

# CONTEMPORARY DIGITAL LEARNING

Year 3-6 iPad Program @UCSC 2022

**QUALITY SCHOOLING FOR ALL OUR STUDENTS**

*AIP Priority: Contemporary Digital Learning – Increased digital technology utilisation by staff and students improves the quality of student learning.*

## **BYO iPad Program – One to One Learning**

Students in Years 3 to 6 attending Upper Coomera State College will be expected to have a personal iPad to be used at school as part of their educational instruction from the commencement of 2022.

## **iPad Minimum Specifications**

The iPad must be one of the following and support iOS13 / iPadOS :

- iPad Air 2 or later
- iPad Mini 4th Gen or later
- iPad 5th Gen or later
- iPad Pro

\*\* (iPads outside the above specifications will not be permitted to access the College Wi-Fi network).

- ✓ The battery life must exceed 4 hours and a quality case and keyboard is essential.
- ✓ All storage versions are supported in the BYOD program at UCSC – 16GB, 32GB, 64GB, 128GB (keep in mind 16GB of storage may not be suffice, depending on how the device is utilised at home)
- ✓ Apple devices meet the specifications for Education Queensland and will work quickly and easily on our network at school and for you at home (Internet access is via wireless). Network and platform maintenance costs to support the successful operation of the iPad devices at school will be covered by the school however hardware issues are the responsibility of parents. Visit the Apple website at [www.apple.com.au](http://www.apple.com.au) for information about Apple warranty.

## **Connectivity**

iPads which meet the above minimum requirements will have access to WIFI. Internet filtering solutions restrict access to inappropriate materials whilst connected to the school's wireless network.

## **Required Apps**

Each privately owned iPad in the BYO Program will require necessary apps to be installed. Full instructions will be made available to parents to assist with this process.

## **Safety and Security of BYO iPads**

- Students are responsible for the security of their iPad to and from school
- Students who arrive before the start of the school day will keep their iPad in their school bag until they go to class and their teacher directs them to take it out
- Students will lock their iPad within the classroom during break times and specialist lessons, each classroom has a lockable filing cabinet for safe storage
- A quality cover and keyboard will help protect your child's iPad

## **Prep, Year 1 and Year 2 iPad Program (School Provided)**

Shared devices within the classroom will be provided by the College as part of Student Resource Scheme (SRS). Students will also have access to iPads in their lessons in the Digital Creative Play Learning Centre. The digital platform of SeeSaw will be utilised for students to store their digital portfolio.



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