



BIRKDALE STATE SCHOOL

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Personal Device Agreement Form

BYO iPad @ Birkdale- *Learning Beyond The Classroom*

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Our vision at Birkdale State School is to develop critical and creative learners that have access to all the tools necessary for the 21st Century, whilst also valuing and engaging our learners into deep thinking, problem solving and solution focused real world activities that explore the array of possibilities.

Across 2022 we have trialled the use of bring your own iPads within our year 5 classes. After this successful trial and careful consideration it has been decided to extend the trial the use of BYO iPads to our 2023 Year 3, Year 4 and Year 5 cohorts. In 2023 students in Year 3,4,5 and 6 will be permitted to bring in their personal device (iPad) each day to assist them with their learning tasks.

Our information regarding the BYO ipad @ Birkdale- Learning Beyond The Classroom can be located at <https://birkdalless.eq.edu.au/curriculum/bring-your-own-device>

To take part in 'BYO iPad @ Birkdale in 2023', please complete the below form to have your child to bring their personal iPad to school each day. *It is a requirement of the Department of Education that the Principal (or delegate) must give approval for private devices to be joined to the school network.*

David Cooke

Jodie Kemp

Principal

Deputy Principal

Requirements

Compatible Device Name	Accessories Required
iPad 9 TH Generation iPad 8 th Generation iPad 7 TH Generation iPad 6 TH Generation iPad Air (3rd generation) iPad Air (4th generation) iPad Air (5th generation) iPad Pro (11-inch) (2nd generation) iPad Pro (11-inch) (3rd generation)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Over the ear headphones• Highly protective case• Screen protector• The apps from the app list• Bluetooth keyboard (optional)
Please note: iPad 1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd or 4 th Generations, Air 2 and iPad Minis 1,2,3 & 4 are not compatible as these models no longer take iOS updates.	

Parent agreement

I agree that:

- I will supply the requirements listed above.
- My child will have their fully-charged iPad at school for **each day** for the agreed period.
- I understand that the school will not accept liability if the iPad is damaged, lost or stolen either at home, in transit or at school.
- The iPad will access the Internet at school via the school WiFi so that appropriate levels of internet filtering occur on the school site.
- I will put in place consistent practices to ensure the safe carriage of the iPad to and from school.
- Only appropriate apps, photos and content are to be placed on the iPad. If the school identifies anything of concern, I will ensure it is removed immediately. I understand that inappropriate usage will be dealt with in accordance with the School Network Access and Usage Statement and the school's Student Code of Conduct.
- I will not contact my child during school hours on the device.

Student agreement

I agree that:

General Use

- I will bring my **iPad to school each day with 100% charge**. I understand I cannot charge at school.
- I will keep the iPad in a **protective case at all times**.
- I will keep my iPad in my **bag at all times when travelling to and from school**.
- I will not use my iPad on school grounds before or after school, during play or lunch times (unless instructed by a teacher).
- I will **hold my iPad with two hands** when carrying it and **will walk** at all times.
- I will keep **food and drinks away** from my iPad at all times.
- I will ensure my iPad is **secured in the classroom at break times** and when I am not in the classroom.
- I will provide my **teacher full access** to my iPad through the Classroom app.
- I will **immediately report any breakages or accidents** to my parents and teachers.

Content

- I will only take photos and videos with my **teacher's permission**.
- I will use my iPad for **school apps only and websites for learning**.
- I will keep my **passcode private** and **provide it** to my teacher when needed.
- I **permit my teachers and parents** to perform checks **to monitor content on my iPad**, when necessary.

Internet Use

- I will only use the **internet for educational purposes** and will only connect my iPad to Education Queensland's Managed Internet Service. I am not permitted to access external internet providers at school.
- I will **not look for anything that is illegal, dangerous or offensive**.
- I will **not reveal home addresses or phone numbers**.
- I will **not use iMessages** while on school grounds, or other social media apps.
- I will **not use the internet to annoy or offend anyone else**.
- I will be **cybersafe** when using the internet.
- If I accidentally come across something that is illegal or offensive, I will clear pictures or information from the screen and immediately and quietly inform my teacher.
- For security reasons, I will **keep my account names and passwords private** unless requested by school staff.

FORM TO BE RETURNED TO THE SCHOOL

I agree to the commitments listed on this document and understand that my child will bring his/her personal iPad to school for the duration of

Child's Name _____ Signature _____ Class _____

Parent's Name _____ Signature _____ Date: __/__/__

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