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Dear Parents and Carers,

RE: Bakewell Primary School 1:1 iPad Learning Program 2019 – Parent Contribution Plan Year 4 - 6

The Bakewell School Community inclusive of parents, Bakewell Staff and the School Board have communicated their overwhelming support of the 1:1 iPad Learning Program in line with our 2018 – 2021 Bakewell Strategy.

In consultation with our Board and as a result of parent and school community feedback, and our commitment to ongoing evaluation of the 1:1 iPad Learning Program, we have made changes to the way the Parent Contribution Plan is set up for 2019.

From 2019 the cost of contribution to the Parent Contribution Plan will be \$100 per year for all students from Year 2 - 6. **This contribution will allow students in Year 2 - 6 to take their iPads home during the year to extend their learning and strengthen the partnership between school and home.** Students will no longer take ownership of a device at the end of the program. The Parent Contribution payment is required to be made by February 22 in order for students to take their device home from Week 5. Payments will still be accepted after this date.

Students that have already made contributions to the previous Parent Contribution Plan will have their contributions honoured and if full payment (\$140 yearly contribution, totaling \$420) toward the program continues to be made, then they will take ownership of a device at the completion of the program as previously communicated.

We believe this simpler and more affordable Parent Contribution Plan will allow more students the opportunity to extend their learning and in turn contribute to the sustainability of the 1:1 iPad Learning Program for all students.

The updated Bakewell 1:1 iPad Learning Program Guidelines & Parent Contribution Plan FAQs provide detailed information on the program.

Kind Regards,

Cindy McLaren
Acting Principal

Lucy Ewin
1:1 iPad Learning Program Leader

Bakewell Primary 1:1 iPad Learning Program and Parent Contribution Plan 2019

Please complete the below information and return to your child's class teacher by Wednesday 6 February.

Parent contributions can be made at the Front Office or by bank transfer. Please make transfer to the following bank account:

Bakewell Primary School
BSB: 035 318
Acc: 122585

Please ensure you insert your child's surname and the word "iPad" into the transfer reference.

Please tick the boxes indicating your response;

I will continue to participate in the Parent Contribution Plan enabling my child to take the 1:1 iPad home to extend their learning. I understand that my child will take the iPad home from Week 5 after payment has been paid.

I have already made a payment of \$140 for 2019

I have not yet made a payment of \$140 for 2019

I will participate in the Parent Contribution Plan enabling my child to take the 1:1 iPad home to extend their learning. I understand that my child will bring the iPad home from Week 5 after payment has been paid.

I have already made a payment of \$100 for 2019

I have not yet made a payment of \$100 for 2019

I will not be participating in the Parent Contribution Plan for 2019 and my child will only access and use the 1:1 iPad at school.

Student name:

Class:

Parent name:

Parent signature:.....

Date: