

MINIMUM SPECIFICATIONS

We understand choosing the right device for your student is difficult so we have worked with our feeder high schools to create the minimum recommended specifications designed to ensure the device will work well within school environments now and into high school.

Please do not purchase a device unless you are sure it meets the specifications outlined below.

	Minimum	Recommended
Machine Type	Laptop	2 in 1 Laptop with touchscreen
Platform	PC (Windows)	PC (Windows)
Screen Size	11 inches	12+ inches with touch
Processor*	Intel Pentium or AMD Ryzen	Intel Core i3 or AMD Ryzen 3
RAM	8GB	16GB
Hard Drive	256GB	256GB SSD or more
Operating System	Windows 11	Windows 11
Wireless	5GHz Wireless	5GHz Wireless
Battery Life	6+ Hours	6+ Hours

- * Intel Processors (Slowest to Fastest): Celeron, Pentium, Core i3, Core i5, Core i7
- * AMD Processors (Slowest to Fastest): Ryzen 3, Ryzen 5, Ryzen 7
- ➤ Qualcomm snapdragon ARM-based CPUs are <u>NOT</u> compatible with the Department's BYOx Mapper application at this time.

<u>UNSUITABLE DEVICES</u>: Chromebooks, iPads, Tablets, Android and Linux OS devices; devices equipped with a **Qualcomm snapdragon ARM-based processor**.

NOTE: If you wish to bring an Apple device you MUST contact the school for approval first.

BYOx Process

- 1. Acquire Device (must meet minimum specifications).
- 2. Read, complete and return the Student BYOx Charter and ICT Acceptable Use Agreements.
- 3. Set up your device for school by visiting our school website **HERE**
- 4. Bring device to school, fully charged in W1&2 or as directed by your teacher.
- 5. Bring your updated and fully charged device to school daily for use in class and learning programs.

Please Note:

- Do not buy Microsoft Office! This is supplied for free to students and their families.
- There is no requirement to purchase additional antivirus software. Windows has an antivirus built in called Windows Defender. Other antivirus software may not run alongside our school network.

