Optional Chromebook Accessories

All Indian Mound Middle School students will be assigned a <u>DELL Chromebook 11 3100 2 in 1</u> for the school year. Students in sixth grade will be assigned a Chromebook and charger in September. Students in seventh and eighth grades will receive the same chromebook previously assigned to them in September, too. Because the chromebook assigned to each student will follow them into high school, we <u>HIGHLY recommend the purchase of the case</u> listed below.

Here is a list of optional accessories that you may want to purchase for your student:

Optional Item	Amazon Link	Price	Highly Recommended
Chromebook Case	Gumdrop Drop Tech Case	\$34.95	✓
Extra Charger	Dell Chromebook Charger	About \$29.00	
Glass Protection	(2 pack) Blue Light Filter	\$16.99	
Stylus	Touchscreen Compatible	\$19.99	
Power Bank	Chromebook Compatible	\$39.99	

IMMS FEES

Fee Type	Name	Amount	6th	7th	8th
Required	Assignment Notebook	\$3.00	х		
	Art	\$7.00	х	х	х
	Chromebook	\$40.00	х	х	х
	Tech Ed.	\$7.00	х	х	х
	Timberlee	\$106	х		
	Science	\$7.00		x	х
	Family and Consumer Science	\$7.00	х	х	х
	General Music	\$3.00	х	х	
	Orchestra: Solo & Ensemble (if enrolled in Orchestra) 6th grade by request for an accompanist	\$20	x	x	х
	Band: Solo & Ensemble (if enrolled in Band)	\$20		х	х
	Choir: Solo & Ensemble (if enrolled in Choir)	\$15		х	х
Optional	Assignment notebook	\$3.00		х	х
	Athletic Pass	\$35.00	х	х	х
	Art SET Elective	\$10			х

	Band Equipment Rental (if renting from IMMS)	\$75	х	х	х
	Orchestra: Cello/Bass Usage	\$40	х	x	х
	Lost Locks	\$5	х	х	х
	Music Boosters Donation	\$5	х	х	х
	PTO Donation	\$5	х	x	х
	Robotics Club (if enrolled)	\$60	х	x	х
	Sports fee (per sport)	\$90	х	х	х
	Tech Ed Elective	\$15			х
	Yearbook	\$25	х	х	х

^{*}Note: all 6th-grade students are provided with an assignment notebook and school lock free of charge (with the lock being returned at the end of 8th grade)

IMMS FEE DESCRIPTIONS

For your convenience, we have included a brief description of each of the fees for this school year. Please note that some of the fees are required and some are optional. Should you have a question about the fees after reading the descriptions, please contact the office at 838-8980. Thank you!

Required fees:

- Art, Family and Consumer Sciences, Science, and Technology and Engineering: Used to purchase miscellaneous supplies and expenses throughout the school year.
- **1 to 1 Technology Device:** All students will use either a Chromebook provided by the school. The fee covers insurance for the device, the case, and the applications that are used.

Timber Lee (6th grade only): This fee is for the Outdoor Education Science trip to Camp Timber-Lee for 6th grade. This trip is an extension of the Unit 6 curriculum.

Optional Fees:

- Art Based S.E.T. (Student Extension Time): This elective SET will provide an opportunity to complete missing and current homework assignments with support from a teacher. It will also provide access to art materials when work is completed. Students will create individual project plans that can range from drawing and painting to 3-D projects such as found object sculpture and clay. The art teacher will help plan and direct projects as well as provide access to Teaching Artistic Behaviors (TAB) based art centers for material exploration. The class meets every other day for the entire school year. The fee for this class is \$10.
- **Assignment Notebook:** The assignment notebook provides useful information and a calendar for students to record their daily assignments. The assignment notebook is undated and smaller for 7th and 8th graders. An electronic version is provided on the Chromebooks to students, but students may also purchase this paper version or use one of their own.

^{*}Note: If you are unable to pay school fees, please reach out to IMMS

- Athletic Pass: For entry into all High School Athletic Events, except for hockey games and WIAA Tournament contests.
- **Band Equipment Rental Fee:** Only pay this fee if you are renting an instrument through the school. If you are renting your instrument through Ward Brodt, it is not necessary to pay this fee.
- **Locks:** All students must use school-issued locks. In 6th grade students are given locks free of charge to use during their 3 years at IMMS. These locks are returned at the end of the student's 8th-grade year. These students <u>do not</u> need to pay this fee if they have their school-issued lock from the previous year(s).
- Music Boosters: Every parent/guardian is automatically a member of the Music Boosters by your son or daughter's participation in the music program. However, we would like to encourage you to become a "dues-paying member" of the McFarland Music Boosters. The funds are used to enrich the musical experiences of all of the McFarland students in a variety of ways including, but not limited to field trip expenses, student music camps and workshops, uniform maintenance, accessories, and equipment. Your support is greatly appreciated!
- Orchestra School Cell/Bass Rental: Only pay this fee if you are using a cello or bass instrument through the school. You should be renting an instrument through Ward-Brodt or another music store for home use.
- PTO Donation: This fee is given directly to the K-8 PTO to be used to support school activities and equipment.
- **Robotics:** This fee covers the cost of materials and competition fees for the Robotics Club. Please note that membership is limited. Students are expected to pay this fee only after being accepted into the club.
- Solo & Ensemble (7th/8th grade Band/Choir/Orchestra 6th-grade orchestra by request): This fee compensates the accompanist used for the solo/ensemble competition held at IMMS. All students in these programs participate in the event.
- Sports Fee: Cross Country is the only sport offered to 6th-grade students. All other sports are offered only to 7th & 8th grade students. The sports include girls' volleyball, boys' and girls basketball, and track and field. You must pay the sports fee for each sport your child participates in during the school year. You may pay now or at the beginning of the season.
- **Tech Ed Elective:** This course is new and will be taught by a new Technology & Engineering Teacher. This class will provide students with an additional opportunity to work on projects within the Tech. Ed workroom. Projects will be teacher lead and primarily woodworking based. There will be a fee of \$15 for this course. The class meets every other day for the entire school year.
- **Yearbook:** Hardcover book of activities and fun memories throughout the school year. The yearbooks are distributed during the last week of school. Students will have another opportunity to purchase a yearbook later in the school year.