## **2024 WOODCREST BYOD PROGRAM**

In 2024, Woodcrest State College will be running a 1-1 BYOD program in Years 5 and 6 in Primary School as well as all year levels from 7 to 12 in Secondary School. It is expected that students in these year levels will need to attend school with their own device.



## **2024 BYOD Program Highlights**

- $\Rightarrow$  Students in the program are required to bring their own laptop fully charged to school every day.
- $\Rightarrow$  BYOD will enhance student performance, teaching and learning, and improve data literacy skills.
- $\Rightarrow$  The <u>minimum</u> required specification (below) is about technical specifications, not brands or models.
- ⇒ Students, parents or carers are required to sign the BYOD Charter Agreement (see website) regarding how the device can be used at school. When signed, you have agreed that your child brings their own device to school every day. This is also signed by parents at enrolment..
- $\Rightarrow$  BYOD Technical Support Officers are available at BYOD Window to assist and answer technical questions.
- $\Rightarrow$  The school does not manage, support, own or guarantee the device.
- ⇒ Limited number of school owned devices are available to families having financial difficulty for one term only. To find out more, please see the school website > Extra Curricular > Computer and Internet >BYOD > Loan Device.
- ⇒ Student owned devices connect to the school network via the 'BYOD Solution' which provides students with a secure login to the network enabling access to in-school digital resources and the internet, protected by Education Queensland's filtering and reporting systems.
- ⇒ Class OneNote and other educational online platforms are used in classes. The platforms have a personal workspace for every student, a content library for their handouts and a collaboration space for lessons and creative activities.
- ⇒ eBooks are used in some subjects and in some year levels. Students will need to be a part of the School SRS to have access to eBooks.
- $\Rightarrow$  Compass provides a homepage for all students onboarded to the Woodcrest 'BYOD Solution'.

## I have my device, what now?

Bring your compatible, updated and fully charged device from day one. The Technical team and the classroom teachers will assist you to on-board your laptops. It may take a week to get all students on-boarded. You can also onboard earlier at home by following the instructions which can be found on the BYOD page of the Woodcrest website or by typing <u>shorturl.at/flBL0</u> in your web browser. If you don't know your password you can ask your teacher to reset your password. If you know your password but you want to change it, click <u>https://fed.education.gld.gov.au/passwordchange/</u>

https://woodcrestsc.eq.edu.au/

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## Take this cut off when shopping for your device. Your device must meet all the minimum requirements. Note: Chromebook and Android devices are not compatible with school network.

Technical Subjects	Non-technical Subjects
Graphics, Media, Yr 11 & 12 Art, Digital Technologies and Information Technology	Intel Core i3/Dual Core Processor (or equivalent)
<ul> <li>Intel Chip i5/i7 - 2.3GHz (or equivalent)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Intel HD Graphics 5000 (or equivalent)</li> </ul>
2Gb Dedicated Graphics	• 4Gb RAM
• 8Gb RAM	• 120Gb Hard Drive (note: we recommend a 240Gb or
• 240Gb Hard Drive (note: we recommend Solid State	Solid State Drives for increased durability and speed
Drives for increased durability and speed)	Minimum 12" display
Minimum 14" display	Wireless Network 5Ghz
Wireless Network 5Ghz	Battery sufficient to last 6 hours on Balanced Power
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Mode	• Windows 10 or 11 64bit Operating System. (note:
<ul> <li>Windows 10 or 11 64bit Operating System</li> </ul>	Windows 10 S is not compatible).
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• USB 3.0	• Virus Protection (Trend Micro is NOT recommended)
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