

# **BYOD Minimum Specifications**

### 1. Operating System

- Microsoft Windows 11
- Apple macOS
- Google ChromeOS

### 2. Memory (RAM)

Minimum: 4GBPreferred: 8GB

### 3. Storage

- Windows/macOS: Minimum 256GB SSD (Solid State Drive)
- ChromeOS: Smaller drives acceptable

#### 4. Screen Size

Minimum 11.6"

### 5. Battery Life

- Minimum 6 hours (must last a full school day)
- Students are responsible for charging their own devices

### 6. Connectivity

- Wi-Fi 5 (802.11ac) or newer
- Must connect to the school's Wi-Fi network

### 7. Optional Accessories

• Protective case or laptop bag to prevent damage

## **Reputable Laptop Brands**

- Dell
- HP (Hewlett-Packard)
- Microsoft
- Lenovo
- Apple
- ASUS
- Acer



## **Software Information**

#### **Microsoft Office 365**

All students have a free Microsoft Office 365 license linked to their school account, including **Word**, **Excel**, and **PowerPoint**.

### **Installation Instructions**

- 1. Go to https://portal.office.com
- 2. Sign in with your **school email address**
- 3. Enter your school username and password
- 4. On the homepage, click **Install Apps** (top right)
- 5. Select Microsoft 365 Apps
- 6. Run the downloaded file (OfficeSetup.exe)

## **Adobe Creative Cloud**

Students enrolled in certain courses (e.g., Visual Arts, Multimedia, IT) may be provided with an **Adobe Creative Cloud license**.

### **Installation Instructions**

- 1. Go to <a href="https://creativecloud.adobe.com">https://creativecloud.adobe.com</a>
- 2. Click **Sign In** (top right)
- 3. Enter your school email address
- 4. If prompted, select Company or School Account
- 5. Enter your **school username and password**
- 6. Click **Apps** → **Install** on the desired application

## **Connecting to School Wi-Fi**

All students have access to the school's Wi-Fi on their BYOD device. Instructions are available for a range of device types. If you need assistance, please contact the **TSO (Technical Support Officer)** for help.