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Dear Parents/Guardians,

The Pirongia Syndicate is excited to offer the opportunity for students to bring a Chromebook to assist their learning in 2023.

What device should I buy?

We suggest only buying a Chromebook if you were to buy anything at all, as this requires the student to login with their school account every time they use it. In this way, we can more simply protect the students with online safety.

If you are looking at purchasing a new Chromebook here are a few facts to help you decide.

Chromebook
<ul style="list-style-type: none">· Choose one with robust screen and hinge design.· More than 4GB RAM.· Long battery life (to last the full day).· 11-12 inch screen. Because students need to bring home their device everyday and a screen size around 11-12 inch would be more lightweight and portable to carry.

What will it cost?

We have negotiated special deals with PB Tech and Noel Leeming for BYOD Chromebooks which you can find attached to this letter. You do not need to buy from these stores, you are invited to find the best deal possible for your family.

Can we bring any Chromebook

Yes, however, it is essential that the device has a battery life to last a full school day (chargers are not allowed at school). Any new Chromebook will achieve this, but older devices may have batteries that hold less of a charge. Also, we suggest a newer Chromebook as this runs all apps. The older Chromebooks can have trouble accessing programmes used at school, such as Lexia.

If possible, we would recommend Chromebook models with 4GB RAM (working memory) to allow for better multi-tasking.

What else do we need to purchase?

It is highly recommended that students have a protective case/bag for their device and a set of headphones.

How are Apps installed?

Chromebooks have Apps pre-installed against your student's @tamahere.school.nz account. So, when a student logs into a Chromebook with their @tamahere.school.nz address, they will have all of the school Apps in their Apps launcher. *(Note, if your child does not know their @tamahere.school.nz account details this will be cleared up when they start school in 2023. Some students already have this information.)*

Can the devices stay at school?

We ask that students charge their devices at home. We have investigated installing charging lockable charging stations, but believe they are not a good solution due to cost, space and usage requirements.

If a student has a genuine reason to leave their device at school occasionally, they can negotiate this with their teacher who will ensure the device will be secure until the next day.

How do I insure my device?

Please contact your insurance company to arrange policy cover for the device at school. When your child is not in class a cabinet will be provided for your child to secure their device in.

What happens at the start of the year?

During the first week, and during the year, a Digital Citizenship programme will be run, after this, we will invite students to bring along their device, along with the attached and signed Student Agreement.

Is there anything to do once we purchase a device?

We have attached a How To Set Up Your Child's BYOD Chromebook Guide along with this letter, please set up your Chromebook accordingly after you purchase it.

For more information on setting up Parental Control via Google's Family Link App on Chromebook, please visit https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IhCtRMyS0_Q

If you choose to use the Family Link App, please select **NO** at the option "Control for signing in" otherwise it will ask for a "Parent Access Code" every time your child needs to login their device.

Information

More details; including research links, purchasing options, learning philosophies, digital citizenship, how to guides and Frequently Asked Questions can be found at https://tamahere.school.nz/our-learning/#_byod

Questions

If you have any further questions, please feel free to talk with Annette Howard or Charles Annals.

Regards

Annette Howard

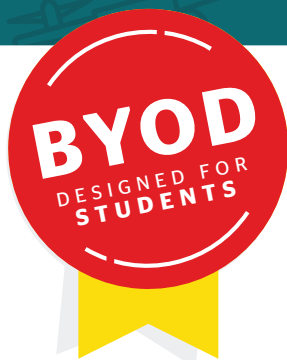
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Available in store nationwide by presenting this flyer, while stocks last

Check out the latest deals and stock availability on your schools BYOD list at <https://noelleeming.co.nz/c/byod/school-finder>

HP 11.6" G8 Education Edition Intel 4GB RAM 32GB SSD

214244



Help students reach their potential with cloud-first learning on the durable HP Chromebook 11 G8 EE that keeps pace with active student lifestyles, while the fast-booting Chrome OS makes use fast and easy.

- Intel Celeron N4120 Processor
- 4GB RAM
- 32GB Storage
- 11.6" HD (1366 x 768) Anti-glare screen

\$349

Lenovo 11.6" 100E 2nd Gen Intel Celeron Chromebook

208050



Thinner and lighter than the previous edition, this 11.6" PC is a great way to start benefiting from Chromebook features like automatic back-ups and updates, cloud-based applications and sandboxed browsing.

- Intel Celeron N4020 dual core processor
- 4GB RAM
- 32GB eMMC Storage
- Rugged, Splash Proof keyboard with Mil-Spec

\$399

Acer 11.6" HD Touchscreen 2 in 1 Intel Celeron N4120 4GB RAM 32GB eMMC Chromebook

214266



With up to 10 hours of battery life, 5MP camera and impact resistant body tested to military standards. Coming with a pen, the 2 in 1 device can be used in clamshell, tablet, display and tent modes for versatile and easy use.

- Intel® Celeron® Quad Core N4120 Processor
- 4GB RAM
- 32GB eMMC Storage
- 11.6" HD IPS Multi-Touch Touchscreen

\$479

Acer 14" HD Quad-core ARM Cortex-A73 4GB RAM 32GB eMMC Chromebook

214201



The portable Acer Chromebook 314 is the perfect companion for doing more at school and home and is a great size for kids. It comes with built-in virus protection and stands up to the daily wear and tear school life.

- Quad-core ARM® Cortex-A73 Processor
- 4GB RAM
- 32GB eMMC Storage
- 14" HD 1366x768 Screen

\$499

Get a great deal on the perfect accessories when you add them to your purchase



Targus Cypress
11-12" Sleeve - Navy
189766



Endeavour 11" Hard Shell Case
Bundle with Wireless Mouse
210558



Endeavour
In Ear Headphones
149318



JBL Tune 500
On-Ear Headphones
172464



Microsoft
1850 Wireless Mouse
129033/129034/129035

You must present a copy of this flyer and get the barcode scanned in store to receive BYOD pricing

Offer valid until 31 December 2022. Pricing and stock valid as at 1 November 2022, pricing includes GST and are subject to change. Available in store nationwide by presenting this flyer, also available online through the BYOD membership function for myNoelLeeming only. This offer is not available at Noel Leeming Clearance Centres, and cannot be used in conjunction with any deferred and/or interest free credit offer other than Zip or any other promotional offer. For information on Noel Leeming Protection plans, please visit www.noelleeming.co.nz. Standard Fly Buys points apply.



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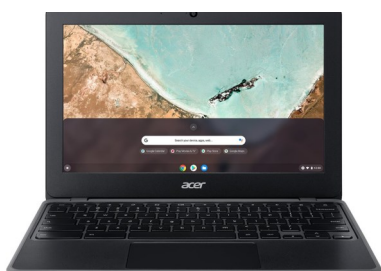


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TAMAHERE MODEL COUNTRY SCHOOL



BYOD



Acer Chromebook 311 <i>NBKACN72201</i>	Acer Chromebook C734 Rugged <i>NBKACN7340010</i>
MTK MT8183	Intel Celeron N4500
4GB Ram	4GB Ram
32GB eMMC Storage	64GB eMMC Storage
Chrome OS	Chrome OS
11.6" 1366 x 768 LED Display	11.6" 1366 x 768 LED Display
Up to 10 Hours of Battery Life	Up to 12 Hours of Battery Life
\$320.63 incl.	\$506.99 incl.
<u>Optional</u>	<u>Optional</u>
3 years PB Care Plan (<i>WARPBW0300</i>) \$48.30 incl.	3 years PB Care Plan (<i>WARPBW0300</i>) \$77.25 incl.

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MODEL COUNTRY SCHOOL

Chromebook Accessories



11.6" Advance Case	JBL Kids Headphones	Bluetooth Mouse
<i>BAGEKB9010</i>	<i>HSTJBL782251</i>	<i>MSELOG4501176</i>
Extra Pocket Lifetime Warranty	Safe, Conform, Compact	Convenient Clutter free
\$27.31_{ncl.}	\$45.00_{incl.}	\$38.35_{incl.}



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Monday - Friday : 9:30am - 5:30pm Saturday : 10:00am - 5:00pm Sunday : 10:00am - 4:00pm

*To get the BYOD deal online, simply go to

<https://www.pbtech.co.nz/education/byod>

Choose -> School Name

Once the page loaded, type in Promo Code: School's Ph# as "School Code" at the up left hand side corner