

Buying a Chromebook

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Dear Parents or Carers,

At Wapping High School we are proud of our innovative and modern curriculum that we feel makes the best use of digital technology. To allow all students the maximum access to these resources we recommend that all pupils have their own Chromebook that they can use both in and out of school.

The student 'Buy Your Own Chromebook' (BYOC) scheme allows students to buy a high quality and robust device that will enable them to access their online learning and applications that will engage and motivate them to do their very best.

We have worked with the creators of the scheme to provide families with a very competitive price for owning a Chromebook which is the best device for interacting with the online learning resources we use at Wapping High School. The devices come with insurance, warranty and protective casing, meaning most faults and damage can be dealt with quickly and with no additional cost.

The scheme spreads the payments monthly and means your child will have their own personal device that they can use at home and at school. Please follow the instructions on the leaflet attached to select the equipment. Please also note that the school is prepared to assist you in purchasing a Chromebook if this is something families need help with.

The website portal to sign up for the scheme is open now with the deadline for applying being the 10th July 2021.

Pupils at Wapping High School have been using Chromebooks for both school and home learning for several years now. During the COVID 19 school closures, they were an invaluable resource ensuring pupils could maintain their learning. As we move back to a more normal routine of schooling the Chromebook device will remain an essential part of school life and equipment with many uses and applications in lesson time and for home learning.

Please see the attached leaflet for more information about the device and how to make an order. If you need any assistance placing an order or you'd like to find out more about financial support for the purchase, then please contact me via phone or email (YousefMuruuts@wappinghigh.org) and I will be more than happy to explain the scheme to you and offer any advice or assistance I can.

Yours faithfully,

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