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2022 Students Enhancing Learning with Laptops Program SELLP

Background

In 2021, Wallan Secondary College implemented a 1 to 1 Device program for our Year 7 students. This involved families being required to purchase a Laptop for their child commencing Year 7. This also resulted in student textbooks not being required as we moved to an online resource model of learning. The program in its first year has been successful in meeting targets set for student engagement.

Moving forward 2022

In 2022, we are aiming to improve the program for both our new Year 7 students and our Year 8 cohort moving into their second year of the program. The Student Enhanced Learning with Laptops Program (SELLP) will aim to integrate all aspects of learning required for moving our students from Year 7 to Year 12 and onto their career pathways. LASL will have a clear focus and balanced approach. SELLP will assist in creating effective learning habits for students in the classroom.

• In 2022, it is a school requirement for student learning that all students have their own laptop.

We will continue to consider also how we can make the program more affordable for families. Laptops being used in the school in this program must meet minimum requirements for our network. To make this easier for parents, we will again have a portal online link with JB HI FI education, that specifically lists devices we are recommending. We will also provide information about other options for purchase and financing. (There is no financing arrangement through the school).

Information has been enclosed in this pack relating to how Laptops can greatly assist all students with their learning.

Presentation of SELLP

A full presentation of the program will be available to families once enrolments are complete in August. A link to the presentation will be emailed to families.

If you would like to ask any immediate questions about the program please email: pizaro-a@wallansc.vic.edu.au

I look forward to working with your child in 2022.

Andrew Pizaro Middle School Assistant Principal