BISHOP MANOGUE CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL'S STUDENT LAPTOP REQUIREMENTS

ABOUT 1:1

1:1 means that every student is required to have a personal laptop to improve learning in a communal and autonomous environment. Students use their personal laptops to do classwork, research, homework, complete team projects, email, and collaborate in real-time with their instructors and peers. We believe in providing an education that seamlessly interweaves the technological skills students will need to master for the advancement of their collegiate education and their professional world. We highly recommend these technological skills be mastered because they are the standard practice and new standards of our students' future.

BRING YOUR OWN LAPTOP

BMCHS has implemented a bring your own laptop model for our 1:1 program. This means that students are responsible for bringing and maintaining their own personal laptops for classroom use. Security and productivity are of equal importance to us, which is why we require laptops that will adhere to the school's security standards and will run class-specific applications.

Macbooks, iPads/Tablets, and Chromebooks will not be acceptable devices for incoming students starting in the fall of 2024. New software requirements, as well as the movement towards total online standardized and AP testing require Windows laptops. Existing students currently using a Macbook, iPad/Tablet, or Chromebook for school will continue to be supported. If you are an existing student and need to replace your device, it must adhere to the standards set below.

LAPTOP SPECIFICATIONS

WINDOWS 2-IN-1 LAPTOP WITH THE FOLLOWING REQUIREMENTS:

- **Processor**: Intel Core i5 or better
  or AMD Ryzen 5 or better
- **RAM**: At least 8 GB (16 Preferred)
- **Storage**: At least 256 GB solid state hard drive (SSD)
- **Operating System:** Windows 10 or 11
- **Display:** Touchscreen that folds all the way back onto the laptop so it can be used to take written notes with a stylus (Often advertised as "2 in 1")
- **Stylus:** Active stylus for taking notes and turning in electronic versions of assignments/ homework. This can be purchased separately if not included with the laptop.
- **Warranty:** Recommend 4 year on-site warranty with accidental damage coverage (covers drops, spills, etc.)

***All laptops must have touch screen and stylus capabilities**