



ST ALBANS
SECONDARY COLLEGE

BYOD Information

St Albans Secondary College have a Bring Your Own Device (BYOD) program for all students in Years 7 to 12. These devices will be owned by students and their families and can be either purchased through the school's business partner/s, purchased from independent retailers, or brought from home if you already have a suitable device.

Parents who wish to purchase a device through the school's business partners

Parents who wish to purchase a device through the school's business partner can order these through **Learning With Technologies** - <http://StAlbansSC.orderportal.com.au>. Orders placed will be delivered to the school within a week. The college will contact you for collection. Devices purchased through the above portal will be provided to parents with the school's 'image' (i.e. specified applications and settings) ready for use.

Harvey Norman (Watergardens) is a "bricks and mortar" outlet that works with us to provide a range of models, with 3 year warranty (return to HN, Watergardens) that meet our requirements. Devices purchased from HN (Watergardens) should be delivered to the College for configuration.

The College is participating in the **Apple Family-Funded iPad and Mac Program**. Visit the Online Stalbans SC Apple Store from the school's web site (<http://stalbanssc.vic.edu.au/curriculum/byod/>), or any Apple Store. Devices purchased from Apple should be delivered to the College for configuration.

Devices purchased from independent retailers, or brought from home

Devices purchased from independent retailers, or brought from home will need to be 'imaged' with the school specified applications and settings.

All devices brought to the school for imaging **MUST** have the data backed up, and recovery disks prepared (if appropriate). All devices, including iPads, will be managed when on the school's network; thus all data will be lost when configuring. Normal home use will not be affected.

The minimum specifications for devices brought from home or purchased from independent retailers are shown below.

Components	Specifications
Screen Size	9.7inches (25cm) or more
RAM	2GB minimum (4GB recommended)
Operating System (Note: Microsoft Surface is not supported)	Will support <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Windows 10 OR <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Apple IOS 12.0; MAC OS 10.13
Age of device	Less than 3 years old
Keyboard	Device must have a keyboard separate to the screen. Thus, iPads must have a blue tooth keyboard.
Hard drive	100 GB+