



Device Specifications 2026

Hardware Specifications: The device must meet all of the following requirements

Device Type	Windows Laptop	Mac Laptop	Apple iPad	Chromebooks
Operating System	Microsoft Windows 11 or newer	Apple macOS 14 or newer	Apple iOS 17 or newer	Chrome OS
Windows editions must be Home or Pro. We DO NOT support Windows RT, Windows 10, Windows 10 S Mode or Windows 11 S Mode. Android based devices are intentionally omitted from the Hardware Specification due to software compatibility.				
Minimum Screen Size	9.7 inches	9.7 inches	9.7 inches (not iPad mini)	9.7 inches
Maximum Screen Size	15 inches	15 inches	15 inches	15 inches
Storage Capacity	128GB	128GB	32 GB	32 GB
RAM	8GB minimum	8GB minimum	n/a	4 GB minimum
Minimum Battery Life	6 hours	6 hours	6 hours	6 hours
Weight	Please carefully consider the weight of the device. Students will carry the device to and from school and to their classes. We recommend that the weight of the device does not exceed 2kg.			
Recommended Accessories	Protective case/cover	Protective case/cover	Protective case/cover Keyboard	Protective case/cover
Additional Considerations	Accidental loss & breakage Insurance Disk configuration (laptops); Solid State Disk (SSD)	Accidental loss & breakage Insurance	Accidental loss & breakage Insurance An Apple ID account	Accidental loss & breakage Insurance
Anti-Virus/ Security Software	Windows – Windows Defender (comes with Windows 11). Apple – Apple Platform Security (included). See link: https://support.apple.com/en-au/guide/security/welcome/web Chromebooks – not required. See link: https://cbookreviewguide.com/chromebook-virus-and-antivirus-software/			

VCD and Art Students – Years 10 -12

Year 10-12 Students wishing to study Visual Communication and Design and/or Art should consider a device which is capable of running high-end graphics software. These machines may cost more than a baseline model.

Apple iPads

An Apple ID account will be needed to install the following apps that are required to connect the iPad to the schools network. These apps will need to be pre-installed before the iPad is brought in to be connected.

Intune Company Portal - <https://apps.apple.com/us/app/intune-company-portal/id719171358>

Android Devices are NOT supported at the College.