ST PETER APOSTLE PRIMARY SCHOOL

BYOD Contract

I ____________________________ (please print) understand and accept these conditions that allow my child ____________________________ in class ___ to bring a personal computing device to school as part of the St Peter Apostle School BYOD Program:

- The school will allow a personal computing device to be brought to school each day as part of my child’s curricular program
- I will ensure (as far as possible) that all software (apps), and data (eg, music, movies, documents) are legally purchased and/or have appropriate licensing
- I understand that whilst all care is taken to ensure that devices are safe whilst at school, the school accepts no responsibility for loss or damage. The school suggests that the devices should be insured under a house and contents policy which covers the device for loss and damage outside the home.
- I understand that student devices will be placed in a locked cupboard/room during break times and whenever the class is absent from the classroom.
- The school will provide a filtered internet service (wifi accessible) for the device to access whilst on school premises. Parents/guardians are advised that home and public networks do not generally have a content filter and greater care should be taken when students use devices in these environments.
- The device is to be used for educational purposes only during school hours as directed by the classroom teacher and specialist teachers/LSOs. Classroom teachers may from time to time allow time for games/music/etc, but this will be at the discretion of the classroom teacher.
- Wilful damage to any device (student’s own device, or that of another student) will lead to immediate withdrawal of the BYOD privilege (ie, the student will not be permitted to bring a device to school - either permanently or for a specified period, depending on the severity of the offence).
- Cyberbullying will not be tolerated and consequences will follow the same disciplinary process as any other bullying offence in the school. Instances of cyberbullying or inappropriate use of technology can be reported by students and/or parents to classroom teachers directly, or online via the school’s Wellbeing email: care@stpeterahc.catholic.edu.au (this email is a direct line to the Wellbeing team).
- Anti-virus software is recommended on devices where threats exist (eg, Windows laptops/tablets).

Signed ____________________________ Date _____________

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