

Device Specifications



The school's BYOD program supports printing, filtered internet access, file access and storage through the department's network while at school. However, the school's BYOD program does not include school technical support or charging of devices at school.

Before acquiring a device to use at school please read the following technical specifications. These specifications relate to the suitability of the device to enabling class activities, meeting student needs and promoting safe and secure access to the department's network.

Specifications	Device MINIMUM Specifications	Device HIGH-END Specifications (e.g. required for Media/ICT/Digital/Design)
Platform	Windows or Mac based device <i>Chromebooks and Android devices are not supported on this BYOD network.</i>	Windows or Mac based device <i>Chromebooks and Android devices are not supported on this BYOD network.</i>
CPU	Intel: Core i3/AMD equivalent	Intel: Core i5 or AMD equivalent
RAM	4 GB Minimum	8 GB Minimum
Graphics	Intel Built in Graphics acceptable	Dedicated Graphic Chip
Storage	128 GB SSD	256 GB SSD
Network	WiFi (b/g/n) 5.0 GHz capable	WiFi (b/g/n) 5.0 GHz capable
Screen Size	11 to 13 inch recommended	13 to 15 inch recommended
Battery Life	6 hour minimum battery life	6 hour minimum battery life
Operating System	Latest version preferred. <i>Chrome OS/Linux/Windows 10S are not supported.</i>	Latest version preferred. <i>Chrome OS/Linux/Windows 10S are not supported.</i>

Curriculum Software Requirements

Minimum Software Requirements	
Virus Protection	Up-to-date full version of a trusted antivirus software NOT a trial version or AVG
Office Suite	eg Office 365 (free to all students)
PDF Viewer	eg Adobe Acrobat Reader
Internet browser	eg Internet Explorer, Google Chrome, Mozilla Firefox

Subject Specific Software

Certain subjects have specific software that will need to be installed and used. Majority of the software is free to install and details on required software is provided in the subject selection guides. Teachers will also provide instructions via their classes.

Media, ICT, Visual Art and Digital Technology students will need to purchase the Adobe Creative Cloud (CC) for \$15.00 per year. Pay at the cashier and show your receipt to a staff member in the iCentre for installation and setup instructions.