

To all parents

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「三重県PTAこども総合保障制度」 Information about the “Insurance System for the PTA Children in Mie Prefecture” のご案内

Since last school year, the electronic tablet devices were distributed to every elementary and junior high school student to be used for class.

Beginning this April, Tsu City’s “Tablet Rules and Regulations” have been partially revised and parents will be responsible for any pay repairs to tablets if damage is incurred at home use.

Parents will be responsible for repair costs due to serious negligence by unpredictable behavior on the way to and from school or inside the school. (Please see the back for more details)

Since the cost of repairing a tablet device when damaged is usually 50,000 yen or more, Tsu City PTA Association recommends to apply for the Mie Prefecture’s PTA Children Insurance program in the event that damage occurs to tablets lent by the school.

Additional compensation has been added due to increasing number of social media problems to provide a more satisfying content for both the parent and student.



To apply for the “Mie Prefecture PTA Children’s Insurance System”, please read the information pamphlet that will be distributed at school in April.

About the Repair of Damage of tablet device from April onwards

In the following cases, parents will be responsible for repairing the damage of the tablet devices used by the student.

The repair cost will be on the Parents/guardians if...

- ① The tablet device was treated poorly and damaged in a predictable manner.
- ② It is recognized as intentional.
- ③ It is recognized as negligence.
- ④ The tablet is no longer functional due to an incident, intentional damage, or negligence that occurred at home (including cases where the tablet may become unusable in the future, etc.)

Specific Examples of Parents Responsibility:

- ① Specific examples of parental responsibility in schools
 - The child damaged it by running and playing at the wrong places.
 - The zipper of the protective case was not properly closed and the device dropped.
 - If the tablet device was forcibly closed while there was something stuck in between the screen and the keyboard.
 - Intentionally removed the keytop.
 - Damaged it by messing around with friends.
 - Damaged it by bothering a friend.
 - Intentionally damaged it.
- ② During the hours of going to and from school
 - Dropped the bag with the tablet inside.
 - The water bottle and the charger came into contact inside the bag and damaged the device.
 - Food and beverages accidentally spilled inside the bag and damaged the device.
 - If damaged while stopping by a place other than the school zone.
 - If damaged by falling off the bicycle.
- ③ Parents will be asked to be responsible if damaged anyhow inside the household.

The Tsu City PTA federation recommends to join the following [Mie Prefecture PTA comprehensive Guarantee System]. But, if you join, there is possibility that it may not be covered by the warranty of the [intentional damage]. For details, please refer to the important matters manual enclosed with the insurance guide.

※For students who have already joined, it will be automatically renewed, so there is no need to renew the enrollment procedure.

About the “Mie Prefecture PTA Children’s Insurance System”



The following pamphlets will be distributed by the school at the beginning of April.

- ① Obligation to ensure the “Bicycle Liability Insurance” under the bicycle ordinance.
- ② Damage, loss or theft of any other device under GIGA スクール構想 (the GIGA school concept)
- ③ Infection with the new coronavirus

Explanation of the video

compensation



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Correspondence to damage of school devices

If the learning device (tablet) under GIGA スクール構想 (the GIGA school concept) is damaged, lost, or stolen during domestic use, will be compensated for any legal liability.

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Note) There is a limited amount of insurance covering damage, loss, and theft from learning devices. Please consider making sure you know (or you are aware) your insurance cover these cases.

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