



SCHOOL EQUIPMENT LIST FOR 2018 - YEAR 8

All classes start school on Monday 22nd January, 2018.

This information is provided so that students can successfully undertake their studies. Lack of the correct equipment can seriously hamper studies which will in turn be reflected in lower student performance and results

Please ensure that all equipment is **CLEARLY NAMED** and have some private means of identification placed on them so that losses can be traced.

SUBJECT	EQUIPMENT REQUIREMENTS
<p align="center">GENERAL EQUIPMENT FOR <u>ALL</u> SUBJECT AREAS</p>	<p>Bring Your Own Device (BYOX) Laptop – See attached information.</p> <p>Pencil (HB), Eraser, Biro (blue/black & red), Coloured Pencils, Glue, Scissors, Sharpener, Stapler, Ruler, USB Stick, Dictionary, and Thesaurus.</p> <p>Students <u>MUST</u> purchase individual exercise books for subjects rather than one book/folder with dividers.</p> <p>Scientific Calculator – Sharp EL-531XHB-WH (these are available from the school office for \$22.00).</p> <p>Students will need to purchase printing credit vouchers for \$5 from the office as required.</p>
ART (ART)	2B, 4B, 6B pencils, black felt tip fine liner pen. A3/A2 canvas or canvas board.
DIGITAL TECHNOLOGY (DGT)	128 page exercise book.
DRAMA (DRA)	128 page exercise book.
ENGLISH (ENG)	128 page exercise book.
HEALTH AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION (HPE)	128 page exercise book, hat, water bottle and sunscreen.
HOME ECONOMICS (HEC)	128 page exercise book.
HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES (HUM)	128 page exercise book.
INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGY AND DESIGN (MAN)	A4 Display folder and BYOX Laptop
JAPANESE (JAP)	128 page exercise book.
MATHEMATICS (MAT)	128 page exercise book per term, protractor, compass (or kent set), graph paper, A4 display folder. Scientific Calculator – Sharp EL-531XHB-WH purchased from the school office).
SCIENCE (SCI)	128 page exercise book.

Please Turn Over for information about - Bring Your Own Device (BYOX)

Important IT Update

The Education Queensland preferred model for further integration of Information & Communication Technology (ICT) into the curriculum is Bring Your Own Device (BYOX).

This means that parents are responsible for the provision of personal laptops for their student to use.

Class sets of recycled laptops are being phased out as they become unserviceable and will not be replaced.

Mossman State High School has purchased a bridge point connection portal to facilitate the connection of these personal devices to the school network. We would strongly recommend the following minimum specifications for general school use.

Mossman State High School provides:

	Filtered Internet	H Drive	G Drive	W Drive	Printers
Windows	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Mac	✓	✓	✓	✓	X

Recommended Specifications:

- Minimum battery life of 6 hours to cover a school day. NB There will be no charging facilities at school.
- Computer with a minimum of 4GB RAM.
- Protective case.
- Pointing device (mouse or stylus), touchpad on laptops is ok.
- Onsite warranty [Next Business Day (NBD) Onsite warranty is strongly recommended if possible].
- Accidental Damage Protection Insurance (ADP) preferably from the manufacturer, if done through a third party, check the repair timeframe, next business day if possible is recommended. - *From our experience with school devices, we consider this essential.*

Enrolment in subjects such as Photography, Film, TV & New Media, Graphics/Design and Digital Technologies, would require a higher specification machine as below to run the higher end software.

- i7 processor
- 8GB RAM or more
- Dedicated graphics card
- 500GB Hard drive

In addition, connection to the network will only be possible for machines with a functioning antivirus program installed, a signed BYOX Agreement Charter and an annual connection fee of \$30.

Microsoft Office is a free download to students from www.education.qld.gov.au/office2016 any anti-virus software, free or paid, is acceptable.

To assist parents to purchase appropriate student devices, Dell, Acer, and HP have set up purchasing portals.

Dell <https://myschoolshop-qld.datacom.com.au/mossmanshs>

Username: mossmanshs

Password: mossmanshs

Acer <http://byod.acer.com.au/school/mossmanshs/index.php/>

Code – MOSSMANSHS

HP www.hpshopping.com.au/mossmanbyod



The school is in no way promoting either vendor; we are merely providing access to this information.

If you require any further information about this program, please feel free to contact Satya Singh at the school on 07 4084 1333 or email ssing91@eq.edu.au