



**Pittwater House**

## Bring Your Own Device (BYOD) Program

Pittwater House School offers a BYOD program for students in Years 5 through to 12. These students are required to have a device that meets the minimum technical standards for the school. These standards are important to make sure that every student can access school systems and resources as needed.

Use of the device during the school day is at the discretion of teachers and other staff. Students must use their device only as directed by their teacher.

- Students purchase their own device that meets the schools technical standards and bring to school every day, fully charged.
- The school partners with a device provider which enables families to purchase from an approved catalogue;
- Students will be able to, at no additional cost, install Office 365 and the Adobe Creative Cloud suite onto their devices;
- Students will also be provided with a school-based email account;
- Students and Parents can access the Pittwater House school management system for various school related information;
- Students will be provided with cloud based storage for secure and safe storage of their school work;
- Students and parents can access the school Learning Management System, for learning resources;
- For some subjects, students will access their textbooks electronically using the school provided online e-book service;
- All software is supplied by the School - you do not need to purchase any additional software
- iPads and other “App” based tablets such as Android tablets, are not recommended as a prime device due to their limitations. Similarly, Chromebooks are not supported and cannot join the school network.