



**FREEMANS BAY SCHOOL**  
Engage, Empower, Enrich



### **Bring your own Learning Device (BYOLD) Agreement**

**Freemans Bay School is implementing BYOLD programme for the Year 5 and 6 students. The purpose of this is to support the child's learning.**

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_

I want my child to bring their own digital device to school for use in the classroom learning programme. I understand (please tick each statement):

- ☐ All devices brought to school are my child's responsibility and the insurance for the device is my responsibility.
- ☐ The school holds no responsibility for any loss or damage which might occur.
- ☐ That teachers will provide a locked cupboard in which the device may be placed when not in use.
- ☐ The device needs to be brought to school each day fully charged.
- ☐ Apps and software on devices must be kept up to date, particularly anti-virus software as applicable.
- ☐ Devices are to only be used when students are being supervised by their teacher, no child is permitted on the internet unless a staff member is present. Teachers do check, monitor and rove.
- ☐ Devices brought to school are for the use of my child. The school adheres to a 'sharing screen' concept, whereby my child may share his/her screen with others. In collaborative group work there may be 2-3 children working together, however my child is in charge of his/her device.
- ☐ Teachers will encourage the use of personal digital devices whenever possible.
- ☐ My child will still be expected to use pen and paper as part of their learning in addition to the purposeful use of their device. A computing device is a very powerful tool for engaging in the learning, but it is not the only tool that teachers at Freemans Bay Primary School use to deliver high quality teaching. The device is used at the class teacher's discretion and with the class teacher's knowledge. Whether or not technology is used in class on any given day depends entirely upon your teacher's judgment about the best tools to use for teaching and learning.
- ☐ Children will use cloud based applications such as Google Apps for file management and are allowed to access this at home with parent permission.
- ☐ My child will be expected to bring their device home each night to use to create a seamless flow between school and home.

☐ The device will be used to support student's learning as linked to what is happening in their classroom. It is not to be used at school to access personal accounts, files or games.

☐ Student are not to take photos or videos of other students and upload to any place without permission from the student involved and the classroom teacher.

☐ Rules governing the use of any school-owned digital device will apply to student-owned devices while they are at school. This includes adherence to the Copyright act and school cyber safety policies. This is in accordance with our ICT Acceptable Use and Responsible ICT User Agreements.

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We understand that:

- If the rules and responsibilities for ICT use are not followed by your child, then the privilege of using a personal device at school may be taken away.
- Repeated misuse of this device will result in it being blocked from the Freemans Bay School Wifi and that this device will be held at the school office until retrieved by a parent.
- If we do not understand anything above, we will contact the school.
- If there is a situation that concerns us, we will speak to the classroom teacher in the first instance and then to the e-learning leader, Deputy Principal or Principal, if necessary.

We (the student and parent/caregiver):

- Have read the rules that apply to BYOLD to school as outlined above.
- Agree to these rules and conditions as outlined above.

Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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**For School Use Only:**

☐ Confirmation letter sent on \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Student added to BYOLD Register

☐ Teacher informed

☐ BYOLD Agreement Filed