

# Lakeland Joint School District #272

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## **Board Action Item Request**

**AGENDA ITEM:** Approve/Deny Chromebook Replacement Request

**MEETING DATE:** April 15, 2026

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### **REQUEST:**

Information Technology operates on a five-year device replacement cycle. Chromebooks were not replaced last fiscal year, and a partial replacement is necessary to ensure continued support for student learning in the upcoming year. Currently, 2,000 Chromebooks are no longer under warranty.

Chromebook pricing has increased due to market pressures, including rising demand for components such as RAM. Vendors have also reduced quote validity periods from 30 days to 10 days due to ongoing price volatility.

IT is requesting approval to purchase 400 Chromebooks at an estimated cost of \$225,000.

### **FISCAL IMPACT:**

Funding for this purchase would come from Fund 245 (State Technology Funds). There will be no impact on the General Fund.

### **RECOMMENDATION:**

It is recommended that the Board approve the purchase of the 400 replacement Chromebooks.