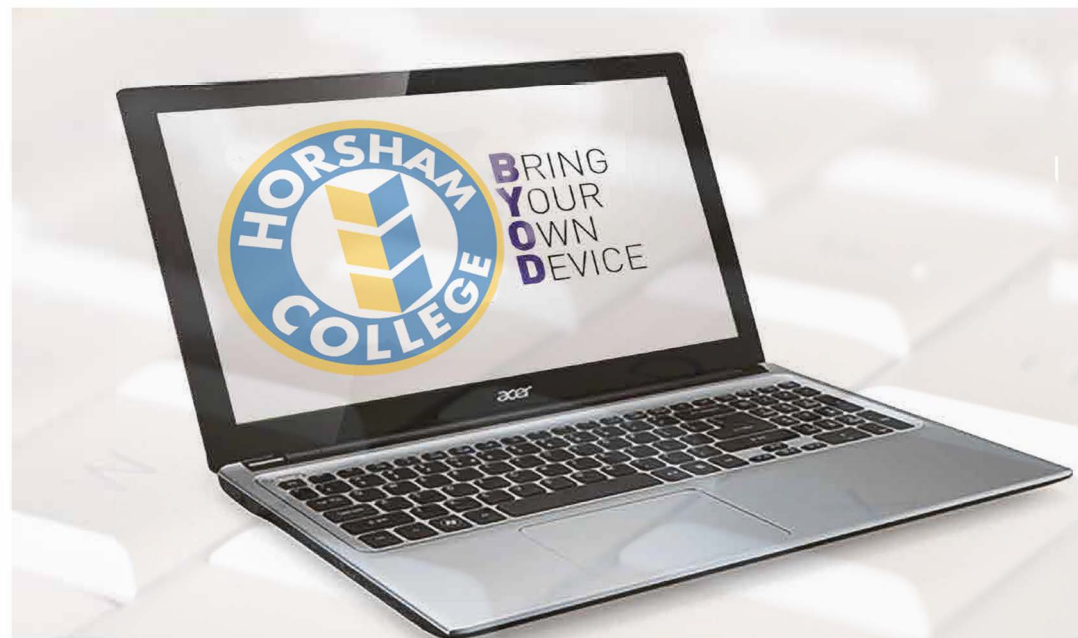We also encourage all parents to support local suppliers to benefit our local community. The following are some local suppliers who could be approached....

Wimmera Office Equipment

Harvey Norman

Betta Electrical

Laptops provided by JB Hi-Fi Education Solutions are Robust and designed for education. They all feature three year onsite warranty from the manufacturer. There is optional insurance to cover against accidental damage and theft if you wish to take it up.

School Code: horc2019

Website: https://www.jbeducation.com.au/byod

BRING YOUR OWN DEVICE

In 2016 Horsham College transitioned to BYOD 'Bring Your Own Device' to enable all students in 2019 to BYOD for 1:1+ mobile computer learning!

It is important to note:
This program will create opportunities for our students. Parents can now choose the technology that best suits their child. BYOD enables parents to ensure their child has a 1:1 mobile computer device to support their learning.
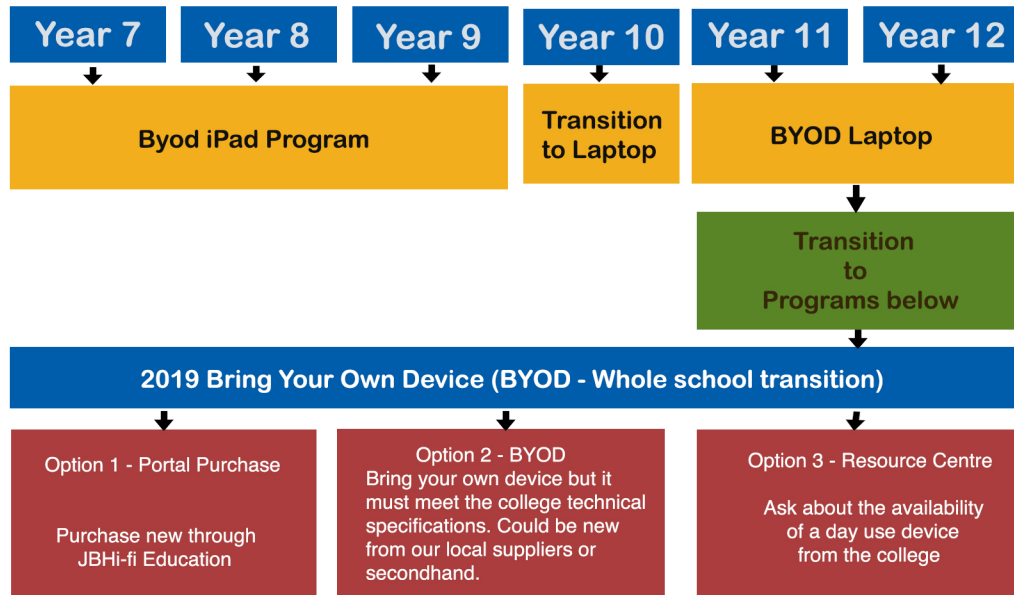
A BYOD computer must comply with the Horsham College Technical Specifications and be used as described in the College's Acceptable Use Agreement. Horsham College offers two BYOD options:
1. JB Portal. A computer bought through the JB Education Portal meets all the requirements listed in this document.
2. BYOD Local Supplier or previously purchased device already being used. If a student is to bring their own computer for learning it must meet the Device Specifications listed in this document.
If you decide your child is going to bring their own device, this document will provide you with the necessary specifications to ensure the device meets the minimum system requirements.

1:1 Summary Chart – 2019

Year 7	Year 8	Year 9	Year 10	Year 11	Year 12

Byod iPad Program (Year 7–9)

Transition to Laptop (Year 10)

BYOD Laptop (Year 11–12)

Transition to Programs below

2019 Bring Your Own Device (BYOD - Whole school transition)

Option 1 - Portal Purchase

Purchase new through JBHi-fi Education

Option 2 - BYOD
Bring your own device but it must meet the college technical specifications. Could be new from our local suppliers or secondhand.

Option 3 - Resource Centre

Ask about the availability of a day use device from the college

1:1 Summary Chart - 2019 Explained

CURRENT

Year 7 2019 - will begin the Horsham College BYOD iPad Program. Parents need to install InTune Company Portal from the App Store ready for the start of the school year.

Year 8 & 9 - will continue to use their iPads in 2019.

Year 10 - will transition from their iPads to Laptops in 2019. There will be a grace period of Semester One to allow parents time to purchase a laptop.

BYOD

Horsham College's preferred BYOD approach. Purchase a Horsham College approved device through the JB Hifi Portal OR Preferred Local Supplier. If you already have a device. Bring Your Own Device if it meets the minimum technical specifications and has been registered with Horsham College.

Years 11 & 12 2019 - will be on the Horsham College BYOD program unless otherwise arranged. Students can download all required software from the Department of Education & Training's Edustar portal www.edustar.vic.edu.au

OTHER

Year 12 - 2018: students must return their device if it is school owned at the close of exams 2018.

Horsham College Bond Program: The College has available Acer computers in good working order that can be supplied to students on a 24/7 basis on payment of $100 (This option is on a case by case situation).

Recommended Specifications for Independantly Purchased BYOD (Not JB Hi-fi) Computers.

Device Type	Windows	Mac Notebook	Windows Tablet	iPad
Operating System	Windows 8.1 Windows 10	OS X 10.7 or Higher	Windows 8 Windows 10	IOS 10.1 or Higher
Wireless	802.11n Dual	802.11n Dual	802.11n Dual	802.11abgn Dual Band
Min Screen Size	11"	11"	10"	9"
RAM	8 GB	8 GB	4 GB	
Min Battery Life	6 hours	6 hours	6 hours	6 hours
Device Examples.	Lenovo ThinkPad Yoga 11e	Apple Macbook Pro	Lenovo X1 Tablet Gen2	Apple iPad Air 2 & above or iPad Pro.
More examples in this doc.	http://www.lenovo.com.au	http://www.apple.com.au	http://www.lenovo.com.au	http://www.apple.com.au

Functional Specifications – Software Requirements.

Educational Software	• Web browser: Internet Explorer 11 or newer, Google Chrome, Mozilla Firefox, Safari 10 or newer.• PDF Reader: Adobe Acrobat Reader or compatible.• Flash and Java: Latest versions.
Software Access	Horsham College will provide password access to connect to the Wi-Fi & download software from DET: 1. Windows — 100 free software applications including Microsoft Office, System Center Endpoint Protection, adobe suite and too many to list! 2. Mac- Only 3 applications — System Center Endpoint Protection antivirus, Wolfram Mathematica, Adobe Suite. 3. iPad — Suggested apps, but apps are accessed through the inTune Company Portal & iTunes Store and includes free and to be purchased apps.
Backup	Students must ensure that their files are regularly backed up.
Security Software	Windows and Mac OS X laptops must include an up to date antivirus software package (see details above)

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