

iPad Policy, Procedures, Guidelines, and Forms 2013-2014

Appendix- MOVE 21 Insurance

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- Kindergarten students and students new to Barnesville Public Schools will be required to select one of the following in order to insure iPads issued to their children.
- Kindergarten and New Students may purchase the District Self-insurance option at the sliding scale rate of \$50 per iPad with a maximum charge of \$150 for families with 3 or more children. The self insurance cost for families meeting reduced meal criteria is \$30 per iPad with a maximum of \$90 and for families that qualify for free meals the cost per iPad is \$20 with a family maximum of \$60.
- All families that used all or part of their insurance policy during the course of the 2012-2013 school year will be required to purchase a renewal policy for the 2013-2014 SY. For example, if as a parent I have 3 children enrolled in BPS and have paid a maximum out-of-pocket for iPad self-insurance cost of \$150 during the 2012-2013 school year and one of my children has experienced breakage with their iPad that required repair then as that parent I would need to buy one iPad renewal policy at \$50 for the 2013-2014 SY.
- Families that purchased iPad self-insurance for the 2012-2013 and did not register an iPad repair or replacement claim would not be required to purchase new insurance for the 2013-2014 SY. Their policy and payment from 2012-2013 would transfer and carry-over to the 2013-2014 school year effective the date when iPads are reissued to students prior to the start of school in September of 2013.
- **Options available are listed below:**
 1. Purchase District Self-Insurance Plan \$50, \$30, or \$20 with maximums of \$150, \$90, or \$60 respectively.
 2. Provide Verification / Copy of Home Owner Insurance to cover cost of iPad repair or replacement.
 3. Select an iPad insurance policy from a private outside source such as Safeware, Worth Group, etc and provide verification of that policy in lieu of cash payment for District insurance.
 4. Parent chooses to accept full responsibility for any and all repairs and replacement costs for iPads issued to their child or children. Parent must sign a form indicating said financial responsibility and obligation. There are no exceptions permitted for this option and failure to assume agreed upon financial responsibility could result in criminal or civil charges or both.
 5. Family may request to access iPad scholarships funds to be applied to iPad insurance costs with approval based on criteria and administrative approval.
 6. Family may request the school board to waive the insurance fee / cost pending board or administrative approval.