



INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY (ICT) 2026 DEVICE TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS

COLLEGE ISSUED NOTEBOOK PROGRAM – MIDDLE SCHOOL (Year 7,8,9):

All Middle School students will receive a College-issued notebook for use from Year 7 through Year 9.

Students will not be able to bring their own devices for Middle School - BYO devices are not supported.

COLLEGE ISSUED NOTEBOOK PROGRAM – SENIOR SCHOOL (Year 10,11,12):

All Senior School students will receive a College-issued notebook for use until the end of Year 12 as part of their school fees. The provided device has these features:

- Pre-installed software and connected to the network ready to go for day 1 start
- Regular Operating System updates
- Dedicated IT Service Desk Support for both software and hardware
- Device designed for a school environment with a 3-Year Warranty and Accidental Damage Protection (ADP)

BRING YOUR OWN (BYO) NOTEBOOK

Families may opt out of the College-issued notebook program before Year 10 begins or at enrollment after Year 10 has started; if they do, they must provide a device that meets the minimum BYO requirements for the entire Senior School period

Personal devices **must** meet the College's minimum operating standards and requirements outlined below:

- Device choice: Apple MacBook or Windows Notebook
- Operating System:
 - MacOS minimum of 11 (Big Sur)
 - Windows 11 (Windows 11 Education Edition is Recommended)
- Screen Size: 11.6" - 15"
- Battery Life: 8 ½ Hours
- Software - purchase of all curriculum-required software for timetabled classes is required
- Screen Mirror Support:
 - MacBook - Airplay Support
 - Notebook - Miracast Support
- Strongly Recommended: Ruggedized case to ensure the device is protected from accidental damage
- **NOTE:** Previous year 9 devices are not capable of being used as BYO for senior

Please be aware when opting out of the College Notebook Program:

- **BYO students will receive limited Shalom IT technical support.**
- **BYO students who require a loan device from the college (in the event of loss or damage of personal device) will be required to pay a weekly loan fee for the duration of the loan period.**
- **BYO Notebooks do not have access to printing at the College.**
- **Limited college licensed software is available to BYO devices. See list at: <https://www.shalomcollege.com/enrolment/device-requirements/>**

QUSTODIO CONTENT FILTERING AND PARENTAL CONTROLS

Shalom families have access to a Qustodio Family Pack, which covers all college managed devices and up to 1 personal device. This is paid for by the school so there is no additional cost to parents. By setting up a private Qustodio account, you can apply age-appropriate parental controls on your student's school device outside of school hours.

We urge you to set up your family's account when you receive your activation email from Qustodio. Only by working together can we meet our digital duty of care - at school, at home, and everywhere in between.

2026 COLLEGE NOTEBOOK PACKAGE

MIDDLE SCHOOL - HP Fortis Flip G1i 11 - Notebook/Tablet

This model has a good performance to cost balance, operates as both a notebook and tablet by flipping the screen, and has a damage-resistant record that is superior to others on the market. With the addition of HP's Accidental Damage Protection (ADP), any accidental damage including screen breakages will be covered for the HP excess amount of \$60.50 instead of prices often over \$300.

- Intel N250 CPU (12th Gen Intel)
- 16GB Ram
- 256GB Solid State Hard Drive (SSD)
- 11.6" Touch Screen (1366 x 768) with Corning Gorilla Glass 3 protection

SENIOR SCHOOL - HP Probook 4 G1i

This model is a step up from the junior variant with a larger screen and faster CPU to handle the additional workload and learning opportunities presented to senior students. With the addition of HP's Accidental Damage Protection (ADP), any accidental damage including screen breakages will be covered for the HP excess amount of \$60.50 instead of prices often over \$300.

- Intel U5-225U CPU
- 16GB Ram
- 512GB Solid State Hard Drive (SSD)
- 14" Touch Screen (1920x 1200)