

Device Induction Sessions: 16 – 25 January 2017

Dear Parents / Guardians

Digital technology plays a pivotal role within education, with the benefits of advancements in technology forming a significant part of a student's learning environment.

Accordingly, students enrolled at Kennedy Baptist College require a portable computer meeting the College's minimum specifications; see *BYOD* (Bring Your Own Device Program) for 2017 information sheet (attached), or alternatively at <http://www.kennedy.wa.edu.au/> under *General Information | Bring Your Own Device Program*.

To ensure the best possible experience is provided to our students the technological operating environment on Campus differs from that outside of the College or at home. For this reason it is very important that the required device specifications are understood and met to ensure your child's device will function whilst at College.

In order to ensure that students and their computers are ready for commencement at the College, the Kennedy ICT Department will be running Device Induction Sessions before the school year begins. These are designed to address the following:

- walk each student through the basics of our BYOD program;
- get your device working on the Kennedy network;
- offer training on how to access required programs;
- provide information about the network resources available Kennedy.

DEVICE INDUCTION SESSIONS

When: Monday 16 January – Wednesday 25 January 2017

Times: 9am to 4pm daily (on the hour)

Where: IT Department, which is the desk to the left inside the College Research and Study Centre (the building to the north of Administration)

To view available session times and make a booking for your child to attend please visit <http://www.schoolinterviews.com.au/> and enter access code **anbM5** to book a session. One session should be booked per student.

Families who are away and not able to attend during the above dates, please email our IT Team directly at BYOD@kennedy.wa.edu.au to arrange a Device Induction session prior to the commencement of the school term.

For further queries please contact the College, or email our IT Team as above.

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