Perry Township Schools
Summer 1:1 Device FAQ

Q: Is my student keeping their 1:1 device at home over the summer?
A: Students currently in grades 1-11 will keep their devices at home for next school year. Kindergarten students and Seniors will return their device and power cord to their school.

Q: How should we care for the device over the summer?
A: As during the school year, please ensure the device remains in the case at all times. If not using the device, store the device in case with its power cord.

Q: Can my student use the device over the summer?
A: Yes, students can continue to use the device for summer school and then for additional learning.

Q: Will the device be monitored over the summer?
A: The device will remain filtered as a school device. You will be able to continue seeing your student’s activities through Securly.

Q: Who do I contact if the device has an issue over the summer?
A: Contact our Remote Learning staff at remotelearning@perryschools.org.

Q: Who is responsible for the device over the summer?
A: While at home, just as during the school year, families are responsible for safe storage of the device.

Q: We are planning to move over the summer, what do we do?
A: Please have your student return the device on the closing days of school. If you move after school closes, please contact the school front office or remotelearning@perryschools.org to arrange a drop off.

Q: What do we do if we do not want our student to have a device over summer and we do not want to be responsible for it?
A: If your student is attending summer school, they will need to keep the device for that time-period. Contact remotelearning@perryschools.org for drop off information after school usage. Please be aware that your student may be delayed in receiving a device to start the school year if you choose this option.
How Can I Use My Chromebook This Summer?

Read for Enjoyment & Information

- **myOn** (grades 1-6)
  Enjoy a large library of fiction and nonfiction books to read alone or read along.
- **Sora** (grades 6-12)
  Access a shared collection of fiction, nonfiction, and audiobooks.
- **IndyPL’s Digital Collections** (all ages)
  Use your public library card to access a huge variety of reading material.

Play to Learn

- **abcya** or **pbskids** (grades Pre K-5)
  Fun activities to develop skills for early and elementary learners.
- **GameUp** (grades 3-12)
  A wide variety of educational games collected by BrainPOP. No login needed.
- **Interland** (grades 3-12) or **Digital Compass** (grades 6-12)
  Have fun and practice making smart choices online at the same time.

Watch Something Great

- **BrainPOP and BrainPOP Jr.** (grades 1-6)
  Short, fun learning videos on all kinds of topics.
- **YouTube** (all ages)
  Check out this list of 20 great Teacher-Approved Educational Channels
- **Discovery Education** (all ages)
  MythBusters, The Magic School Bus, Virtual Field Trips and much, much more.

Brush Up on Your Skills

- **Typing Agent** (grades 1-4)
  Typing lessons and games.
- **DuoLingo** (grades 6-12)
  Language learning and practice. Students under 13 can create child accounts with a parent email.

Create Something Amazing

- **Instructables** (grades 3-12)
  Step-by-step how-tos for just about anything imaginable.
- **Stop Motion Animator** (all ages)
  A very simple animation program that works on your Chromebook.
- **TinkerCAD** (grades 3-12)
  3D design software. Students under 13 can use the class code **LQTHYI3M6HN**.