

Matipo School BYOD – Community Consultation

At Matipo we recognise that the world is changing rapidly. We will do our best to prepare all our students for the challenges they will face and to equip them to succeed in the changing world that lies ahead of them. All our students will need to use digital devices such as laptops, desktops and tablets as important tools for their learning and communicating.

We want to maximise the learning enabled by these devices and as a result, are keen to introduce and trial a 'Bring your own Device' programme for our Aroha Syndicate (Year 5-6). The model that we are proposing is approx. \$300.

This will mean that students in Years 5-6 can, if they wish, bring an approved Chromebook to their regular classroom every day. Teachers will direct how these devices will be used to support learning.

There is no expectation for students to bring a device to school. If you are unable to provide a device for your child then the school will provide one.

At this point we are wanting to collect information about who can provide a device for their child. This will help us understand how many the school will need to provide to ensure equity.

We are talking to Te Atatu Intermediate, who are open to students using Chromebooks in their learning within their own school policies.



Please return the form below to the office.

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Student Name: _____ Room: _____

Yes I am able to provide a Chromebook for my child

No, I am not able to provide a Chromebook for my child

Signed: _____

Date: _____