

Computer Recommendations and Requirements

At Tilton, we teach possibilities for innovation across a variety of devices, not how to operate a single device. Tilton’s belief in teaching the critical thinking behind a task – not the instructions for completing a task – has formed the basis for our technology recommendations and requirements. For the 2019-20 school year, each student is required to bring an approved device with them for efficient and convenient access to information, resources, and tools. An approved device is defined as a laptop or tablet (smartphones are not an approved device) meeting these minimum specifications:

Form Factor	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Laptop, Tablet, or Chromebook
Operating System	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Windows 10 ● OS X 14.x or newer ● Apple iOS 12 or newer ● Android OS 8.x or newer ● Chrome OS
Additional Requirements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Wireless network access ● Laptops: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 8GB RAM ○ Anti-virus software with a virus definition update subscription

General Information

- **Printing** – There are three printers on campus available for student use. They are located in the computer lab, the library, and in the Center for Academic Achievement.
- **E-Mail** – All students will receive a “@tiltonschool.org” email address.
- **Network/Internet Access** - Tilton School has a campus-wide wireless network that is available in all common-area rooms and most dorm rooms.
- **Loaner Devices** - The Technology Office has a limited number of loaner devices that can be signed out by a student. In the event that their device that is being used for classwork becomes inoperable.

Service and Repair

- If you purchase a device **with a warranty** (strongly recommended), we will be happy to assist each student in obtaining contact information for the manufacturer. If your warranty has onsite service, the service visit must be arranged through the Technology Office. For safety and security, Tilton School requires technicians to work in the Technology Office or in a prearranged area where adults are present. If your device needs service and is **out of warranty** the Technology Office can recommend a local business it can be taken to for diagnostics and/or repairs. Tilton School makes no warranties, whether expressed or implied, for the service it may provide. *Please contact the Business Office if you are interested in purchasing accidental insurance.*