

BOARD AGENDA ITEM COVER SHEET

ARGYLE INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT



BOARD MEETING DATE:	April 22, 2025
AGENDA ITEM:	2025 Student Chromebook Purchase
AGENDA LOCATION:	Action ▾
PRESENTER TITLE & NAME:	Greg Royar, CTO & Liz Stewart, CFO
DEPARTMENT:	Technology

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Chromebooks are needed for the start of the 2025-2026 School year. Grades 6, 7, and 9 will be replaced, allowing for a realignment of the refresh cycle, post-receipt of the ECF Chromebooks that were awarded in 2023. We have evaluated both Dell and Acer. Acer is the superior purchase option this year. The devices have been manufactured in a way that allows better repairability in-house, have a faster processor, and a higher resolution screen. These enhancements will contribute to an improved student experience.

Cases have not yet been released for this model but will be available shortly. Historically these have been purchased for close to \$35, but may increase some due to tariffs and inflation. \$50 will be budgeted as a safe target for these cases.

Chromebook Price

Dell: 410.46

Acer: 382.00

Additional Cost

Chrome Management License: \$30

Case \$35-\$50

The total purchase quantity is 1,700

Total cost to not exceed \$785,400.00 from CDWG, from bond funds.

BUDGETARY IMPACT & FUNDING SOURCE

2024 Bond funds will be used for this purchase.

ADMINISTRATION RECOMMENDATION

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Administration recommends approving the purchase as presented.

MOTION

A motion might be "I move to approve the item as presented".