

## Can I borrow a device from the school?

At UHS, we understand that purchasing a device may place financial pressures on some families. The school is here to assist and support all students. If your child needs to borrow a device for a short or long period, please complete the back page of this pamphlet and return it to:

a. UHS Office

OR

b. Mrs A Barry  
Budjan Staffroom  
Head Teacher Teaching and Learning

## Need more information?

Call Mrs Anita Barry during school hours on 4455 1799 or email on [anita.barry1@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:anita.barry1@det.nsw.edu.au)

### Application for Laptop Loan for students attending UHS

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Year Group: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Carer Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Will you require this loan as a permanent loan? \_\_\_\_\_

Yes/No (Please circle) If no please indicate how long you will require this loan: \_\_\_\_\_

- We have read the Laptop Loan Charter.
- We understand our responsibilities regarding the use of the laptop and the internet.
- In signing below, we acknowledge that we understand and agree to the Laptop Loan Charter.
- We understand that we accept responsibility for any costs associated with the repair or replacement if caused by any negligent act.
- We understand that failure to comply with the Laptop Loan Charter could result in loss of future loan permission.

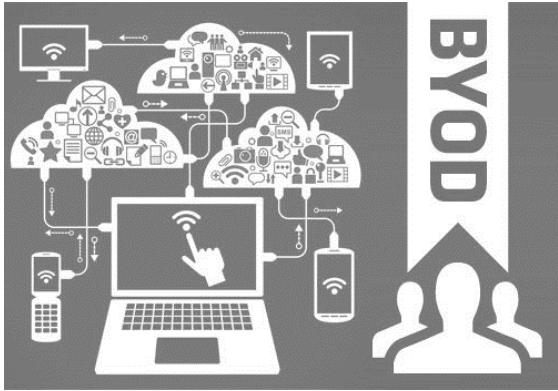
Signature of student: \_\_\_\_\_ date: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

Signature of parent/carer: \_\_\_\_\_ date: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

Head Teacher Teaching & Learning: \_\_\_\_\_ date: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

# Application for Laptop Loan





*It is highly recommended that all students have a hard case to protect their laptop*

## What is BYOD?

Bring your own device (BYOD) refers to technology models where students bring a personally owned device to school for learning. A personally owned device is any technology device brought into the school and owned by a student (or the student's family), staff or guest. **Laptop computers** are the UHS preferred devices for all students as they have the capability to run most software programs required at school.

## Why is UHS a BYOD school?

It is widely acknowledged that technology plays a huge role in students' everyday lives and should, therefore, be an integral part of their learning. At UHS, classrooms are embedded with the BYOD initiative to encourage our 21<sup>st</sup> Century students to build their capacity to become active, collaborative, and self-motivated global learners.

## What device do students need to bring?

If your child already has a laptop, we encourage them to bring it to school. However, if you are looking at purchasing a new device, we strongly encourage that a laptop is purchased as it has more functionality than a tablet.

## Which brand should I purchase?

UHS is not recommending any device to be purchased. For more information on devices that have been tried and tested at our school, view the information on the school website:

<https://ulladullah.schools.nsw.gov.au/about-our-school/what-we-offer/our-technology/bring-your-own-device-byod.html>