

BDS Recommended Minimum Specifications

In 2018, Boort District School students will be required to BYOD, providing devices with the suggested recommended minimum specifications outlined below.

Device Type	Windows Laptop	Mac Laptop	iPad
Operating System	Windows 10	OsX10.10 or higher	Latest iOS
CPU	Intel i3 (or equivalent)	Intel i3	
Minimum Screen Size	11"	11"	iPad Mini iPad Air
RAM	4GB	4GB	Recommended 32GB or larger
Minimum Battery Life	5 hrs	5 hrs	
Warranty	Encourage 3yr	Encourage 3 yr	
Device Examples	Lenovo Thinkpad 4th Gen 11e Yoga Celeron / 4GB / 128gb SSD HP ProBook x360 11 G1 EE Pentium / 4GB / 128gb SSD Lenovo ThinkPad 13 i3 / 4GB /128SSD Academic Model Lenovo ThinkPad L470 i5/4GB/128SSD National Academic Lenovo ThinkPad Yoga 370 i5 / 8GB / 256SSD	Apple MacBook Air(2017) 13" i5 / 1.8ghz / 8GB 128gb SSD	Apple iPad 5th Gen 32GB (Silver) Apple iPad Mini 4 128gb (Silver)
More examples	www.centrecom.com.au boortP12.technology.portal.com.au https://byod.acer.com.au/ Harvey Norman Leading Edge Computers	http://www.apple.com.au boortP12.technology.portal.com.au	http://www.apple.com.au boortP12.technology.portal.com.au

Software Requirements

Educational Software	Web browser: Google Chrome, Mozilla Firefox, Safari 6 or newer PDF Reader: Adobe Acrobat Reader or compatible
Software Access	All students are eligible to download a free copy of Microsoft Office 365, as they have an education based email account. Instructions can be found under the BYOD link on the school's website.
Backup Security Software	Students must ensure that their files are regularly backed up.
Anti-virus	Windows and Mac laptops must include an up to date antivirus software package.

