

# Traralgon College Laptop Program 2020

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At Traralgon College we believe a personal computer allows students to access information, enhance and extend their learning and demonstrate understanding in creative and innovative ways.

ALL students will be expected to have a laptop to support their learning. In 2017 the College introduced a Bring Your Own Device program (BYOD) in conjunction with the Managed Bring Your Own device program (MBYOD)

Both options will continue to be available in 2020 with the preferred option continues to be the Managed Bring Your Own Device as this allows for the college to offer a high level of support to these devices.

**Each option is described below and it is really important that Parents read this carefully so they understand the difference between the two options and can make the most appropriate decision for their circumstances.**

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## **MBYOD** (Traralgon College's preference)

The MBYOD program means parents purchase a laptop from a third-party supplier (Learning with Technologies) and they select a laptop to purchase from a limited number of college approved laptops.

Features of the MBYOD program:

- Students gain access to the full resources of school network including the colleges ICT Department personnel to provide efficient support (technical, warranty and insurance if applicable)
- Laptops are purchased online at a competitive price negotiated with the provider.
- Each of the laptops purchased under the MBYOD program has a 3-year Onsite warranty this includes repair at home during the holidays (issue needs to be logged via <https://www.lwt.com.au/warranty.aspx>)
- MBYOD models will receive a connection to the college network and have the college software image installed.
- **Laptops will be shipped from LWT to the College, if purchased before 2/12/2019.**  
**Laptops purchased after this will be delivered to the school from 20/01/2020**

**At additional cost (Recommended):** Parents have the option to purchase a 3-year insurance policy which covers accidental damage, accidental loss and theft (In the event of a repair or replacement is required, the policy has a \$100 excess charge). The payment of the excess and other cost incurred is the responsibility of the device owner.

Learning with Technologies will continue to be the MBOYD laptop supplier for 2020. Parents can purchase a laptop from LWT using the Traralgon College Order Portal (see link below).

The four laptops will available for purchases via the 2020 MBYOD program are:

- **Acer B118** (A light weight 11.6" notebook ruggedised for education use with good battery life. Great for web surfing and document creation. \$675 approx. Inc Insurance)
- **Acer B118 Spin** (A light weight 11.6" Convertible Touch notebook ruggedised for education use with good battery life and extra storage space. Great for web surfing and document creation \$892 inc. insurance approx.)
- **Lenovo ThinkPad L390 Silver - 13.3" Non Touch** (A perfect balance between mobility and productivity, durable device with bright 13.3" screen \$1127 Inc insurance approx.)
- **Lenovo ThinkPad T490 - 14", Core i7, Dedicated Graphics,** (A more powerful 14" machine with a MX250 2GB dedicated graphics chip, while still being light enough to carry to school. \$1776 Inc insurance approx.)

***The MBYOD portal is open and ready to receive orders right now!***

**<http://TraralgonCollege.orderportal.com.au>**

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## BYOD

The BYOD option means parents are free to purchase a device for their student provided it meets a college specified minimum standard.

Laptops (Preferred BYOD Option):  
Specification (minimum standard)

- Celeron n3050 (minimum).
- 4 Gig RAM.
- 64 Gig eMMC storage (minimum preferably 128 Gig).
- 11-inch Screen (minimum)
- Current Version operating system (MAC OS or Windows 10 Home or higher Window 10 S will not work)
- Anti-Virus Software
- Battery life sufficient enough for all class use
- Wireless Integrated Card “802.11abgn”, “802.11agn”, “802.11ac”

IPADs / Microsoft Surface:  
Specification (minimum standard)

- 10 Inch Screen
- Current Operating System IOS or Windows (Non jailbroken)
- Wireless Integrated Card “802.11abgn”, “802.11agn”, “802.11ac
- Battery life sufficient for all class use

**Android /Linux / Unix devices will not be supported; this includes Samsung Tablets and Google Chrome devices**

Features of the BYOD program:

- These devices can be purchased from any supplier parents choose to access.
- Students with BYOD devices that meet the specification will have access to the college network.
- Students with BYOD devices will NOT have the college software image installed. The Traralgon College ICT Department will, assist with connection issues to the network and internet and department systems; however, support will be limited to these systems as per DET guidelines and policy.
- Parents will be responsible for resolving any warranty, non-school related software, damage, and loss or theft issues. ICT staff are unable to assist with such problems.
- **The purchase of insurance is entirely at the discretion of parents (accidental damage, accidental loss, or theft). Parents are responsible for the entire cost of any repair or replacement of a BYOD device purchased without insurance.**
- **Traralgon College will not take responsibility for lost or damaged BYOD devices.**

To assist students with BYOD laptops Traralgon College is moving to a suite of ‘cloud’ based software solutions and will also make the Department of Education and Training software catalogue (free) available in a self-serve portal.

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In 2020 the college will continue to offer a financial hardship program to support families who meet specific criteria with the purchase of laptops; however, we believe the low price of an acceptable BYOD device should reduce the demand in this area.

To make a confidential inquiry about a laptop Hardship Application, please make an appointment with the Business or ICT Manager.

**Please note:**

- **Available MBYOD models may change model and price without notice during the school year.**
- Finance options available on the MBYOD portal are private agreements between parents and the providers. Please ensure you understand all aspects of the agreement Before committing.
- Purchasing of Insurance is highly recommended, any repairs outside of insurance is the responsibility of the device owner. Some damage repairs can incur costs higher than the purchase price of the devices.

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## Managed Bring Your own Device (MBYOD) - Options



**\$675** approx. with insurance

### **Acer Travelmate B118 Non Touch - 11.6", 128GB SSD**

Product Code: ACE3802510-8821959

11.6" HD WXGA (1366 x 768 resolution) Screen

Intel Celeron N4100 (4M Cache, up to 2.4 GHz)

4GB DDR3 Memory (1x 4GB)

128GB Solid State Drive

Integrated Keyboard

Up to 13.5 Hour Battery

1.5KG

Front Facing

Windows 10 National Pro Academic

Intel Dual Band Wireless-N 7260 AC (2.4/5.0Ghz)

Standard

3 Year Onsite Warranty

Acer Accidental Damage Insurance

with \$100 excess - 3 years –

All Insurance include claim limits please read PDS



**\$890** approx. with insurance

### **Acer Travelmate B118 Spin G2 - 11.6", 256GB, Stylus**

Product Code: ACE3882000-8821969

11.6" Touch display 1920 x 1080 Screen with Acer Active Stylus

Intel Pentium quad-core N5000 (4M Cache, up to 2.70 GHz)

4GB DDR4 Memory

256GB Solid State Drive

Integrated Keyboard

Up to 13 Hour Battery

1.5KG

Included

Front Facing

Windows 10

Intel Dual Band Wireless-N 7265 AC (2.4/5.0Ghz)

Standard

3 Year Onsite Warranty

Acer Accidental Damage Insurance

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**\$1127** approx. with insurance

## **Lenovo ThinkPad L390 Silver - 13.3" Non Touch - Core i5, 8GB, 256GB**

Product Code: LEO3820222-8821973

13.3 inch Display - 1920 x 1080  
Intel Core i5-8265U (6M Cache, up to 3.90 GHz)  
8GB DDR4  
256GB Solid State Drive  
Integrated Keyboard  
Up to 14 hours  
1.46KG  
Front Facing  
Microsoft Windows 10 64bit  
Intel Dual Band Wireless-AC 8265 (2x2, 802.11ac)  
Standard  
3 Year Onsite Warranty - 3 Year on Battery  
Lenovo 3 Year Accidental Damage Protection –  
\$100 excess - 3 Claims Over 3 Years –  
Please read PDS all insurance has limits



**\$1776** approx. with insurance

## **Lenovo ThinkPad T490 - 14", Core i7, Dedicated Graphics, 16GB, 512GB, 1.55KG**

Product Code: LEO3966545-8895170

14.0" FHD IPS AG (1920 x 1080)  
Intel Core i7-8565U (8M Cache, up to 4.60 GHz)  
16GB DDR4  
512GB SSD PCIe-NVMe OPAL  
Integrated Keyboard  
Up to 14 hours  
1.55KG  
Front Facing  
Microsoft Windows 10 64bit  
Intel Dual Band Wireless-AC 9560  
Standard  
3 Year Onsite Warranty - 3 Year on Battery  
Lenovo 3 Year Accidental Damage Protection - \$100 excess –  
3 Claims Over 3 Years - Please read PDS all insurance has limits