anytime and anywhere. All students will be getting a personal, district-owned chromebook during materials pick-up in August. Students enrolled in summer school will be getting their devices prior to the beginning of summer school.

MCHS is committed to making this program as affordable for parents as possible. We will be utilizing our existing fleet of 1500 chromebooks for juniors and seniors and sophomores and freshmen will be receiving a new model chromebook. We are happy to inform parents that there will be **no increase** to school fees as a result of this program. Parents/students will however, be responsible for all damage, loss, or repairs needed to their devices over four years. To further offset potential liability of the chromebook program, MCHS has developed an annual chromebook coverage that can be purchased during registration. The cost of the coverage for the older chromebooks given to students grades 11 and 12 is \$15/year and the cost for coverage in grades 9 and 10 is \$30/year. **MCHS strongly encourages parents to select this coverage when they register for school for the upcoming year.** Included with this letter is a document describing the benefits and charges associated with the coverage as well as an FAQ document about the 1:1 Program.

If you have any questions, please join us for a **1:1 Program parent meeting on May 16th at 6pm in the East Campus theater.** For More information on Innovation Planning in District #156 please go to our Vision 156 - Innovation Plan webpage at <https://www.dist156.org/domain/325> .

Yours in Learning!

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