

BRING YOUR OWN DEVICE

BYOD enables students to broaden research capacity and increase learning modalities. The device is not the focus, but a powerful tool that connects instruction to technology.

What are the benefits of a BYOD program?

- expansion of the learning environment beyond the classroom and the textbook
- opportunity to develop critical thinking strategies
- equitable access to high quality content for all students
- an improved understanding of responsible technology use
- increased collaboration among students
- improved ability to articulate ideas in multiple formats
- expanded college and career readiness skills



To assist families in selecting a device, minimum recommendations are provided below:

SCREEN SIZE AND RESOLUTION

Minimum of 10" 1280 X 800,
13" is recommended.

BATTERY LIFE

Students should bring a fully charged device and a device charging cord to school each day.

SOFTWARE

Office 365 for Windows or Mac will be provided by NDHS and must be installed on student devices.

WIRELESS CONNECTIVITY

Must be compliant with one of the following standards: 802.11 / n / ac

PROCESSOR

Minimum of Intel 8th Gen or equivalent.

OPERATING SYSTEM

- Windows 10 Pro (**not 10s**)
- MacOS v. 10.13.6 or later

Chromebooks and Linux OS are not permitted

CAPABILITIES NEEDED

Camera, microphone, full-sized keyboard

RAM AND STORAGE

- Minimum of 8GB RAM
- Minimum of 250 GB storage

ADDITIONAL CONSIDERATIONS

- A sturdy case is recommended.
- Insurance / warranty / maintenance: We recommend students have coverage for loss and breakage as well as an extended warranty or maintenance plan for repairs or device support.