

MERRI-BEK PRIMARY SCHOOL – NO 2837

Acceptable Digital Technologies Use Agreement: Students and Parents/Guardian 2023

Dear Families,

As you are aware we have begun a different model of BYOD (Bring Your Own Device) at Merri-bek and therefore it was necessary to update our Digital Technologies agreement.

This agreement is for students and parents to read and sign. It **must** be signed before students can access their laptops at school. This is to ensure that students have a clear understanding of the expectations and their responsibilities with using the laptops.

Please read through the agreement together, carefully with your child/ren. It is important that students understand we are working together to better support their learning through effectively using digital technologies, but more importantly expanding their understanding of what being a responsible digital citizen entails. Cyber safety is part of our start-up programs in the Grade 3-6 learning areas to ensure clear guidelines and expectations are put in place at school around using laptops responsibly and safely.

The agreement must be signed by the student and parent/guardian by **Monday 6th February** as teaching teams across Grade 3-6 have planned to begin using laptops next week. (Week commencing 6th February)

If you have any questions please contact the school.

Yours Sincerely,

[Maria Giordano](#)
Principal