**OBPS ‘Bring Your Own Device’ Specifications 2023**

The BYOD program applies to Stage 2 and 3 students (years 3-6) only. The program is optional. If you choose to participate in the program, the device your child brings to school should meet the following requirements:

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| **Form Factor** | * iPad 6th generation or any generation beyond * iPad air 2 * Preferably not iPad mini but these are sufficient * 16GB or above will be adequate |
| **Physical Dimensions** | Minimum Screen Size as per iPad |
| **Operating System** | * IOS 16 or whatever is most current |
| **Wireless Compatibility (WiFi)** | * iPad has built in Wi-Fi |
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| **Education Software/Apps**  ***Please note:***  ***\*many of these apps come free with the iPad or are free to download from the iTunes store;***  ***\*apps will not be downloaded or updated at school this will need to be done at home.*** | It is **crucial** these apps must be installed:   * Chrome * Google Drive * Google Docs * Google Slides * Google Sheets * Google Classroom * Google Earth * Seesaw   These apps are also used very regularly:   * iMovie * Garageband * Mathletics * Find iPhone * Apple Classroom * Dictionary.com * OBPS Skoolbag * Kahoot * Extra apps may be required throughout the year (a minimum of 2 weeks notice will be provided if the app is a paid app). |
| **Additional Recommendations** | * Casing that is tough and sturdy * Carry case or skin to protect the device * Theft Recovery (Find iPhone App) |