Baimbridge College – BYOD Program

Hardware Requirements

The following is a list of requirements which must be met for a year 7 student device to be allowed for curriculum use, on the Baimbridge College computer network in 2024.

- **Windows 10 or 11 netbook/notebook/2-in-1 tablet**

- **Minimum 8GB of RAM**

- **SSD (solid state drive) with a minimum size of 120GB**

- **Rated battery life of at least 7 hours**

- **Touch screen (recommended)**

- **Targus TANC bag (recommended) or at least a rigid walled bag.**

- **Pen Support (recommended)**

- **Physical keyboard (not an on-screen keyboard)**

- **3yr Warranty (recommended)**

Some suggested options which meet the above specifications are on the L.W.T. portal (not all have a pen) and are linked to on the Baimbridge College website. G.O.I.T. and Harvey Norman Hamilton have a copy of the required specifications if you would like to purchase from them.

The Acer B series is the school technician recommendation as it meets the specs and is ruggedized. Available devices may change over time due to models coming and going, and due to currency fluctuations.

In addition to the above, an up-to-date anti-virus program is required. We suggest Norton Security or Sophos.

We will have a B311 device if you want to see/hold one before purchase. If you intend to purchase elsewhere, please ask them to tick off the specifications on this list to make sure your device is suitable.

Hopefully your device will get your child through year 7-9 with a view to a new device for year 10-12.