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Dear Parents and Carers

RE: Bakewell Primary 1:1 iPad Learning Program 2019 Year 2 & 3

Students in Years 3-6 have been accessing their 1:1 iPad learning device within their classrooms. During the course of the week, students have been reviewing Bakewell Primary's iPad Agreement and learning about the procedures in using the device as a tool for learning.

Bakewell's executive leadership team recognise the importance of developing relationships, setting high expectations and establishing routines within classrooms in the first few weeks of the school year. With this in mind all Year 2 classes will receive their 1:1 iPads in Week 3.

The Bakewell 1:1 iPad Learning Program which was introduced as a trial with Year 4 students in 2016, provides opportunities for students to develop Information Communication Learning & Technology (ICLT) capabilities and enhance their learning while equipping them with 21st Century skills.

Bakewell Primary School is committed to providing high quality teaching and learning through innovative practices and as such we have now expanded the 1:1 iPad Learning Program in 2019 to include students in Years 2 - 6.

In 2017 Bakewell School Board introduced the 'Parent Contribution Plan'. The Parent Contribution Plan involves a yearly contribution which allows students to take the device home to extend their learning and strengthen the relationship between school and home.

The Parent Contribution Plan is not compulsory however it is strongly encouraged that parents make contributions to ensure the sustainability of the program. **Parents who make contributions towards the program will enable their child to take the 1:1 iPad home to use and extend their learning.** Parental contributions are encouraged to be made by Week 4 of Term 1 this year (Friday 22nd February).

This program is an exciting innovation allowing us to continue delivering Excellence in Education. We have attached the updated Bakewell 1:1 iPad Learning Program Guidelines & Parent Contribution Plan FAQs for your information.

If you would like to learn more about the program or if you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact your child's teacher.

Please complete the attached slip and return to your child's teacher by Wednesday 6 February.

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.

If your family will be participating in the Parent Contribution Plan for the first time, then the payment of \$100.00 should be paid by 22 February 2019, enabling your child to take the device home. The device will not be able to go home until the full payment is made.

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 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: