

**DUBLIN SCHOOL ACADEMIC SUPPLIES LIST  
2017-18**

**ALL STUDENTS SHOULD HAVE:**

- Pens
- #2 pencils
- Colored pencils or markers
- Graphing paper
- Ti-83 calculator
- 1 or 1 and 1/2 inch binders for each course + dividers
- Lined notebook paper
- Assignment book or system
- Calendar
- Water bottle - preferably not plastic

**MOST STUDENTS ALSO LIKE TO HAVE:**

- Laptop: *see* computer requirements & recommendations *below*
- Composition book
- Notecards
- Hole-punch
- Stapler
- Filing folders
- Report covers
- Eraser
- Highlighters
- Post-its
- Glue stick or tape

**GEOMETRY STUDENTS:** A good, strong compass (at least \$8)

**ALGEBRA I STUDENTS:** Graph paper, a ruler

**AP PHYSICS AND CIRCUITRY STUDENTS:** Composition book

**OPTIONAL (These may be useful.)**

- Keyring or notecards for studying vocabulary
- Journal for jotting ideas
- Sketchbook
- Poster board

**NOTE ON SNACKS:**

Learning requires fuel and nourishment. All students will want snacks in their dorms, but some snacks are much better than others. *Non-sugary snacks and drinks are strongly recommended! Please do not provide soda and candy in large quantities.*

Nuts, seeds, trail mixes, granola bars, popcorn and dried fruit, whole grain crackers or chips, kale chips, soups.

## COMPUTER REQUIREMENTS & RECOMMENDATIONS

A laptop which meets the Operating System and Software requirements listed below is highly recommended. Net books<sup>1</sup>, Chrome Books<sup>2</sup> and other ultra-portable devices may have certain limitations which can hinder academic productivity. Desktop are acceptable as long as they have Wi-Fi capability; however, laptops are much more useful as a desktop cannot be taken with a student's to study hall.

Students do **NOT** need to purchase Microsoft Office. All student have access to Office 365 and can download the desktop version.

### **Windows Computer Recommendations**

- A laptop with a 13.1" or larger screen.
- Windows Pro or higher version of Windows 7, 8, 8.1 or 10 (Windows Home, Basic or RT editions are limited and are not recommended.)
- Internet Browser – Latest version of Chrome, Internet Explorer, or Mozilla Firefox.
- Anti-Virus Software<sup>5</sup> – Recommended free anti-virus software - Avast Free Antivirus, or AVG AntiVirus Free<sup>4</sup>.

### **Mac Computer Recommendations**

- Mac – OSX 10.8 or higher.
- Internet Browser – Latest version of Chrome, Safari, or Mozilla Firefox.
- Anti-Virus Software<sup>5</sup> – Avast Free Antivirus for Mac or ClamXav<sup>4</sup>.

### **Linux Computer Recommendations<sup>3</sup>**

- Ubuntu 14.04.5 or higher of any flavor or Linux Mint 17.3 or higher are recommended.
- Internet Browser – Latest version of Chrome or Firefox.
- Anti-Virus Software<sup>5</sup> - Comodo Antivirus for Linux, or ClamAV Antivirus for Ubuntu<sup>4</sup>.

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**As per the Technology Policy found in the Student Handbook, the following genera of software are strictly forbidden. Offending software should be removed from your computer before bringing it on campus. P2P software BitTornado, uTorrent, LimeWire, Kazaa, and all their ilk are strictly forbidden.**

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1. Netbooks generally only offer Windows Basic.
2. Chrome books are limited to using Office 365 and students will need to print from one of the school's desktop computer.
3. Linux computers are limited to Office 365 and printing may be limited.
4. All students are required to maintain and update their anti-virus software. Assistance is available in the Tech office.
5. Trend Micro is not compatible with the school's firewall. Bringing a system with this anti-virus package on will prevent them from being able to use the school's network.