



2024 BYOD @ Farrer Primary School

Dear Families,

BYOD (Bring your own Device) is a program that has been running at Farrer Primary School since 2015. It allows students to bring a device from home to support their learning.

In 2018 we moved to BYOC (Bring your own Chromebook). To ensure all devices purchased by families will connect to our school wireless network we recommend that students use the same device across the school as much as possible. Devices other than Chromebooks can experience connection issues. We have elected to promote the Bring Your Own Chromebook (BYOC) model to ensure devices are compatible with the teaching and learning programs available at Farrer Primary School.

In 2024 Farrer Primary School is continuing the program with Year 4, 5 and 6 students.

Information is available on the Directorate's <u>Learn, Anywhere: ICT for Students</u> page that provides pertinent advice on the suitability of a device to connect to the school's WiFi network.

As part of our BYOC initiative, we will endeavour to support your family's choice in the type of device that you elect to use. We openly welcome all community members to speak with our ICT coordinator Aaron Flynn to determine which is the best option for your child's learning needs.

We ask that students please bring their BYOC devices to school from the following dates:

<u>Year 6 - Monday Week 3 Term 1 2024</u> – 12 February

<u>Year 5 - Monday Week 4 Term 1 2024</u> – 19 February

<u>Year 4 - Monday Week 5 Term 1 2024</u> – 26 February

For further information about BYOC @ Farrer please see attached information.

We are looking forward to the opportunities the BYOC program at Farrer Primary School will bring to your child's learning.

Kind regards,

Farrer Primary School Staff 9 November 2023