




CUMMINS AREA SCHOOL

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BYOD INFORMATION – Cummins Area School

When purchasing a device for use at Cummins Area School please adhere to the required minimum specifications:

- Form Factor: Laptop - Must have a keyboard and track pad/mouse (Required)
- CPU: i3 Minimum required or greater for Year 8/9 (i5 recommended for Years 10-12)*
- RAM: 4GB (Minimum Required)
- HDD: SSD 120GB (Minimum Required) (Must be SSD)
- Battery: 8 Hours (Minimum Required) – must be brought to school fully charged
- Network: Wi-Fi 'n' (Minimum Required)
- Display: We recommend 13-15" size for better portability and battery life
- Camera: At least one (Required)
- OS: Windows 10 64-bit (Required)
- Warranty: 3 Year onsite with local provider (Recommended) and Insurance (Recommended)
- Protective Case/Bag (Recommended)

**Device chosen must take into consideration the types of subjects the student is studying eg; Design related subjects may require an i7*

***Please note; Apple devices are not recommended for use in our school environment as they are not compatible with our school network. Apple devices will not be supported by the School IT Department.*

Other considerations when purchasing a device for your student:

- Insurance – check the conditions of your home contents insurance to see if the device will be covered
- Transport between home and school – it is recommended the device should be carried in a sturdy protective bag away from food & water bottles
- Charging - Students are expected to charge their device at home and bring it to school every day fully charged. Personal power adapters are not to be used at school unless Tag Tested.

Students have access to download Microsoft Office 365 as part of their Learnlink email account which provides access to Word, Excel, Powerpoint etc. There is no need to purchase this software separately.

It is the responsibility of the student / parent / caregiver to setup the Home-Internet connection on the device.

Students are required to perform 'Software Updates' on the device at least once per month in order to install the latest virus definitions and security patches.

