This form must be returned by Friday 7th October 2016 in the reply paid envelope.

Year 7 iPads 2017

Please tick the one which is applicable.

☐ I would like the College to provide my child with an iPad at a cost of $745.
   This includes College apps for learning.

☐ My child will bring their own iPad which meets the college specifications outlined in this letter. I understand that I need to pay $70 as a “one off” fee for College Apps for learning.
   I also understand that the iPad must be brought into ITS at the college, prior to the commencement of the 2017 academic year, in order to configure and set up the iPad for the college wifi network.

Student Name: ____________________________________________________________

Parent/Guardian Name: _____________________________________________________

Parent/Guardian Signature __________________________________________________

Date: _______________________________________________________________________

Parent/Guardian Contact No: ________________________________________________
31st August, 2016

Dear Parent/Guardian,

**Year 7 iPads for 2017**

Please read carefully the following information regarding iPads

Families are able to purchase an iPad through the College. The details of the college provided iPad are;

- iPad Air 2
- 9.7” Colour Space Grey
- Capacity: 64GB
- Connections: 3.5-mm headphone jack, Nano-SIM tray, dual microphones
- Wi-Fi: 802.11ac Wi-Fi with MIMO
- Warranty: 1 Year
- Student iPad Price = $745.00 (This price includes a “one-off” charge of $70 which covers the Apps for learning provided by the College. These Apps will be used from Years 7 to 9).

This amount will be included in the fees invoice, and parents will have the option of paying in instalments.

NB: Please note that usual Warranties apply. The device is owned by families and the College takes no responsibility for damage, loss etc.

Families also have the option of bringing their own iPad/ or purchasing their own iPad elsewhere and bringing it to school.

- It is highly recommended that parents consider purchasing the iPad Air2 Wi-Fi 64 GB. Older iPads are no longer supported by Apple and may not last the three years required for learning.
- There will be a “one-off” charge of $70 for BYO iPads which covers the Apps for learning provided by the College. These Apps will be used from Years 7 to 9. This amount will be included in the fees invoice.
- If you choose to bring your own iPad, the device must be brought to Information Technology Services on Level 1 of the Fabris Building before the start of the 2017 academic year. You are advised to bring in the iPad to the College between the 4th – 18th January. This enables the ITS team to set up the iPad in readiness for accessing the Emmaus Wi-Fi network.

Other important considerations:

1. The purchase of e-text books for iPads is covered separately in the College Resource List.
2. **Parents must also purchase a screen protector cover and case for the iPad.** The case protects the iPad against screen breakage, by far the most common cost to parents not covered under warranty. For ease of use the College recommends a case with an inbuilt keyboard
3. Student iPads (either purchased through the College or BYO) must not have a Sim Card installed.
4. iPad Mini is not acceptable.

In order to ensure that the College purchases the correct number of iPads, parents are requested to advise if your child is bringing their own iPad by **Friday 7th October 2016.**

Please indicate your intention by ticking the appropriate box in the Return Booklet, signing and return to the College in the provided reply paid envelope.

Yours sincerely,

Mr Tony Hirst
Principal