

Carrum Downs Secondary College Bring Your Own Device Program

The vision for Carrum Downs Secondary College is one in which all students have extensive ICT skills and are provided with the necessary tools to be successful learners within the 21st century. The use of technology to support student learning needs to be multi-faceted, flexible and adaptive in approach. The various devices utilised should enable students to have continual access to relevant information and knowledge whenever required, and perform a variety of other functions necessary to support their learning.

To create a technologically rich learning environment that actively prepares students as global citizens, Carrum Downs Secondary College is implementing a Bring Your Own Device program for all students from 2018. These devices will be connected to the school wireless so that the students will be provided filtered internet access whilst at school.

From 2018, any student will be able to participate in this program which is highly recommended, though not compulsory for this year. The College will grant access to the school's wireless network, internet, Office 365 and printing. Any use of the wireless network entails personal responsibility as well as compliance with the Carrum Downs Secondary College Acceptable Use Policies. In using the Carrum Downs Secondary College's network, students willingly grant IT staff access and permission to conduct any necessary investigations regarding inappropriate use of technology.

Specific BYOD Guidelines:

- Use of all devices as a learning tool is at the discretion of the teacher
- Devices are to be used for education purposes only
- Use of devices is not to be disruptive to others
- Charging of any devices is not permitted at school
- Students shall not distribute any information, pictures or video of students or staff without their express written permission.
- Once a student has signed up to participate in the BYOD program, it is expected that the student brings their device to school daily.

Consequences for misuse of BYOD:

- The student may not be able to use the device for the period
- The device may be removed from the student and kept at the House Office until collected by a Parent/Guardian
- The student may be refused permission to use a device at school
- Disciplinary action including detention / suspension / exclusion from school may be imposed

Carrum Downs Secondary College will NOT be responsible for:

- Devices that are broken or damaged while at school or during school – related activities.
- Devices that are lost or stolen at school or during school related activities.
- Maintenance or upkeep of any non-school device (keeping it charged, installing updates, upgrades or hardware issues).

Carrum Downs Secondary College will:

- Provide limited IT support and advice on student devices.