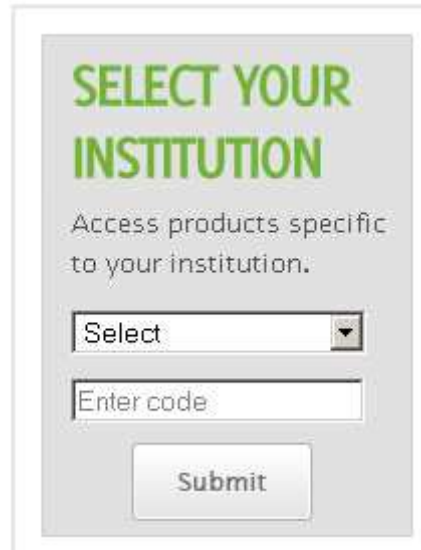


Option 1 – Purchase through <http://www.cycloneonline.co.nz/>

- 1) Go to the grey 'Select Your Institution' box on the left hand side



SELECT YOUR INSTITUTION

Access products specific to your institution.

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- 2) Click on select and choose Wellington High School.
- 3) Enter the code 'wlghigh' and Submit.
- 4) On the next page there are 3 netbook products. We believe that the Toshiba NB500 netbook will handle everything that a student needs at year 9/10. The base model ships with a one year warranty but there is no case included. The 'bundle' includes a case and a three year warranty. The Portege R700 is a larger machine and could handle more complex applications but is not needed by a year 9/10 student next year.
- 5) The website utilises a standard 'shopping cart' model and will ship the machine to your door.
- 6) The checkout offers the following payment options: credit card, direct debit, or finance.
- 7) As mentioned at the October 31 meeting, students do not need to purchase any other software for the machine.
- 8) If you choose to purchase Microsoft student select, you will need to input a valid student ID. This has been included in the accompanying letter.
- 9) Shipping should take between 3 – 5 days.

Option 2 – Purchase elsewhere or use an existing machine

We are happy for you to purchase elsewhere or use a machine from home (including laptops although they are more cumbersome for the school environment) but please make sure it conforms to the minimum specifications listed overleaf.

Minimum specs

Processor: Intel Atom or equivalent.

RAM: 2GB recommended.

Hard Drive: at least 80Gb recommended.

Display: minimum 10.1-inch diagonal recommended.

Camera: Integrated Web Camera recommended.

Graphics: Intel Integrated Graphics Media Accelerator or better.

Connectivity: Ethernet (optional), Wireless (required) 802.11 a/g/n recommended, at least 802.11 a & g required.

Interfaces: 3 × USB 2.0 ports recommended, VGA connection recommended.

Keyboard/Input Device: as close to full size as possible recommended.

Battery: 6 Cell Lithium-ion battery or equivalent – will give the student around 10 hours of use (will need to be looked after).

Operating System: Windows 7 Starter / Windows XP supports all software used in netbook classes – other Operating Systems may not.

Warranty: we would recommend a 3 year warranty.

Please note that Macs that conform to similar specifications can also be used. We are a PC school for the most part but we can support Macs. Ipads are not recommended as subject specific software cannot be downloaded.

Insurance – in most cases your home contents will cover your netbook but please check your policy to ensure this is the case otherwise separate insurance will need to be taken out.

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