# St Edmund's College BYOD Requirements

## Bring Your Own Device (BYOD)

All students in Years 7-12 are expected to bring their own computing device to school every day. These devices will be used in classrooms to support student learning.

## What type of device is allowed?

Students can bring either a laptop or a tablet with a physical keyboard attachment. The device **must** follow the required specifications listed below. **Please note that iPads and Chromebooks are not supported.**

## Required Specifications

### Operating System
Microsoft Windows 10
Apple OS X 10.12 or newer

### Wireless Connectivity
Device must have 5GHz 802.11n support.

This may be advertised as "Dual Band Wireless", "802.11abgn", "802.11agn", "802.11ac" or "Gigabit Wireless".

Note: Devices marketed as "802.11bgn" will not be supported.

### Battery Life
Advertised battery life of at least 6 hours without charging.

### Screen Size
**Minimum** screen size: 9.7"

### Protection
The device must have virus and malware protection.

The device should have a protective case/cover.

## Devices

A small range of compatible devices are available for purchase through Educom IT.

## Warranties and Protection

It is highly recommended that extended warranty and accidental damage protection be obtained for the device that you choose.

## Software Specifications

The device must have a word processing application, a spreadsheet application and a video editing tool. These applications and tools are all available for **free** as every student at St Edmund's is able to download Microsoft Office as part of the College's Microsoft agreement. Students could also make use of other free software such as Google docs or OpenOffice.