



# SHELDON COLLEGE BYOD CHECKLIST

The Sheldon College 'Bring Your Own Device' (BYOD) Program is an essential ingredient in your child's success in all areas of the curriculum. Please consider this specification checklist when making your purchase.

## RESPONSIBLE USE AGREEMENT

All students and carers must agree to use digital technologies and the internet in a safe, ethical and responsible way.



## WHAT DEVICE TYPE CAN I BRING?



## SUITABLE PLATFORMS



## SOFTWARE

Sheldon College students are able to download software free via iLINQ including Windows 10, Microsoft Office 365 and the Adobe CC Suite.



## WHERE CAN I PURCHASE A LAPTOP?

A dedicated purchasing portal has been developed with **JB Hi-Fi BYOD Online**, our recommended supplier for BYOD solutions. JB Hi-Fi provides families with access to a wide range of education-specific laptops, accessories and insurance, at an affordable price.



Their products are education specific and selected for their compatibility to our ICT infrastructure and Curriculum, as well meeting the student's needs at home.

The customised BYOD portal provides a simple step-by-step system that allows you to purchase devices, accessories, extended warranty and insurance all from the one place.

Access to the JB Hi-Fi Online Portal is via the [Device Program Page in iLINQ](#).

## MINIMUM DEVICE SPECIFICATIONS

<input type="checkbox"/>	Physical Dimensions	Screen Size: 11" (Minimum) (Recommended: 13")
<input type="checkbox"/>	Operating System	MS Windows 10, Mac OSX 10.3
<input type="checkbox"/>	Wireless Compatibility	Must be compatible with 802.11ac (5GHz) (This may be advertised as 802.11abgn, 802.11agn, 802.11bgn or 802.11ac)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Battery Life	Minimum of 6 to 8 hours of Battery life (Device to be charged each night)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Security Software	Up to date Anti-Virus (Windows 10 or newer, Defender is included)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Memory and RAM	Minimum of 128GB Storage, 4GB RAM (256GB Storage Recommended)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Processor	Intel Core i5 (Minimum)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Hardware Features	Camera, Microphone & Earphone Port USB connectivity (USB2/USB3)

## ADDITIONAL CONSIDERATIONS

The following are not requirements of the BYOD program, but should be considered:

<b>Preferred</b>	Device has a Physical Keyboard
<b>Recommendations</b>	256GB Storage (Minimum: 128GB) Intel Core i5 (or better)
<b>Considerations</b>	Protective Case and Cover Accidental Loss and Breakage Insurance

Students intending to select a Media, Music or CAD in Years 9+ should consider upgrading to 8GB RAM and an i7 Processor. Please refer to your local retailer for technical guidance.

## WHAT TO DO NOW

- Read the **Responsible Use Agreement**. This is available in the [Student Services area in iLINQ](#).
- Students entering Year 4 in 2018, have the option to bring their device to the ICT Office for a **Suitability Check** by Wednesday 29 November (end of Term 4).

## FOR FURTHER INFORMATION

For support regarding the BYOD Program, please visit the **Device Program Page** in iLINQ. Alternatively, contact ICT via email: [elarning@sheldoncollege.com](mailto:elarning@sheldoncollege.com).

