

Superintendent Information Update

Date: August 25, 2021

To: Parents/Guardians of Antwerp Local School Students

Re: **Assigned Computer Device Program**

For the past few school years, the Antwerp Local school district has made a concerted effort to assure that every student in grades K -12 has a high-quality computer device assigned to them that they can use at school and at home. During that same time period, the administration has considered how best to carry out the plan with respect to logistics and cost associated with wear and tear, batteries, and cases for the devices. As a means to assure the continuation of this program and awareness of the economic situation many families are facing, students will be assessed a \$10 Assigned Device cost for the 2021-2022 School year. Students in grades 6 – 12 will be permitted to take their assigned device home and bring it back to school on a daily basis. Students in grades K – 5 will utilize the device while at school and be able to take the device home if the student will be home for an extended period of time or on vacation.

Please note that the \$10 Technology Fee for grades 6 – 12 included in your child's Fee Schedule is a separate cost for printing, and licenses/subscription costs associated with curriculum courses.

Thanks for your assistance,

Martin A. Miller; Antwerp Local Schools Superintendent