

PDLP Student Device Information Kit

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Important Reminder: Always Back Up Data and Organise Files to Prevent Data Loss Due to Device Failure or Factory Reset

1. Please access and complete the **A1.2g File Management and Data Back-up**, an SLS self-paced module at <https://go.gov.sg/sls-dlts-8>, or from the SLS MOE Library:



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A1.2g File Management and Data Back-up

An illustration showing a person sitting at a desk with a laptop and a tablet. Above them are several yellow folders and a blue cloud with a white arrow pointing upwards, symbolizing data management and cloud storage.

Learning Outcomes

Target Audience:
Lower and Upper Secondary

Lesson Objectives:
By the end of this lesson, students should:
1. explain why managing, organising and backing up data is essential;
2. know at least one method to manage and back up data on their Personal Learning Device (PLD) effectively using Cloud Storage solutions; and
3. demonstrate the ability to manage and back up data on their own PLDs.

2. This SLS module introduces you to the basics of digital file management on PLDs. Through this module, you will:
 - a. understand that managing and backing up data is essential;
 - b. learn tips to organise files using folders and appropriate file names;
 - c. demonstrate the ability to **manage and back up data on your own PLD**.

1a. Acer



Help Desk Number:
6895 6278



Acer Computer (Singapore) Pte Ltd
10 Toh Guan Road
#05-06 (Lobby C)
Singapore 608838

Service Centre Operating Hours:
Monday to Friday: 8:45am to 5:15pm

Extended Hours: Wednesday: 5:15pm to 7:45pm

Saturday: 9:00am to 12:00pm

(Closed on Sundays and Public Holidays)



Help Desk Email:
pldsvc.sg@acer.com

Insurance and Warranty



Insurance*

The device insurance coverage includes:

Damage to or loss of device from the following which are non-manufacturer defects or internal mechanical faults:

- a) Fire
- b) Lightning
- c) Power Surges
- d) Accidental e.g. water spillage, drop etc
- e) Theft due to forcible entry
- f) Robbery

Warranty

This warranty warrants that the product will be free from manufacturing defects in materials and workmanship for the limited warranty period of 3 years.

**The insurance coverage is only applicable to situations of damages and loss where the student has exercise duty of care and taken precautions to safeguard the device. Acer will make the necessary assessment for claim eligibility.*

Insurance and Warranty



Enhanced Device Bundle

- ✓ 3-year warranty on manufacture defects
- ✓ 3-year insurance for accidental damage and theft which allows for 2 repairs or 1 replacement for accidental damage

Note:

Once insurance is claimed for a replacement device, the insurance coverage will cease and the replacement device will not be covered by insurance.



Information



	Issues	Actions
1	Adhoc purchase of Device	✓ Inform School ICT Team
2	1 to 1 Exchange within 7 days from unboxing	✓ Email to Acer Service Centre ^A
3	Lost Device	✓ Make a police report ✓ Inform School ICT Team ✓ Email Acer Service Centre ^A with police report
4	Device Repair	Hardware issue ✓ Email Acer Service Centre ^A OR Log a case to School ICT Team for fortnight collection service in school Software issue/Unsure ✓ Inform School ICT Team
5	Insurance Claim	✓ Email Acer Service Centre ^A

^A**Acer Service Centre**

Email: pldsvc.sg@acer.com

Please **first** write to the email above with:

Subject header: MOE PLD <Student Name> <School> <Serial Number>

Content: School, Device model, Serial number, Brief description of problem, Person to contact and Contact number

2. Standard Operating Procedure

a) Reporting of Device Issues (hardware issues and damages)

- i. Parents/students to contact school-based ICT Support (see slide 42) regarding device issues. If necessary, school should note device details and refer parent/student to relevant Contractor. Parents/students will need the following information such as their device serial number, brand and model of the device, school, their name, contact number and description of problem to log a case with the relevant Contractors.
- ii. The relevant Contractor will advise parents/students on any further actions required (e.g. bringing their devices to the service centre for diagnosis or assessment of damage).
- iii. Parents/students can also use the fortnightly collection service provided by the contractors. Please note that only PLDs procured under PDLP Device Bulk Tender are eligible for the fortnightly collection services provided by contractors.
 - School-based service desk personnel will liaise and confirm the fortnightly collection date and time with the contractor. Contractor will pick up the devices from school on the arranged date and time.
 - The devices (depending on the parts availability) will be fixed and returned to school the next fortnightly collection service day.
 - School-based service desk personnel will inform the students when they can collect back their devices.
 - Students can loan a device from the school common pool for daily lessons during the period of repair.

b) Reporting of Lost Devices

- i. Parents to make a police report for the lost device.
- ii. Parents should inform school of the lost device and give school a copy of the police report. School's DMA Administrator to remote lock the device.
- iii. If the lost device is covered under the circumstances listed in the device's insurance coverage, parents should contact and inform the device contractor via their helpdesk or service centre or insurer. They will need to furnish the contractor with the police report for insurance claim. (Applicable only if the device is still under insurance coverage period).
- iv. The contractor's helpdesk/service centre/insurer will advise parents on the insurance claim procedure.
- v. School will loan a temporary device from the common pool to students.
- vi. Contractor to send the new replacement device to school and school to pass to student if device is covered under insurance. Parents can opt for doorstep delivery but with delivery charges.
- vii. If the device is without insurance coverage or the loss is due to clause(s) not covered under insurance, parents can seek school's assistance to procure a replacement device.

c) Replacement/Change of Device

- i. Students are to inform their school-based service desk whenever there is a replacement/change of device.
- ii. Replacement/change of devices can be under any of the circumstances listed below:
 - Covered under insurance by contractor
 - Replacement of device by parents for device not covered under insurance, or if insurance period has ended
 - Students who are using their own devices which were not procured from PDLP Device Bulk Tender changing to another device
- iii. This is to facilitate the installation of the DMA into the new device.
- iv. School DMA administrator will enrol the new device to their school's DMA.
- v. For all new devices where the DMA enrolment was not done during the device handover exercise in school (including all devices collected from contractor's service centres), the school DMA administrator will first check that all backups are done, before doing a factory reset before enrolling the new device into the DMA.

3. DMA Support

For assistance on DMA matters, please contact School-Based Service Desk:



- ICT Manager/Associate
- IT Support Team
- Form Teachers – They will direct you to the school personnel

4. School-based ICT Support

Students can seek basic troubleshooting support in school from:

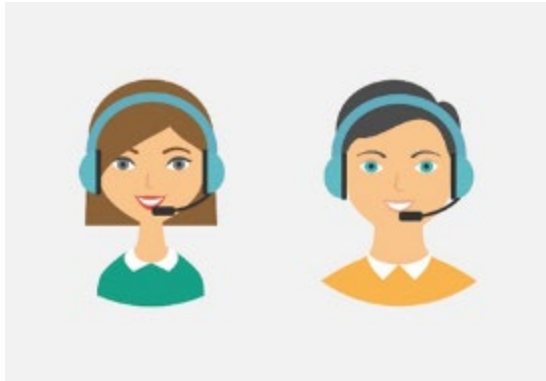


School ICT Team

ICT Associate: Mr Zalizam (Comp Lab 2)

Desktop Engineer: Mr Sarves (Comp Lab 2)

Desktop Engineer: Mr Hamzah (Comp Lab 2)



Operating Day(s): School Days

Operating Hours: 2.30pm to 3.30pm

5. Frequently Asked Questions



- ❑ **Does the insurance cover the accessories too (e.g. styluses, keyboard cases)?**
Insurance coverage is for the main device only and does not cover accessories.

- ❑ **One of my child's PLD accessories has been lost/damaged. How do I buy a replacement?**
Parents can buy replacement accessories from the Contractor's Portal (URL can be found under Contractor's information). However, students' Edusave Pupils Fund (EPF) cannot be used for the purchase of replacement accessories.

- ❑ **Can students still send their devices to their contractor's service centres for repairs after the end of the warranty period and how will the charges be imposed?**
After the expiry of the device warranty period, students can still send their device to the contractor's service centre for repair. The charges quotation will be provided by the contractor's service centre and students/parents will have to assess the reasonableness of the charges and decide whether to take up the repair. Alternatively, students can consider going to other shops to perform the repairs after the warranty is over.

- ❑ **How long do I need to keep the device original packaging box before discarding it?**
Please keep the device original packaging box for at least 7 days in case of any 1-to-1 exchange .