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Dear Parents and Caregivers

This letter pertains to the recommended device for 2026. In the upcoming year the school will only be supporting Chromebooks for the BYO-Devices these devices have a proven track record of durability, reliability, and longevity.

The device we are recommending for 2026 is the: **Lenovo 100e G4**.

The purpose of this device is for the sole purpose of learning and promotion of developing positive skills in an online space. Student devices will be managed by the school. Managing devices ensures students are kept safe within an online learning environment.

We recommend the device not be set up prior to the beginning of the school year. If these devices have been set up prior to their school arrival, the school will factory reset as part of the management process. This will remove any accounts, data and prior configuration that may exist on the device.

Please note these devices use ChromeOS and relies significantly on an internet connection.



Heathcote Appliances are offering this model with various options. There is no option for accidental insurance anymore as the providers for this type of insurance no longer offer it. Hence the recommendation for the Lenovo device. While it is more expensive its specifically designed for education and mobility throughout a standard class day..

There are separate packages available. From device only, to an all inclusive option of device, mouse and carry bag.

To take advantage of this offer from Heathcote Appliances, click or scan the right QR code to place an order to secure a device for 2026, various payment methods and delivery options are available. Payment must be completed at the time of placing the order.

For further information on specifications of the recommended device scan or click the left QR code.

Should you have any questions please feel free to direct them to the ICT Department via email at online@southwell.school.nz

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