

# wriggle



Parent/Guardian Presentation for **PDS Bagenalstown**

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# Agenda

- **Introductions**

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- **The What & Why of 1-1**

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- **Wriggle Managed Devices**

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- **Device Choice & Specification**

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- **Q&A**

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# Why Wriggle?

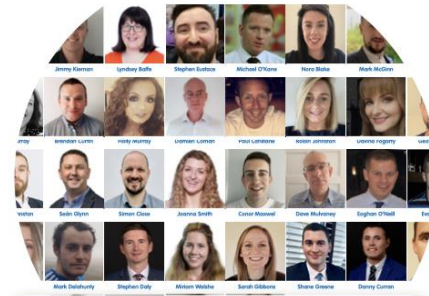
## Welcome to our community



10 years supporting Irish schools



Education only focused



Network of 60+ teachers




1,500+ partner schools



30,000 Parents & Students supported annually



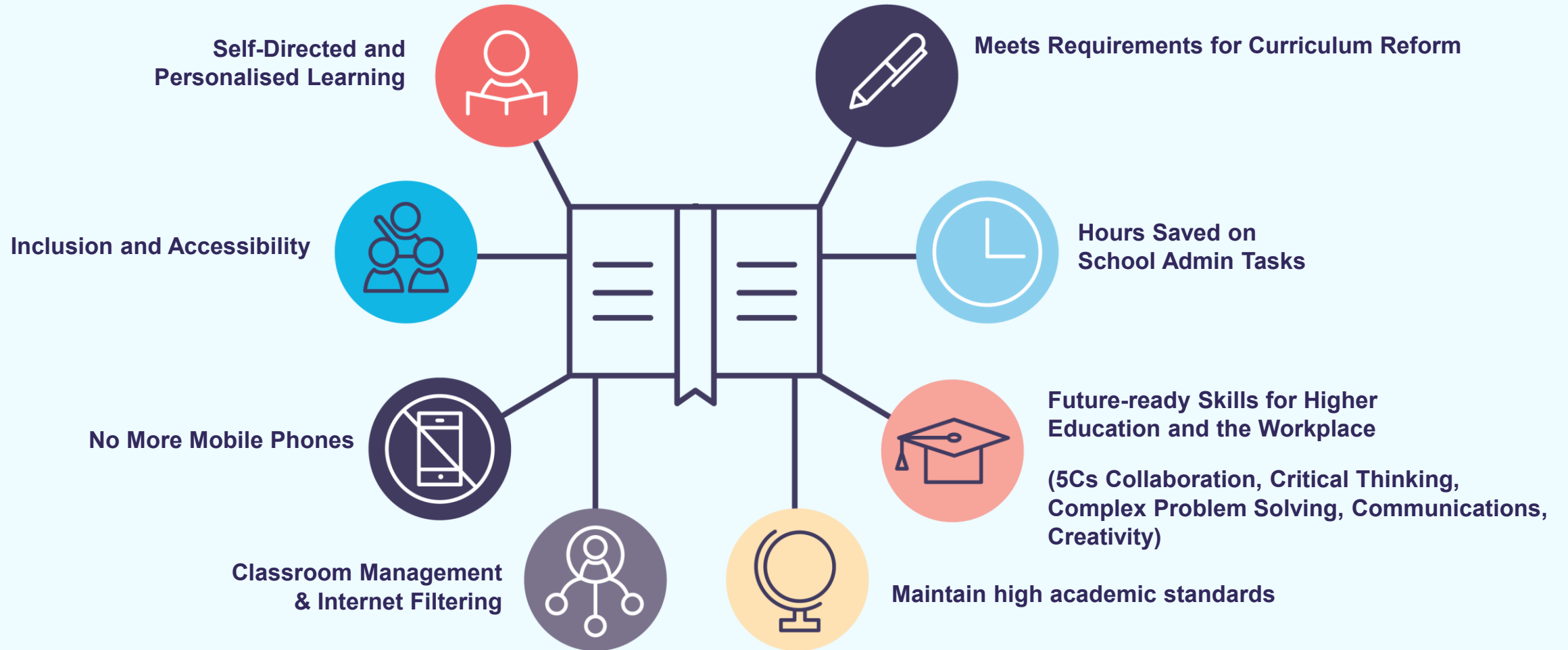
6+ World Leading Technology Partners



**A managed 1:1 student device model allows schools & parents to safely and securely help students thrive today and prepare them for tomorrow.**

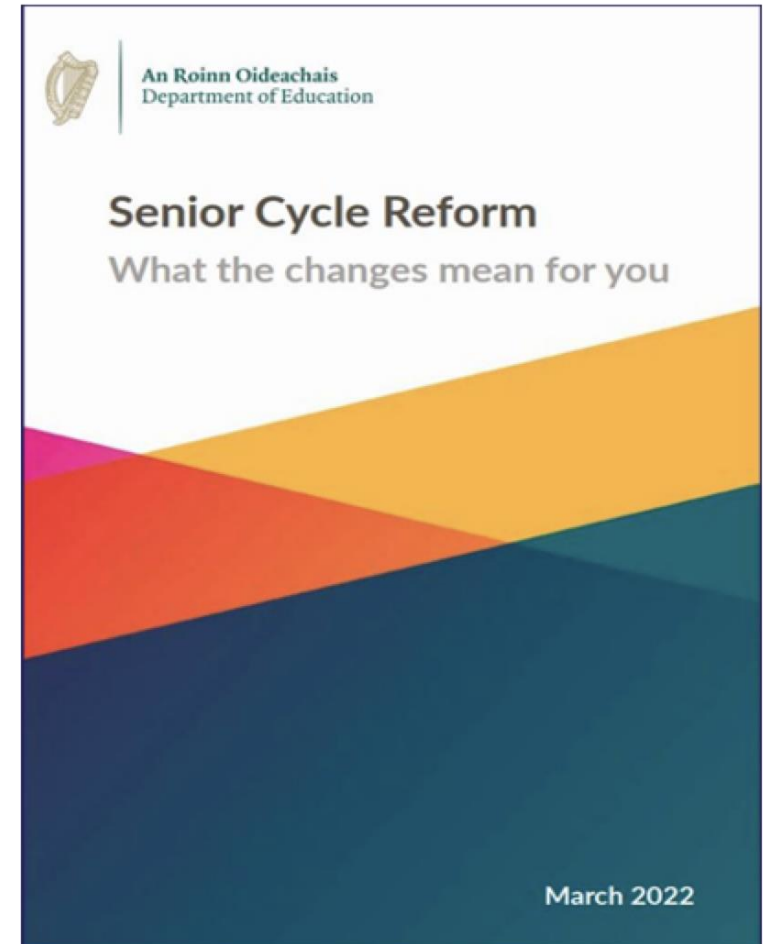


# Why choose a Student Device Model?



# Senior Cycle Reform

- Emphasis on project work and practical work.
- 60% based on written exams.
- 40% based on additional assessment components.
- Student's overall results will not be determined by their performance on one day in June.
- Current senior cycle subjects with digital components: Economics, DCG, Politics & Society and PE.
- In 2025, nine new and revised subjects, including Biology, Physics, Chemistry and Business Senior Cycle sciences.
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# Senior Cycle Reform



- Current senior cycle subjects with digital components:
  - Economics
  - DCG
  - Construction Studies
  - Geography
  - History
  - Classical Studies
  - Agricultural Science
  - Home Economics
  - Art Craft & Design
  - PE
  - LCVP
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## Digital technology: Example from the new Physics Specifications

**Digital technology can enhance learning, teaching and assessment, creating opportunities for students to develop scientific knowledge and skills and digital media literacy in ways that cannot be achieved without the use of technology.**

As students engage with Leaving Certificate Physics they have opportunities to use digital technology in a range of ways.

For example, they may use digital technology to:

- collect, record, analyse and display data and information appropriately
- visualise the core concepts, models and theories that describe, explain and predict physical phenomena
- access and analyse large datasets (e.g. databases of speed, distance and time information) in ways that non-digital techniques of data collection/analysis cannot
- develop a deeper understanding of data through choosing the right tools for data collation, visualisation, analysis, and representation of results
- develop and improve investigative research, communication, and report writing skills
- become more independent learners through, for example, appropriate online supports
- enhance their experience in the physics laboratory
- develop their understanding of how physicists use digital technology in their work.

# Department of Education Changes

## Minister to ask secondary schools for mobile phone ban during school day

Updated / Thursday, 22 Aug 2024 08:15



Most schools already have policies in relation to mobile phone use



By **Emma O Kelly**  
Education Correspondent

Minister for Education Norma Foley has said she plans to ask second-level schools to ban the use of mobile phones by students during the school day.

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## Government to spend €9m on pouches to lock phones away during school day



Schools will be able to control when students can access their phones through a central mechanism. File photo

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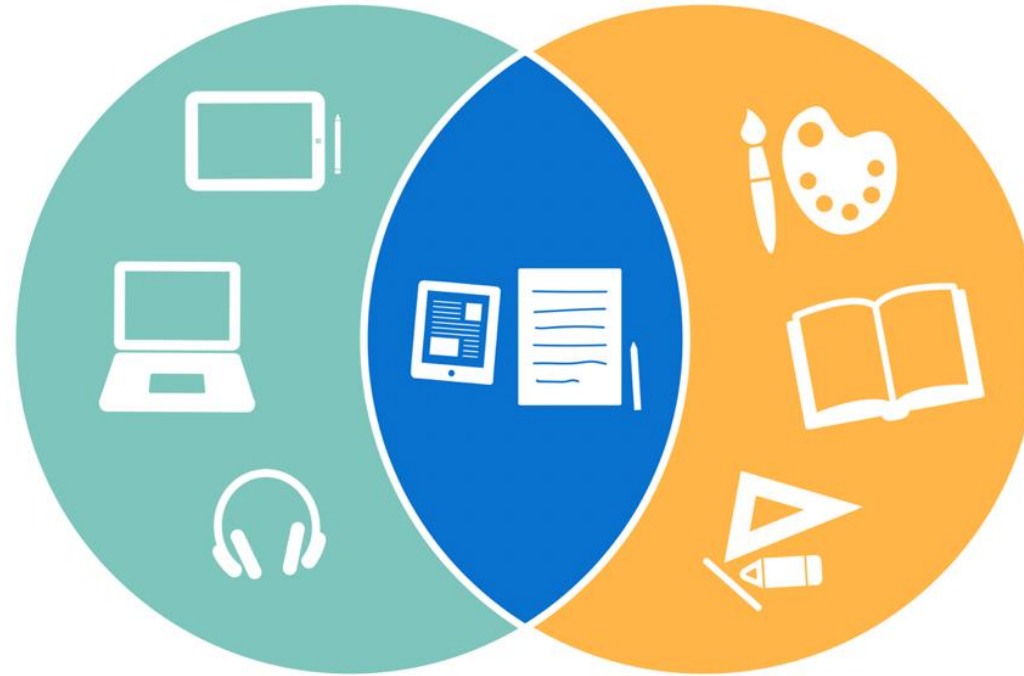
JESS CASEY, EDUCATION CORRESPONDENT



The Government plans to spend €9m on specially designed pouches to lock away teenagers' phones in an initiative to ban smartphones in post-primary schools.

# Mobile Phone's are banned

# Teaching is Evolving



Using  
Technology

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Using Traditional  
Methodologies

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Blended  
Learning

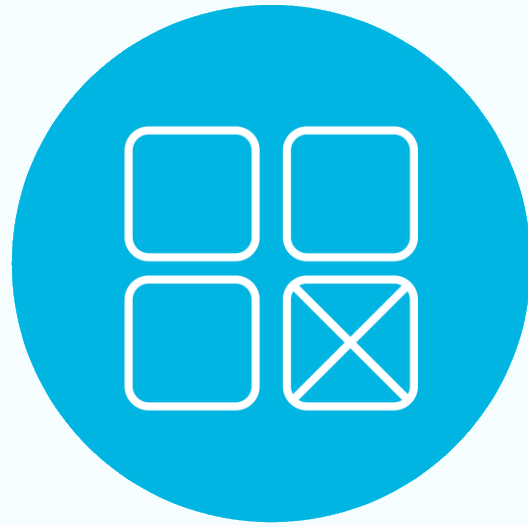
# Screen time

- Not all screen time is created equal.
- There is a difference between consumption and creation.
- The device will be used when it enhances or supports
- restricted managed EDUCATION ONLY device



“Passive screen time (e.g., TV) was associated with worse outcomes, educational screen time (e.g., computer for homework) was associated with positive educational outcomes and had no negative relations with other outcomes.”

# Device Management



**No Inappropriate Applications**

+



**MDM**

+



**Locking Down Service**

# What does it include for parents?



## Supported throughout entire time in school

Technical support via phone and email for parents and students.



## DEVICE CONFIGURATION

Bespoke setup and management for each student.



## TRAINING

Complimentary access to 1000's of training videos on Wriggle Connect Family.



## DEVICE SECURITY

Secure device configuration using MDM to ensure device is for educational use only.



## REPAIRS & LOANERS

Management of warranty repairs alongside logistics support. Also, the provision of a device loaner programme for quick swap-out.



## Interest Free Payment Plans

Pay off your bundle with 12 interest free payments



SwapIT By Wriggle

# SwapIT By Wriggle

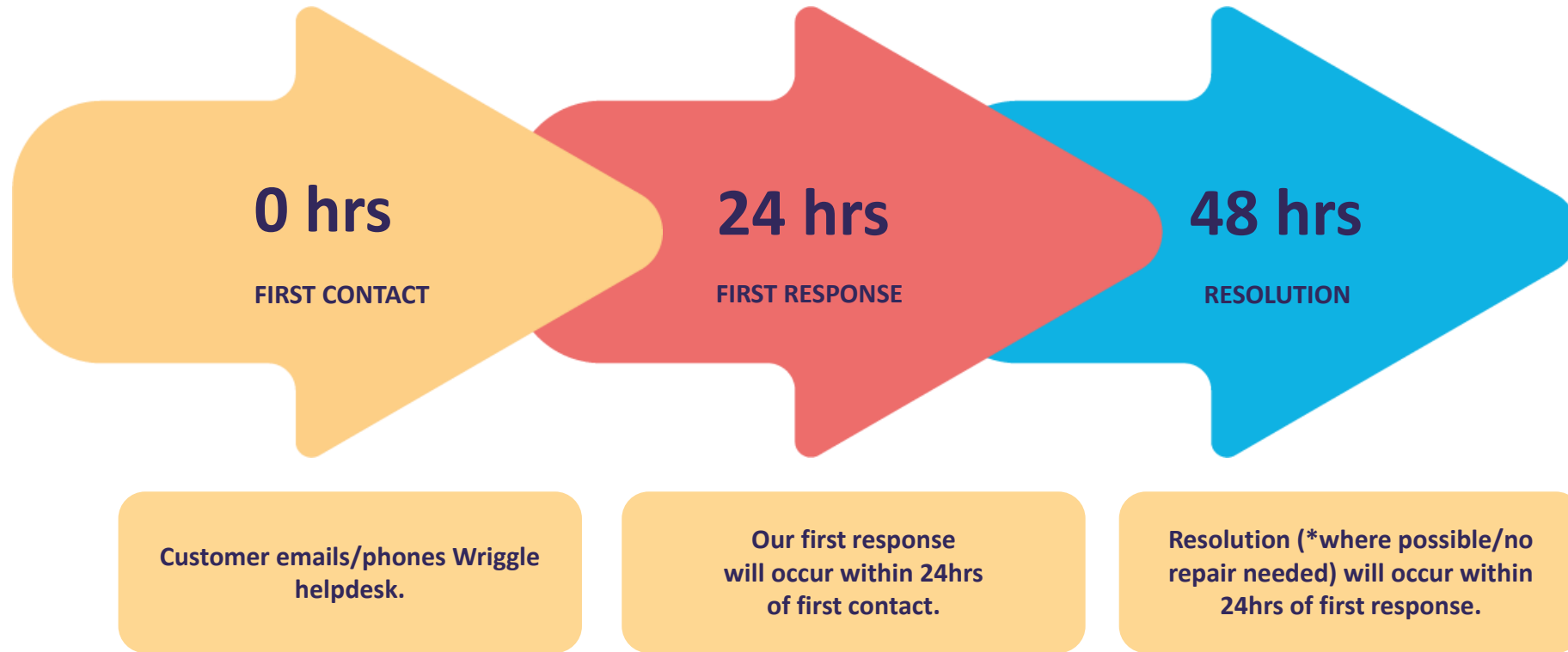
Broken laptop or tablet?  
No problem!



Wriggle's SwapIT Programme  
gives you access to loan  
devices to keep in school at  
all times.

Experience zero downtime and  
zero learning loss with  
uninterrupted access  
to technology for students  
and teachers.

# Customer Service



# We've Got You Covered!

SUPPORT

CUSTOMER SERVICE  
PHONE CALLS  
20,000

CALLS ANSWERED  
WITHIN 30 SECONDS  
98.5%

INVESTMENT IN SYSTEMS  
& INFRASTRUCTURE  
€2M+

CUSTOMER SERVICE  
TICKETS  
15,000

FIRST RESPONSE  
TIME  
<2hrs

OBSESSED WITH  
CUSTOMER EXPERIENCE  
SAVE YOU TIME

FULL RESOLUTION  
TIME  
<6hrs

FIRST CONTACT  
RESOLUTION  
81%

SUPPORTING YOUR  
SCHOOL  
70+ PEOPLE

# Important Contacts

## Parent Support

The Parent Support channel is used for issues and queries relating to store orders, hardware & software issues, device repairs, sales and more.



**01-5009060**



**info@wrigglelearning.ie**



## Online Safety and Device Security

### Problem

Access to Distracting or Inappropriate Content



Wriggle's team of engineers install Mobile Device Management software onto each student's device before it arrives at the student's home.

### Wriggle Solution

#### Parents

Peace of mind knowing their children are safe to browse online.

#### Teachers

Keep on top of student behaviour with classroom management tools.

**senso.**   
Remote Monitoring and Management

# ASUS BR12 2-in-1 Touchscreen Student Laptop



**Built for Durability:** Designed to handle the demands of student life, with a robust build that includes Corning Gorilla Glass for screen protection and military-grade certification to withstand daily bumps and drops.

**Reliable Connectivity:** Equipped with dual-band Wi-Fi 6 and Bluetooth 5.2 for fast, stable, and seamless connections to the internet and peripherals, whether at school or home.

**Immersive Display:** Features a high-quality 12-inch LED display with wide viewing angles and vibrant brightness, making it suitable for academic tasks and multimedia learning.

**Optimized Performance:** Powered by an Intel quad-core processor, 8GB of RAM, and a 128GB SSD, ensuring quick, smooth multitasking and fast performance for various student needs.

**Enhanced Security:** Includes TPM 2.0 and BIOS protection to safeguard sensitive data, offering peace of mind for schools and families.

**Versatile Design:** The 2-in-1 functionality allows use as a laptop or tablet, providing flexibility for different learning environments and activities.



## STANDARD MANUFACTURER'S WARRANTY

Covers **Defects & Faults**

Caused by the **Manufacturer**

e.g., Dead Battery, System Failure



## ACCIDENTAL DAMAGE WARRANTY

Covers **Mishaps & Breakage**

Caused by the **User**

e.g., Cracked Screen, Liquid Spill



# Bundle Cost Breakdown 5<sup>th</sup> Year Student

ITEM	DETAILS	PRICE (inc.VAT)
ASUS BR12 2-in-1 Touchscreen Laptop 3 yr AD	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 8GB RAM</li> <li>• 128GB SSD</li> <li>• Robust Education Device</li> <li>• 12-inch 2-in-1 Touchscreen Functionality</li> <li>• Student-friendly design</li> <li>• Scratch-resistant screens</li> <li>• Reliable performance specs</li> <li>• Stylus support included</li> <li>• Long battery life</li> <li>• 3yr Accidental Damage Warranty</li> </ul>	€519
Case	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Heavy Duty Case Protector</li> </ul>	€40
Senso Internet Content Filtering & Classroom Management	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Senso Class Cloud (Classroom Management)</li> <li>• Senso Content Filter (Internet Filter)</li> </ul>	€21
Configuration, Service & Support	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Device Configuration</li> <li>• Wriggle Connect Family License</li> <li>• Comprehensive Support</li> <li>• SwapIT</li> <li>• Wriggle Pay access</li> </ul>	€80
Delivery	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Device delivered to the school</li> </ul>	€7.99
Total		€667.99



## Finance Options

WriggleiPay

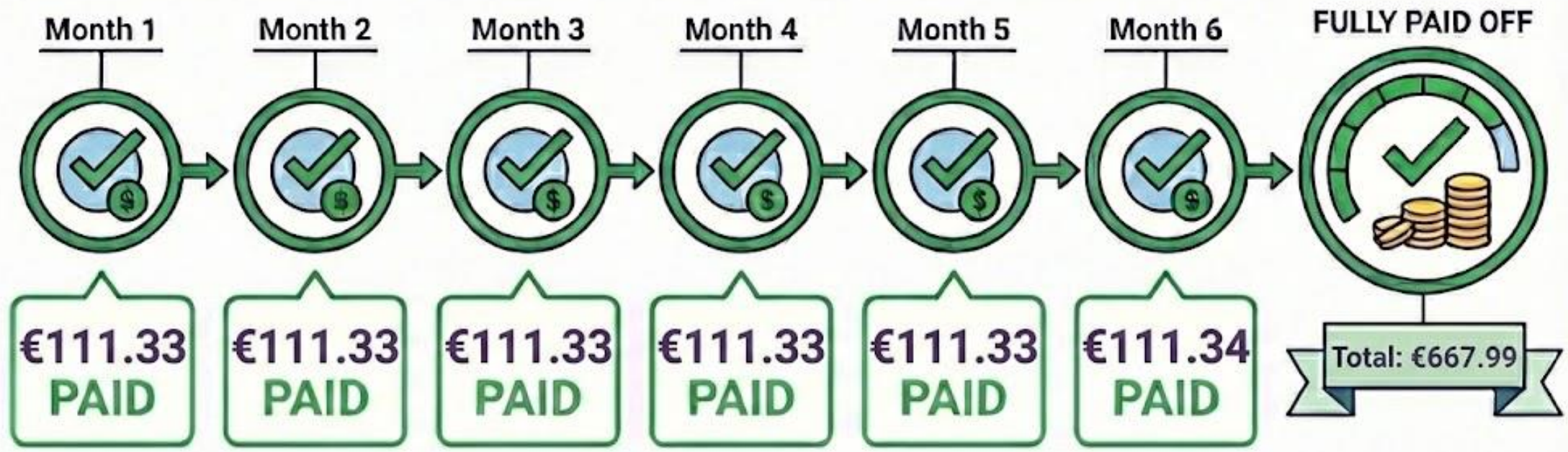
Wriggle has developed Wriggle Pay as a **0% finance solution** to lighten the financial burden that parents face during the Back-to-School period.\*

WriggleiPay

**Split Payments** allow you to pay for your device over an amount of months of your choosing with no fees!

Wriggle

*\* Please note that there is an application fee and a monthly account keeping fee*



## 12 Months

### UPFRONT

Application Fee	€	20.00
Upfront Instalment Payment	€	0.00
<b>Total Upfront Instalment Pymt</b>	<b>€</b>	<b>20.00</b>

### INSTALMENT PAYMENTS

Instalment Payment Interval		<b>Monthly</b>
Account Keeping Fee	12 x €	3.00
Remaining Instalments	12 x €	55.67
<b>Total Amount Payable*</b>	<b>€</b>	<b>723.99</b>

Interest Rate (when any applicable Interest Free period ends)	%	0.00
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APR	%	16.88
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<i>*Includes interest of</i>	€	0.00
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<i>* Includes known Fees of</i>	€	56.00
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## 24 Months

### UPFRONT

Application Fee	€	20.00
Upfront Instalment Payment	€	0.00
<b>Total Upfront Instalment Pymt</b>	<b>€</b>	<b>20.00</b>

### INSTALMENT PAYMENTS

Instalment Payment Interval		<b>Monthly</b>
Account Keeping Fee	24 x €	3.50
Remaining Instalments	24 x €	27.83
<b>Total Amount Payable*</b>	<b>€</b>	<b>771.99</b>

Interest Rate (when any applicable Interest Free period ends)	%	0.00
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APR	%	15.82
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<i>*Includes interest of</i>	€	0.00
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<i>* Includes known Fees of</i>	€	104.00
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# Timeline & Next Steps

# YOUR 7 STEP GUIDE TO USING THE WRIGGLE ONLINE STORE

Keep me, I'm Important

Full on-demand access

to 100s of 2 minute tutorials online on safely using child

A guide to purchasing physical books and installing eBooks

To make it easier for you to get all your physical schoolbooks in one place, delivered to your door, Wriggle has partnered with Book Haven, specialists in schoolbooks for over 40 years who will create a unique store for your school containing all of your books.

Purchase all your physical books on your school's Bookhaven store

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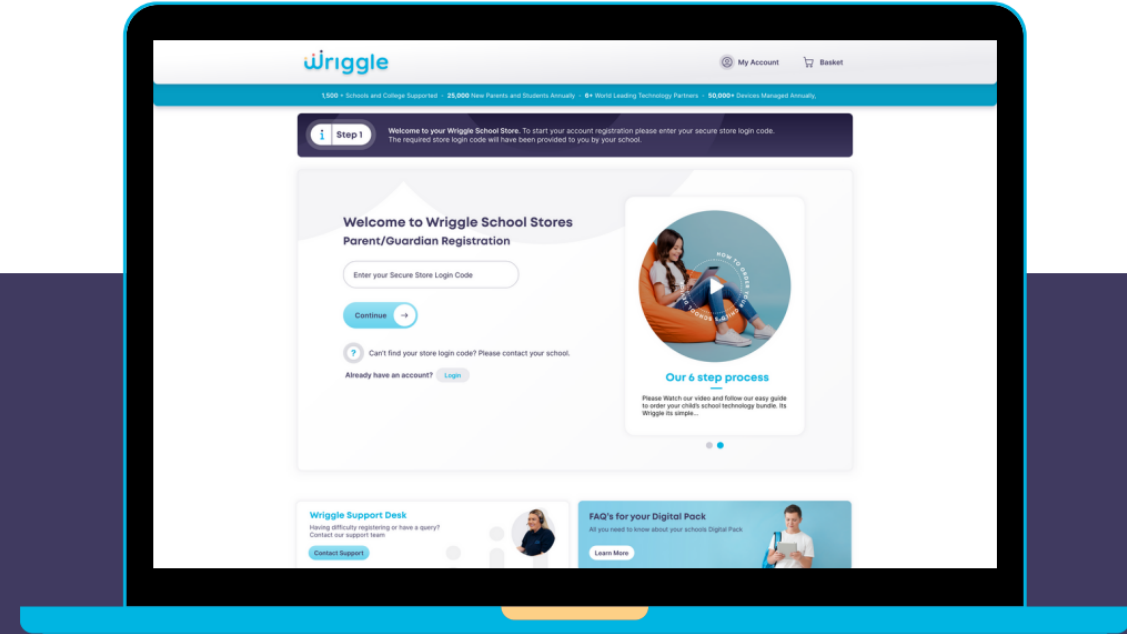
All of these tutorials are available on demand, FREE of charge to your whole family on the Wriggle Connect Family+ platform.

To learn more about

[Click Here](#)

[family.wriggleconnect.ie](mailto:family.wriggleconnect.ie)  
[info@wriggleconnect.ie](mailto:info@wriggleconnect.ie)

## Wriggle Parents' Information Pack



# STORE.WRIGGLE.IE



To get started,  
please select the store you wish to access

### Retail Technology Store

Retail Technology Store



Shop for the latest devices and accessories for personal or family use. Perfect for home, work, or play - find the right tech for your needs here

Retail Technology Store

### Student Store

Student devices for school and learning



Are you ordering a school approved student device for your child? **Please ensure that you have your schools store code to hand**

Student Store



<https://store.wriggle.ie>



Step 1

Welcome to your Wriggle School Store. To access your store, please register for an account by filling out the details as requested below and accept your student's school as listed. If you require any assistance, please contact our support desk by [info@wrigglelearning.ie](mailto:info@wrigglelearning.ie)

## Welcome to Wriggle School Stores Parent/Guardian Login



Remember me

Login



[Lost your password?](#)

Don't have an account?

[Register](#)



Access Your 7 Step Guide to Using  
the Wriggle Online Store

Download the Wriggle Guide





# Proposed Timeline

- **19th March:** Parent store opens
- **21st June:** Store closes
- **Summer:** Device delivered to your home
- **August:** Back to school Webinars
- **September:** Wriggle in school student workshops

\*€50 late fee – to incentivise orders in on time, so we can meet school timelines