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## iPad Purchase Scheme 2025

Dear Parent /Carer,

We are delighted to share with you details of Hove Park's digital strategy and how technology is used to support teaching and learning in the school. Hove Park has been using the iPads in the classroom since 2013.

This video shows you how the iPad is used for learning:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZwtakJPsod4&feature=youtu.be

The iPad package comprises:

- IPad (11<sup>th</sup> Generation) 64GB, Silver, Wi-Fi
- NutKase BumpKase for iPad 11<sup>th</sup> Generation
- CompuCover Insurance (3 year, iPad)
- Tempered Glass Screen Protector
- MDM Device License

The cost of the package is £465.00 which can either be paid in one instalment or with an initial payment of £50.00 followed by 35 monthly payments of £11.86. Please note that prices vary for different year groups.

If for any reason your child leaves education here the iPad MUST be either returned and any further direct debit payments will be cancelled or if you wish to keep the iPad, the remainder balance MUST be paid in full.

To order your iPad you will need a WisePay Account. This will be set up for you and login details provided on your child's first day at Hove Park School.

In order to be covered by our insurers the iPad must remain in the protective case provided at all times. A £25.00 excess will be applied to each claim.

## E-Safety

The student iPad is automatically enrolled into the school's mobile device management system (MDM). This means that content is filtered whilst at school. It also means that should the iPad be lost or stolen it can also be locked and have the data safely removed. Year 7 students will be taught about e-safety in their PSHE sessions during Learning for Life and we will send a parent / carer video with guidance about keeping children safe online as well as tips and features of iPadOS that you and your child will find useful once digital learning is integrated into classrooms and at home.

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## Pupils in receipt of Free School Meals

If your child has been in receipt or you have been eligible for free school meals at any point in the last 6 years please log onto your WisePay Account to see our alternative subscription model.

## Bring Your Own Device (BYOD)

**BYOD** - If your child already has an iPad, we encourage you find an alternative use / home for it and join our scheme where they will benefit from the same device and protection as their peers. However, there is provision to bring your own device (BYOD). There is a £35.00 setup fee to join the scheme which is used to purchase a device license for the iPad. This device license is essential for providing device management while on campus and deployment of apps, policies and settings – including access to the school's WiFi network.

BYOD devices will not be covered by Insurance and we request that the device is compatible with the latest version of iPadOS. This is currently 17. Hove Park School accept no liability for any BYOD devices damaged, lost or stolen. We strongly recommend that you insure the iPad through your home insurance or an independent insurer.

If you choose to BYOD you must email <a href="wisepay@hovepark.org.uk">wisepay@hovepark.org.uk</a> and the set-up fee will be added to your WisePay account. BYOD devices will not be covered by Insurance and the device specification must be an operating. Hove Park School accept no liability for any BYOD devices damaged, lost or stolen. We strongly recommend that you insure the iPad through your home insurance or an independent insurer.

If you have any further questions, please contact:

- Finance questions need to be directed to: finance@hovepark.org.uk
- Technical questions need to be directed to: <a href="mailto:itsupport@hovepark.org.uk">itsupport@hovepark.org.uk</a>

Yours faithfully

Mr Ian Jones

School Business Manager