

## Frequently asked questions

- 1 Does my child have to have a digital device?
  - a. No. In years 11 to 13 however, we strongly suggest that students have their own device. Constant access for each senior student is vital.
- 2 Will they be used all the time?
  - b. No, sometimes a whole day may pass without it needing to be used.
- 3 Will it help with homework and other learning tasks?
  - c. Yes, increasingly homework will be assigned online via Office 365.
  - d. Children will have other ongoing learning tasks which they can work on independently at school and at home.
- 4 Who else will use my child's device?
  - e. No one. Children may sometimes undertake shared learning activities.
- 5 Where will my child's device be stored?
  - f. Students will take responsibility for storage and charging of their device.
- 6 What happens if my child's device is lost, stolen or broken?
  - g. Parents need to insure their child's device.
  - h. School cannot be responsible for loss, damage or theft.
  - i. If damage loss or theft involves another student then normal school behaviour management procedures will apply.
  - j. Classrooms will not always be secured when not in use.

### Fair use policy

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Children in breach of the agreement may have their rights to use a BYOD device temporarily or permanently removed.

### Repairs, maintenance and software

These are the responsibility of parents.

Cornerstone Christian School will, where possible, be using open source free software.

There are no plans to ask parents to buy software.