

ICT at Baradene



Note:

Our BYOD recommendations are devices that should last until your daughter's **senior years**.



As a **Microsoft School**, we use M365 apps as our platform for teaching and learning.

In Year 7, your daughter's classes will cover cyber safety, Microsoft Office applications, and AI literacy. Our goal is for Baradene students to become confident, critical thinking, 21st-century learners.

BYOD Device:

To ensure your daughter has a BYOD device that best supports her learning at Baradene College, the following specifications are recommended:

- At least 8GB RAM
- Fast processor (Intel i5, Ryzen 5)
- A screen size of 13-14 inches
- Battery life sufficient to last a typical school day (approximately 5-6 hours)

Baradene College has traditionally used Windows devices across the school. As we expand our familiarity with macOS, support times may be affected.

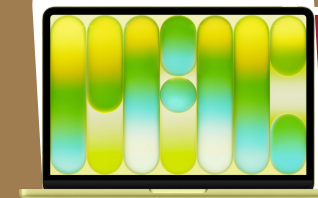
BYOD recommendations:



Asus Vivobook 14in
Intel Core 5
8GB RAM
256GB SSD
Approx \$1000



Lenovo V14 G4 14in
Intel Core i7
8GB RAM
256GB SSD
Approx \$1150



Macbook Neo 13in
Apple A18 Pro
8GB RAM
256GB SSD
Approx \$1399

Prices correct as of August 2026

Support

At the beginning of the school year, there is time set aside to help all new students download Microsoft 365 and set up their devices with their username and password. We will provide assistance and instruction to enable your daughter to connect to the school wireless network.

Our New Era ICT technicians will be able to assist students with problem-solving or troubleshooting during lunch times, morning tea and before school.