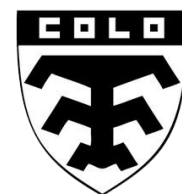










# BYOD: DEVICE SPECIFICATIONS & REQUIREMENTS



	<b>Operating System</b>	The current version of Windows 10/11 or MacOS. <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Android, Chromebooks, Linux or iOS are <b>NOT</b> allowed.</li></ul>
	<b>Form Factor</b>	A Laptop or a 2 in 1 convertible device. <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• All devices must have a physical keyboard.</li></ul>
	<b>Dimensions</b>	Minimum Screen Size: 11.6". <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Whilst a touch screen is optional, it is highly recommended.</li></ul>
	<b>Battery Life</b>	A minimum of 6hrs battery life to last the school day.
	<b>RAM</b>	Minimum: 4GB RAM. Recommended: 8GB RAM or higher. <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Students completing TAS or VA elective subjects should consider 8GB or higher to utilise their specialised software.</li></ul>
	<b>Storage</b>	Minimum: 128GB Storage. Recommended: 256GB SSD Storage or higher. <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• An SSD for Storage is preferred over a Hard Drive (HDD) due to their performance and capabilities.</li></ul>
	<b>Processor</b>	Minimum: Intel Celeron/Pentium, Ryzen 3, Intel i3 or M1 for Macs. Recommended: Intel i5, Ryzen 5 or better.
	<b>Wireless</b>	Devices must support the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 5GHz 802.11n standard.</li><li>• WPA2 Enterprise security.</li></ul> <p>Note: Devices marketed as "802.11bgn" probably do not support the required standard.</p>

## Additional Considerations

<b>Stylus</b>	Whilst a Stylus is not compulsory, it is highly recommended to purchase one particularly for note taking in Mathematics and practical subjects.
<b>Protective Case</b>	Tough and sturdy to avoid breakage.
<b>Weight</b>	A lightweight device for ease of carrying is recommended.
<b>Backup Storage</b>	All students are provided with Cloud storage free of charge as an appropriate source of back-up storage for essential documents.
<b>Insurance and Warranty</b>	Be aware of the terms of insurance policies/warranties for the device. The school will not accept responsibility for loss or breakage.
<b>Software</b>	The Department of Education provide the following software to students <b>free</b> of charge. <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Adobe Creative Cloud</li><li>• Office 365</li></ul>