Bring Your Own Device (BYOD) Program Device Specifications and Minimum System Requirements

Under the BYOD Program, Year 7 will be required to have a personal laptop brought to school daily.

This device needs to meet device specifications that are recommended by the school and listed below. The device specifications identify the minimum system requirements and hardware specifications for student devices.

Minimum Requirements	
Operating System	Windows 10
Screen size	11"
Storage Capacity	64 GB (minimum)
RAM	4 GB
Battery Life	6 hours
Wireless	5GHz 802.11n or 802.11ac (Note: 802.11a, 802.11b, 802.11g will NOT be able to connect to the DoE wireless network)
	Recommendations
Device example	HP ProBook x 360 11 G1 touchscreen
Backup	Cloud or USB based backup solution. Students must ensure that their files are regularly backed up. Note that not all "cloud" based solutions will through the DoE network
Security Software	Windows Defender or equivalent. Antivirus and antimalware programs must be kept up to date in order to be effective.
Insurance	Accidental damage + 3 years next business day onsite support
Case	Protective suitable laptop case
Maximum Weight	2kg

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Operating System	Microsoft Windows 10
	Note: Android-based devices and iPads are intentionally omitted from this document, as they are unable to meet all the requirements of a learning device.
Educational Software	Web browser e.g. Internet Explorer, Google Chrome, Mozilla Firefox,
	• Word Processor, Spreadsheet & Presentation Package e.g. Microsoft Office, Google
	Apps, Office 365 online availability
	Microsoft Office and some Adobe products are provided to all DoE students free of charge. Access to this offer is via the student DoE portal link (Learning: Adobe software, Microsoft 365)
	• PDF Reader e.g. Adobe Acrobat Reader
	 Additional subject-specific software may be required.