

BYODD 2025 Summary Years 7-12

Designated Device

Students at Newman College are required by Policy to use the designated devices as set by the College. **We do not support any other devices for year 7 students.**

For the 2025 BYODD program, Newman College has partnered with Winthrop Australia to provide an educational bundle for all students in years 7-12.

The education bundle Newman College has negotiated includes:

- Microsoft Surface Laptop 6 (**8GB-16GB**) 256 GB 13.5"
- 13th Gen (**i5-i7**) Processor
- Screen resolution 2256 x 1504
- Ten Point multipoint Touch screen and Pen enabled.
- Front facing camera
- Up to 19 Hours Battery
- Wi-Fi 6: 802.11ax compatible
- Windows 11 Professional
- STM Dux Cover (**Sold separately**)
- Free Delivery
- Finance Options Available



Price average: ~\$1800

(Excluding Warranty Options and Accidental Damage Protection and Pen)

Availability

The bundles are available now for purchase. Please follow the link.

<https://sales.winaust.com.au/shop/newman>

Changes to Add on Warranty and ADP

Please note:

Due to new laws, from the 5th of October 2021 Winthrop are no longer allowed to sell Accidental Damage Protection, insurance or add on warranty at the time of purchase. Winthrop will send you an email 5 days after you place your order with a link to purchase insurance or add on warranty if you wish to do so. You must **opt-in on the checkout page** to receive the email.

Highly Recommended

It's highly recommended that the **Microsoft 3-year warranty with ADP** is purchased. Depending on which option is selected, your device will be covered for **2-3 claims** for accidental damage such as cracked screens and water damage over three years. Theft and loss of accessories are not covered.

Warranty and Repairs

If any problems occur with the device or with the Windows operating system (including damages) - bring the device to the Newman College ICT Department so they can properly diagnose the issue.

If the device requires repair or replacement, the ICT Department will advise the appropriate course of action.

If the Surface Laptop does require repair or replacement a loan device can be provided while the student device is sent in for repair/replacement.

Frequently Asked Questions

Q: Is the price of any bundle on the web portal fixed?

A: The price of any Microsoft Surface Product or accessory listed in bundles on the portal are **subject to change**.

The device needs to be set up before the first day of school

To ensure a smooth start to the year, the designated device **needs to be set up at home first**, to a usable level on the desktop. It should not be brought to school with the out of box experience first time setup.

The device needs to be set up with a personal email account, not the College provided account.

Here is a link to help with [OUBE \(out-of-box-experience setup\)](#)

Loss or Damage

Newman College takes no responsibility for stolen, lost, or damaged devices, including lost or corrupted data on those devices. In the event of loss, theft or damage, students must immediately report the incident to the ICT Department, PCG teacher and parents. If any problems occur with the device or with the Windows operating system (including damages), the College ICT Department will diagnose the issue. If the device requires repair or replacement, the ICT Department will advise the appropriate course of action. On certain occasions where a device requires repair or replacement, a loan device may be provided to the student by the College as an interim measure.

The College strongly recommends all parents purchase a tough case to protect their child's device from damage.

The College strongly recommends all parents take out theft and accidental damage insurance coverage on devices for the duration of their use. Parents may be able to add their child's BYOD device as a portable item to their home contents insurance.

Newman College strongly recommends all parents purchase an extended warranty when purchasing a device.

For further information contact the Newman ICT Dept on 92049479