

Computer Program for Levels 3-6, 2022

Dear Parents,

This year the eLearning Sub Committee on School Council is pleased to announce the following options for the 2022 Laptop program:

<p>Option 1</p> <p>Choice of 3 approved devices</p>	<p>Purchase or Finance a laptop via the 'Learning With Technology' (LWT) portal</p> <p>https://www.orderportal.com.au/Welcome?ofid=292&eid=1668</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lenovo Yoga 11e 11.6" 6th Gen Touch Notebook \$939 including 3yr warranty (+ optional \$116 insurance + \$27 bag) • Lenovo Yoga 11e 11.6" 5th Gen Touch Notebook \$812 including 3yr warranty (+ optional \$116 insurance + \$27 bag) • Acer Travelmate B311 Spin - 11.6" Touch Netbook \$792 including 3yr warranty (+ optional \$115 insurance + \$27 bag)
<p>Option 2</p>	<p>Bring Your Own Device (BYOD) - See page 2</p>
<p>Option 3</p>	<p>Use a school device - See page 2</p>

All prices correct at time of writing.

Option 1.

School Council **highly recommends** parents purchase or finance a laptop through the LWT portal. Selected laptops meet the technical requirements of the 2022 Laptop program, and the included warranty allows SEPS Technicians to assist in the repair of the laptop on school grounds.

The selected devices provide students and parents with:

- Ongoing technical support at home and school for 3 Years from both LWT and SEPS technicians
- 3 Years Onsite Warranty
- 3 Years Insurance (optional)

Laptops from the LWT portal are typically delivered to SEPS pre-imaged and ready for students to use in week 1. Laptops can be purchased at any time from now, over the Dec / Jan holidays and all throughout 2022. Please note that the sooner you purchase, the earlier your child will be able to use it to support their learning.

Option 2.

The 2022 Laptop program allows a 'Bring Your Own Device' (BYOD) option where students can bring a suitable Laptop from home.

Conditions of this option are:

1. Parents notify SEPS that their child will use a BYOD device for the 2022 Laptop Program via the following link. <https://forms.office.com/r/aaFSqcNQWW>
2. Minimum technical requirements must be observed and will be verified by the SEPS technician – See requirements below
3. Waiver regarding responsibility for technical maintenance and damages signed by parents.

Once the device is checked by the SEPS technician it can be connected to the SEPS Wifi.

Note: No further technical support can be provided by the SEPS technician or teachers on BYOD devices. This includes imaging of the laptop, downloading of required software, software updates and troubleshooting.

Minimum Technical Requirements for BYOD:

- No **Chromebooks, MacBooks, iPads or Surface Pro**
- Laptop or Tablet with non-Bluetooth keyboard
- Windows 10
- RAM – min 4GB
- WiFi 802.11n capable
- At least 1 available USB port
- Screen size – 11" min
- Weight – less than 2KG
- Protective Bag

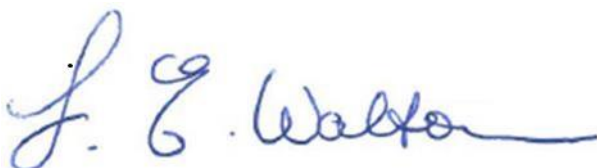
Option 3.

Students who are not supplied with a LWT device or BYOD device will be provided a laptop by the school for relevant classes. SEPS laptops are only for student use onsite during school hours and cannot be taken home. School laptop supplies are limited and will also be available to students whose laptops are being repaired etc. Please advise the school that your child will be using one of the school devices via the following link. <https://forms.office.com/r/aaFSqcNQWW>

If you have any questions or concerns please don't hesitate to contact Miss Claire Parsons or myself.

Thank you again for your support and interest in the 2022 Computer Program.

Kind Regards



Mrs Lauren Walton