

What to look for in a school device



What to insist on

And why

Essential



10 inch screen or larger (preferably touch) + keyboard

Different school subjects

A 10-inch screen, (ideally touch) is the minimum size to view and create all kinds of content comfortably. A full keyboard is essential for typing assignments and taking online tests like NAPLAN



Lightweight
• Under 1.6kg

The school backpack

Keep it light on their back and consider what your child can carry



Battery life

Lasts the whole school day

No one wants to run out of battery half-way through the school day. Aim for the highest battery life you can to last a 6-hour day



USB and multimedia connectivity
• Ideally a range of multimedia inputs

Connect to peripherals

Windows works with more printers and peripherals like microscopes, cameras and projectors than any other platform



Microsoft Office
• Free for eligible students and teachers

Collaborative learning

Create, share and collaborate in real-time with Office 365 for Education



Windows 10

STEM-ready learning

With tools like Paint 3D, Minecraft: Education Edition, and STEM apps, Windows 10 provides an approachable platform for learning, building and exploring

Recommended



Digital pen

Unlock the Power of Digital Inking

A premier inking experience, for students and teachers alike, drive improved learning outcomes through features such as; note taking in OneNote, web page annotation in Edge and editing documents in Word



Camera
• Front, rear and world facing if possible

Augmented, virtual and mixed reality learning

Today's students need to capture, document and research in any environment and enable Windows Mixed reality experiences



The latest in processor technology
• Request the newest generation CPU

Develop future-ready skills

Using industry standard tools such as Adobe Creative Cloud, Microsoft Office, Unity, students can design, create, prototype and code

More information? Our website contains a selection of recommended school devices and details www.microsoft.com.au/right-device

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