



Manurewa High School

In 2019, Manurewa High School has four year levels that are BYOD ready. Years 9, 10, 11 and 12 each are required to have a personal laptop to assist and enhance with their studies and the uptake has been tremendous. This is a huge leap forward for our school, and for the community as a whole. In response the BYOD team have up-scaled their processes in order to deal with the increased number of devices and as a staff we are presently moving forward with changes to our pedagogy to take advantage of this new technology.

Lessons prepared by staff at MH are increasingly more IT driven, allowing our students to increase their digital design thinking, improve communication and collaboration as well as beginning to delve into computational thinking and creating digital outcomes that were previously not possible. This progress puts us in line to meet the exciting challenges laid out by the new Digital Technologies curriculum introduced in 2017.

The challenge for the staff and the school is to keep moving forward with the integration of this technology. We have recently secured one of largest allocations of Professional Development (PD) in New Zealand. This PD is already being put to good use, helping our teachers upskill and rethink the way they deliver their subjects.

For more information on how we have got to this stage and if you have any other questions please contact me.

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For further information on eLearning/BYOD please contact:

Name	Why I would contact this person	Details
Kristina Pethybridge (BYOD Admin)	If you require any information about how to acquire a laptop. Chasing up insurance claim or warranty issues	pty@manurewa.school.nz
Your child's Kaitiaki	If you have any concerns or questions about how your child is using their device in class or their management of the device.	(2 letter staff code)@manurewa.school.nz
Ben Silk (eLearning Coordinator)	If you would like to discuss further how your child is using their device in class. If you would like to loan a device from the school.	sk@manurewa.school.nz
Lawrence Naicker (Deputy Principal i/c of eLearning)	If you have any general concerns about eLearning/BYOD at a whole-school level	nr@manurewa.school.nz