Dear Parents/Guardian,

In 2018 we have decided to extend the BYOD (Bring Your Own Device) program to include all of the Year 4, 5 and 6 classes. BYOD refers to the procedure of permitting students to bring agreed upon electrical devices to the school and to use those devices to access school information and appropriate applications for learning. We recognise that this opportunity will give all students greater access to the essential skills needed as 21st Century learners. The attached document outlines the only devices that are acceptable for school use.

If you are unable to provide a device, the school will provide your child with a shared device as required.

Before your child can bring their device to school, the following is required:

1. Read the ‘Device Options and App list’ handout with the specific requirements and select a device for your child to use.
2. Read through the ‘Bring Your Own Device Parent and Student User Agreement’ with your child. This does not need to be returned until next year.
3. Meet with the classroom teacher in Term 1, 2018 during the ‘Parent Teacher’ night in Week 3, Term 1 to discuss and sign the ‘Bring Your Own Device Parent and Student User Agreement’. If you are unable to make this information night, please contact your child’s teacher early next year to make alternative arrangements.
4. Students will only be able to bring their devices in with signed consent of the ‘Bring Your Own Device Parent and Student User Agreement’ and from the date specified by the classroom teacher early next year.

If you have any financial concerns, please do not hesitate to contact the school so that suitable arrangements can be made for your child.

Kind Regards

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