

Device Recommendations

We have created this list of recommended devices to help families narrow their search, not dictate specific devices. The devices listed here are examples of devices that meet or exceed the minimum requirements.

The device specifications are in the format of (CPU speed/memory/storage/battery life).

	Chromebook	Windows Laptop	Apple macOS
Pros	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Long Battery life - Inexpensive - Simple and Reliable 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Expansive pool of applications can be installed on the device. - Familiar operating system 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Long Battery Life - Large pool of applications can be installed on the device. - Familiar operating system
Cons	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Limited offline capabilities. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Variety of manufacturers with different product quality and support options - Battery life varies between Manufacturer and Model 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - More expensive than other options
Sample Devices (Prices will fluctuate)	<p>Acer Chromebook 315 \$249 (Dual core 1.6GHz/4GB/32GB/10 hour battery)</p> <p>Lenovo Chromebook C340-11 \$279 (Dual core 1.1GHz/4GB/32GB/10 hour Battery)</p> <p>Use Google's Tool for finding the Chromebook right for you (This tool lists some slate devices. Note that they would require a physical keyboard which is usually an added charge.)</p>	<p>HP 14-dk0736ms \$349 (Dual core 2.6GHz/8GB/256GB/8 hour battery)</p> <p>Lenovo IdeaPad FLEX-14 \$499 (Quad Core 1.6GHz/8GB/128GB/8 hour battery)</p> <p>HP EliteBook 745 \$899 (Quad Core 2.1GHz/16GB/512GB/11.5 hour battery)</p> <p>Microsoft Store's tool for finding a laptop</p>	<p>Macbook Air \$899 (Dual Core 1.1GHz/8GB/256GB/11 hour battery)</p> <p>Macbook Pro \$1300 (Quad core 1.4GHz/8GB/128GB/ 10 hour battery)</p>