

# Holland Park State High School

## *Bring Your Own Device (BYOD)*

### *Selection Information*



**Laptops are the chosen device for teaching and learning at our school.**

These specifications below relate to the suitability of the laptop to enabling class activities, meeting student needs and promoting safe and secure access to the department's network.

#### **Minimum Laptop Specifications**

- Screen: 11 inch
- Operating System: Windows 8.1 64bit / Mac OS 10.10 (Yosemite)
- CPU (Processor): Intel Pentium, i3 or AMD A4
- Memory (RAM): 4GB
- Storage: 500GB Hard Drive or 128GB Solid State Drive (SSD)
- Network: Dual Band Wireless [802.11ac (2.4/5.0GHz)]
- Battery: Minimum 6hr run time on balanced power settings
- Hard Case Carry Bag

#### **Higher End Laptops**

Students studying graphics and art should consider a device for higher level computing (see specs below). HPSHS will utilise applicable software in these classes. This software will be available to eligible students free of charge.

If required please contact HPSHS I.T. Support (3347 0111) for further information.

	<u>Minimum</u>	<u>Recommended</u>
• CPU:	Intel Core i5 (2.5-2.9 GHz)	Intel Core i7 (3+ GHz)
• Memory:	4GB	8GB ( <b>Minimum for graphics software</b> )
• Graphics:	Dedicated 1GB Graphics Card	Dedicated 4GB Graphics Card

#### **Not Supported**

The following devices are NOT supported at HPSHS.

- **Chromebooks** - These devices are not compatible with BYOD solution.
- **Android Tablets, iPads or Smart Phones** - These devices are not suitable for learning at HPSHS.
- **Any devices running the following Operating Systems** - Windows 10S, Windows RT, Linux, Unix or any OS not mentioned in the minimum specs above.

#### **Software**

- Anti-virus software is mandatory on all laptops utilising BYOX Connect. DET students can purchase Symantec Norton Security for \$9.99 (one year) or \$29.99 (three years) via the link below:  
<https://students.learningplace.eq.edu.au>
- Internet Explorer for Windows and Safari for Mac are the preferred web browsers for use with the DET BYOD system. Most other mainstream browsers are also supported.
- Microsoft Office (2016 Preferred). All DET students can download the Microsoft Office 2016 suite via this link:  
<http://education.qld.gov.au/learningplace/whats-happening/office2016.html>

#### **Other Considerations**

- Length of warranty
- Accidental damage protection
- How and where repairs are carried out
- Excess for repairs