BYOD HARDWARE AND SOFTWARE MINIUMUM SPECIFICATIONS

The College advises that all laptops used by students meet the minimum specifications below to enable suitability for curriculum-based activities. The minimum specifications provided reflect the requirements for connection to the BYOD Gateway. Our College Computer Technicians will make every effort to enable connectivity of devices which meet these minimum specifications, assuming there are no technical or other issues outside of their control.

The following devices are NOT supported on the school network: Apple iPads, Chromebooks and Android devices;

The following software is NOT supported - Norton Family, AVG, Avast and TotalAV Anti-Virus software.

Year 7-9 Provided by College as part of SRS scheme	Year 10 - 12	
College Preferred	College Preferred (provided by College if participating in SRS)	Optional – high specification device
• Screen - 11 inch minimum • CPU – Intel Pentium • RAM 16Gb RAM • HDD 256Gb • Battery Life – 6 hours minimum • Windows 11 operating system (minimum) with built-in Microsoft Defender Antivirus program • Mouse • Hard or protective shell laptop case to suit model.	• Screen - 14 inch minimum • RAM 16Gb RAM • HDD 256Gb • Battery Life – 6 hours minimum • Windows 11 operating system (minimum) with built-in Microsoft Defender Antivirus program • Mouse • Hard or protective shell laptop case to suit model.	• Screen - 14 inch minimum • CPU – Intel i5 / i7 or equivalent • RAM 16Gb RAM • HDD 512Gb • Dedicated Graphics Card preferred • Battery Life – 6 hours minimum • Windows 11 operating system (minimum) with built-in Microsoft Defender Antivirus program • Mouse • Hard or protective shell laptop case to suit model.

All students have access to Microsoft 365 provided by the Department of Education free download. Link available on the College website.

Windows 10 will not be supported from October 14 2025 therefore laptops must come with Windows 11.

Note: Students studying subjects that require specialist software will be provided with information on how to download it and/or licensing in their subject.