



# PEARL PIRATES

## 2025–2026 Technology Usage Fee & Damage Fees for Grades 6–12

Dear Parent/Guardian,

As part of our commitment to supporting student learning, and to help maintain district devices and technology services, a **non-refundable \$50 technology usage fee** is required for all students in grades 6–12. This fee is **due by September 1**.

### Why is there a \$50 fee?

The fee helps cover routine maintenance, support, and minor repairs for student iPads. It ensures devices stay in good working condition throughout the year.

### Do other school districts charge this?

Yes. Many districts in Mississippi and across the U.S. charge a technology fee to support device upkeep.

### What happens if my child damages their device?

You'll be responsible for the listed damage fee:

<b>Pad: \$150</b>	<b>Keyboard: \$80</b>	<b>Charger: \$15</b>
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### Does this fee cover lost items?

No. The fee only helps offset the cost of damage, not lost items.

We ask that students handle their devices responsibly. If damage occurs, the applicable fee(s) listed above will be charged. Thank you for your cooperation and continued support.

Keep top portion for your records. Return the signed acknowledgment form to your child's school.

### iPad Usage & Damage Fee Acknowledgment Form

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ School: \_\_\_\_\_

I have read and understand the information regarding the \$50 iPad technology usage fee, which is due by **September 1**, and the damage fees for school-issued devices and accessories. I understand that I am responsible for paying these fees if applicable.

Parent/Guardian Name (Printed): \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

#### For School Use Only

☐ Paid – \$50 Technology Fee

Payment Type:

☐ Cash

☐ MySchoolBucks

☐ Check #: \_\_\_\_\_

Received by: \_\_\_\_\_

Date Received: \_\_\_\_\_