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Dear Parents,

Jesuit's transition to mainly digital textbooks brings many changes in the way we will interact with textbook companies. Unfortunately, we have recently been informed that our former vendor, eCampus, will NOT come to campus in June to buy back textbooks. We realize that this change means families will not have the convenience of selling books at Jesuit, and we apologize for this late notice. Next year, 85% of our texts will be electronic (notable exceptions include English paperbacks and Bibles), and the process of buying or renting texts will be mainly via digital downloads.

Students can sell textbooks to eCampus on its online site (at [www.ecampus.com](http://www.ecampus.com)), Amazon, cash4books.net, and other online companies that buy textbooks. A few local bookstores like Powells and McKenzie Books also buy textbooks. **If you need to return a rental book to eCampus**, please see the information about how to return a rental to them on the back of this letter.

Students entering Spanish II or III in the fall should keep their texts. In late June, we will post the books required for 2014-15 classes at [www.jesuitportland.org/bookstore](http://www.jesuitportland.org/bookstore). Please do NOT purchase electronic textbooks over the summer, as JHS will download texts onto your student's iPad during the first week of school. You will be charged a fee at Registration for these e-books, which are usually significantly less expensive than hard copies.

If hardcopy textbooks are required for your student's 2014-15 classes, ISBN numbers will be available on the booklist in June. Please be sure you purchase the correct version of the textbook. While we no longer have a contract with eCampus, you may still purchase textbooks from eCampus or other sites like Amazon.

**At the end of final exams, Jesuit will buy a limited number of textbooks for our Summer Session**, on a first-come, first-served basis **on Thursday, June 5, in the Gedrose Center from 11:50 am-1 pm**. Students will not be paid in cash; checks will be mailed to parents. The books we will buy from students:

- Algebra I, ISBN #9780547315157 (65 will be bought back)
- Algebra 2, ISBN# 9780547315263 (85 will be bought back)
- Geometry, ISBN #9780547315171, (55 will be bought back)
- Precalculus with Limits, ISBN #9781111427641 (60 will be bought back)

If you have questions about textbooks, contact Carol Wyatt at [cwyatt@jesuitportland.org](mailto:cwyatt@jesuitportland.org) or 503-291-5474.

Sincerely,

Paul J. Hogan  
Principal

## **How to Return a Rental Book to eCampus:**

To return a rental, please go the Virtual Bookstore website for your school and sign into My Account and click on Manage Rentals>Returns then Manage or Return My Rentals and follow the prompts through the process to Ship my Rental Back for Free or Extend or Purchase my Rental.

Rented books will need to be returned to our company at the end of the rental period. By renting a book, you agree that you are responsible for remembering the rental return date and returning the rental to us within the timeframe specified. If, for any reason, you wish to keep your rented book, you have the option to buy the book by logging in to the My Account section of our site, and viewing the Manage Rentals>Returns link

To aid in the return of rented textbooks, we provide you with a prepaid UPS label to ship your book. This label is accessible through the My Account section of our site on the Manage Rentals>Returns tab. To avoid additional charges, your return shipments must be tracking in the UPS system by the rental return date. If you have any further questions or need assistance in returning your rentals please contact our customer service team at bookstore@ecampus.com or by phone at 1-877-284-6744.

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