



**St Paul's Catholic College bring your own device (BYOD) program is to provide students with the opportunity for more personalised learning by having access to technology both at home and at school. This program will promote individual and differentiated learning for each student from Year 7 to Year 12**



## HARDWARE SPECIFICATIONS:

Your Bring Your Own Device must meet the following requirements:

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| <b>Form Factor:</b>   | Laptop, Tablet or convertible device<br>A tablet must have a physical keyboard attached.  |
| <b>Screen Size:</b>   | 11-inch to 14-inch screen size  |
| <b>Operating System:</b>                                      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Microsoft Windows 10 (Home or Pro) ##</li><li>• Apple MacOS 10.15 (Catalina) or newer</li></ul> <p><b>Android, IOS and Chromebooks</b> are not supported</p> <p><b>## Windows 10 in S Mode</b> is not supported</p> |
| <b>CPU:</b>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Intel Pentium</li><li>• Intel Core i3, i5 or i7</li><li>• AMD Ryzen</li></ul>   |
| <b>Storage:</b>   | 128GB or higher Solid-State Hard Drive (SSD)  |
| <b>Memory:</b>  | 4GB or more   |
| <b>Wireless:</b>  | 802.11n, 802.11ac 5Ghz are supported  |
| <b>Battery:</b>   | 6 to 8 hours<br>The battery life should last the whole school day but will vary depending on usage.   |
| <b>Software:</b><br><br><i><b>Important - please read</b></i> | <p><b>Microsoft Office 365 Professional</b> is available <u>free of charge</u> to all students via the MNConnect website</p> <p><b>Microsoft Security Essentials (anti-virus)</b> is built into Windows 10 and a suitable antivirus program</p>             |
| <b>Protective Case:</b>                                       | It is highly recommended for students to have a robust protective hard case, sleeve or bag for their device.  |

## Additional Considerations:

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| <b>Portable &amp; Lightweight</b> | 1.6kg device weight is recommended<br>Keep it light on their back and consider what your child can carry |
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| <b>Warranty &amp; Insurance</b> | 2 Years is a standard warranty period for most devices<br>The College strongly recommends students have adequate insurance (accidental damage) protection. |
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