

Baden Powell College has heavily invested in our school network at both campuses with hardware, software, teaching tools, interactive panels, and digital technologies programs to support the new Victorian Curriculum model. Digital technologies are catered for at both campuses with a variety of devices that correlate with our school curriculum.

Baden Powell has partnered with Centrecom Technologies to offer parents an affordable option for a student device to accommodate your child's learning and progression onto senior education. It is vital that parents take up on our school devices program to enhance and further develop your student's learning. Moving forward, the school will be moving away from leasing computers and providing class trolleys. With this in mind, purchasing a device for your child is now a preferred option as they move through their schooling.

Our technology program and what it means for your child:

Year Level	Need for device	Specifics
Prep	Optional	Optional: Prep students have access to a bank of iPads available in their classroom.
Years 1-4	Optional	Optional: Students in Grade 1 to Grade 4 have an option to purchase their own 1 to 1 notebook through Centrecom. Centrecom is the ONLY PROVIDER supported by the College. Students in grades 1 to 4 will have a class set of computers (1:5 ratio) that the school will provide for school learning for students who choose not to take up this option.
Years 5- 6	Recommended	Recommended: Students in Grades 5 & 6 are strongly encouraged to purchase a device to support their learning at the College and at home. If families choose to take up this option, Centrecom is the ONLY PROVIDER supported by the College. Teachers will have access to devices, which can be booked for use to provide learning activities that use ICT. Teachers will provide opportunities for students to use their devices in-class time.
Years 7-9	Essential	Essential: Students in Years 7-9 are advised that a device is essential to support learning. Families are advised that Centrecom is the ONLY PROVIDER supported by the College. The College will enable some devices to be leased by students who haven't purchased one for learning at school only. This is subject to availability and College resources. It is most likely this will be available to Year 8 and 9 students in the 2020 school year.

Purchasing a device: Centrecom is the only supplier for the personal purchase of our selected school devices program. They provide a range of options that can be tailored to family needs.

The devices are available for purchase right now. Please go to the Baden Powell College website, look for the IT Portal button and scroll to the bottom of the page to access the link to purchase a device.



The devices available to purchase are compatible with the requirements of Tarneit Senior College and Hoppers Crossing Secondary College.

<https://www.bpc.vic.edu.au/page/197>

Baden Powell College's
School Device Program- 2020 and beyond



Device Information and Specifics:

Name	Acer B118 CEL/ 128GB SSD/ 4GB/ 3YR 	Acer B118 CEL/ 240GB SSD/ 4GB/ 3YR 
Processor	Intel Celeron Quad Core N4100 1.1 GHz, 4 MB cache (up to 2.4 GHz with Intel Burst Technology)	Intel Celeron Quad Core N4100 1.1 GHz, 4 MB cache (up to 2.4 GHz with Intel Burst Technology)
Memory	4GB DDR3 RAM	4GB DDR3 RAM
Graphics Card	Intel HD Graphics	Intel HD Graphics
Screen Size	11.6" HD 1366 x 768 resolution, high-brightness Acer ComfyView LED backlit TFT LCD	11.6" HD 1366 x 768 resolution, high-brightness Acer ComfyView LED backlit TFT LCD
Storage	128GB SSD Hard Drive	240GB SSD Hard Drive
Battery Life	Up to 13 hours	Up to 13 hours
Networking and Ports	Intel Dual Band Wireless-AC, 802.11ac/a/b/g/n wireless LAN, Bluetooth 4.0; 1 x USB 3.0; 1 x USB 2.0; 1 x HDMI with HDCP support; 1 x RJ45; 1 x SD Card reader; 1 x 3.5 mm headphone/speaker jack	Intel Dual Band Wireless-AC, 802.11ac/a/b/g/n wireless LAN, Bluetooth 4.0; 1 x USB 3.0; 1 x USB 2.0; 1 x HDMI with HDCP support; 1 x RJ45; 1 x SD Card reader; 1 x 3.5 mm headphone/speaker jack
Operating System	Windows 10 Pro Academic	Windows 10 Pro Academic
Weight	1.52kg	1.52kg
Warranty	3 years on site (including battery) - lodge warranty at school	3 years on site (including battery) - lodge warranty at school
School Image	Yes	Yes
Insurance Options	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Insurance (+\$0.00) • ibroker 3 Years netbook insurance. \$75 excess (+\$223.57) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Insurance (+\$0.00) • ibroker 3 Years netbook insurance. \$75 excess (+\$223.57)
	Total: \$611.00	Total: \$672.00