

## **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 - <a href="http://StAlbansSC.orderportal.com.au">http://StAlbansSC.orderportal.com.au</a>. 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.

## 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	10 inches or more for a Notebook device (Windows / Apple) 10.2inches for Apple iPad or more
RAM	4GB minimum (Recommended 8GB)
Operating System  (Note: Microsoft Surface is not supported)	Will support  • Windows 10 or 11  OR  • Apple iOS 15.0; mac OS 12
Age of device	Less than 3 years old
Keyboard	For an iPad device it must have a bluetooth keyboard.
Hard drive	120 GB+

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