

BDS Recommended Minimum Requirements 2019

In 2019, Boort District School students will be required to BYOD, providing devices with the minimum specifications outlined below.

Device Type	Windows Laptop	Mac Laptop	iPad	Chromebook
Operating System	Windows 10	OsX10.12 or higher	Latest iOS	Chrome Os
CPU	Intel i3 (or equivalent)	Intel i3	iPad Mini1 not supported iPad 1 and 2 not supported	
Minimum Screen Size	11" or bigger	11" or bigger	iPad Mini iPad Air	11" or bigger 11
RAM	4GB or larger	4GB or larger	Recommended 32GB or larger	4GB or larger
Minimum Battery Life	6 hrs or more	6 hrs or more	6 hrs or more	6 hrs or more
Warranty	Encourage 3yr	Encourage 3 yr		Encourage 3 yr
Device Examples	Lenovo Thinkpad 11" HP ProBook 13" Acer Travelmate B118 See BoortDS BYOD portal for more examples	Apple MacBook Air 13"	Apple iPad Apple iPad Mini	Acer 11inch Chromebook HP Chromebook
More examples	www.centrecom.com.au boortp12.technologyportal.com.au/ (P'word BoortDS2019) Harvey Norman Leading Edge Comp	http://www.apple.com.au boortp12.technologyportal.com.au/ (P'word BoortDS2019)	http://www.apple.com.au boortp12.technologyportal.com.au/ (P'word BoortDS2019)	www.centrecom.com.au https://boortp12.technologyportal.com.au/ (P'word BoortDS2019)
Educational Software	Web browser: Google Chrome, Mozilla Firefox, Safari 6 or newer			
Backup Security Software	All students are eligible to download a free copy of Microsoft Office 365, as they have an education based email account. Instructions to do this will be distributed early in 2019 when all students have their school emails. 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.			