BYOD (Bring Your Own Device) Session 2: PLP

Moving forward to sustainable 1:1 programs at Buninyong Primary School.
Why did we set out on a BYOD path?

Greater Access

Greater Bonds

Greater Differentiation

Greater Engagement

Greater Outcomes

Greater Opportunities
Why are we considering BYOD?

**Greater Access**

Current average of student time on devices: 12-15 mins/day

**Pressure from Students**

"Let me learn in my world".
Why are we considering BYOD?

Financial Pressures

Cut backs

Opportunity

9/10 of our students will be heading into jobs where high-level ICT skills will be paramount.

Digital Citizenship

Moving into a world with more tech, requires a different type of citizenship.
1-to-1 Trial Schools and BYOD

The best thing about BYOD is that there have been many schools that have already gone down this path and we are consulting with them to ensure our model will not only compliments traditional methods, but increases student stimulation and

Schools in our region that have already gone down this path:
So why are we considering BYOD?

Some fun facts:

In 1998  Google

In 2001 last year's grade 6s were born (Age 0).

In 2001 Wikipedia (Age 0). In 2001 (Age 0).

In 2003 (Age 2). In 2004 (Age 2).

In 2005 YouTube (Age 4). Reality Check
## Our journey with ICT at Buninyong

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The Journey So Far:

Create a Proposed Action Plan

Present the notion

Identify Stakeholder Thoughts

Liaise with Other Schools

Develop a List of Recommendations to Stakeholder Questions
Where to next?

Present a list of recommendations for discussion by PLPs, Staff, School Council and Parent Forum.

If endorsed, continue development of program.

Inform community of decisions made and hold information sessions to prepare for 2015.
Questions, Queries and Recommendations

Our thoughts to move forward.
Our proposal:

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<td>Start with 1 cohort - We're thinking GRADE 5 with a carefully selected group of teachers who would drive the program.</td>
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<td>The teachers would participate in extensive training throughout term 4 and into 2015.</td>
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<td>A tablet device/device range will be recommended and communicated to parents by the end of term 2.</td>
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<td>A pre-determined set of apps for a tablet device would be developed and parents would be made aware of prior to 2015.</td>
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<td>Guidelines and a policy will be developed throughout the rest of the year, taking on all feedback from our forums, to be endorsed by school council to ensure the devices are used to their maximum capability.</td>
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<td>Forums will continue to be held to inform parents and students on the program and to assist in teaching the 'how to' processes that will need to be known.</td>
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• If we go down this track, it is not mandatory that a child participates in BYOD. BPS will ensure the child still has access to devices.
Discussion:
Research Docs:

- **Bring Your Own Device (BYOD) in Schools**
  - 2013 Literature Review
  - Technology for Learning Program – Information Technology Directorate
Thank you for your thoughts!

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