



Dear Parent/Guardian

PARENT PURCHASED IPAD AS A REQUIRED LEARNING TOOL AT JOHN SEPTIMUS ROE ANGLICAN COMMUNITY SCHOOL

This letter is addressed to you because an iPad is required as a standard item of equipment for all students in Year 4-12. Students in Years 10-12 have the option to bring ANY laptop or tablet device to the School with the expectation of having it connected to the Wi-Fi and Internet.

The iPad preferred is the current model new 9.7-inch iPad with 32GB of storage capacity and Wi-Fi connectivity. Earlier generation models, which may already be owned by some families, are an acceptable alternative, such as iPad Air as long as it is a model capable of running the latest version of iOS. Currently this is iOS 11.4.3. An iPad Gen 1, 2, 3 and 4 or iPad Mini are deemed unsuitable as they are unable to run this version of the operating system.

Parents can opt to buy the devices themselves from a chosen retailer or can purchase the device through the School using the "Winthrop Australia" online portal (<https://portal.winaust.com.au/a/jsr>). If you are choosing to purchase iPads supplied by Winthrop Australia please note the following information:

- All ordered iPads that have been paid for by Credit Card or Direct Deposit will be delivered directly to the parents' house. Subject to product availability, this will generally be within a week of the order being placed.
- iPads purchased on Instalment Terms, will be delivered to the School and an iPad Instalment Payment Agreement will need to be completed and signed by parents, before pickup of the device.
- Parents will receive a confirmatory email soon after placing the order on the Winthrop Australia Portal
- A second email will be sent notifying the "Instalment" parents when the iPad is ready for pickup. Pickup is from the ICT HelpDesk on the Mirrabooka campus during business hours (8:00am to 4:00pm)
- Please bring a copy of the order confirmatory email as proof of purchase when picking up your device.

Should you have further questions about the iPad Programme please refer to the information provided on the School website; <http://www.jsracs.wa.edu.au/1-to-1iPadDocs>. Within these documents is an easy to follow set up guide for parents in preparation for term one.

If you are experiencing any difficulties in setting up your iPad please do not hesitate to contact the ICT helpdesk. For any other questions please contact either the Assistant Principals of Primary or Middle School who can redirect you to Mr Tom Dudek, Head of ICT & eLearning if necessary.

Yours sincerely

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