Details for Bring Your Own Device in the Hockaday Upper School

Apple Mac Minimum Hardware Requirements
> • MacBook Pro or MacBook Air computer.
> • M2 or M1Pro processor (or better; faster processor speeds are recommended.)
> • 16 GB RAM (32 GB is encouraged, as budget permits)
> • 512 GB SSD.
> • Minimum screen size of 13.3 in.
> • IEEE 802.11 wireless capability (ac, g, or n are the most used, a and b are not supported).
> • HDMI output (integrated or through an adapter) • An integrated webcam.
> • A headset microphone (handy if the class are delivered via web conferencing tools)
> • (not required) Apple Care Warranty
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> Order from the Apple Educational Store and receive a discounted price over retail.
> Education Pricing and Student Discounts - Education - Apple

Windows Laptop Minimum Hardware Requirements

> • Intel Core i5 or i7 Quad-core processor (Intel 11th Generation or newer, minimum 1.9 gigahertz) or AMD Ryzen 5 or 7 Quad-core (AMD 5000 or 6000 series Ryzen or newer, minimum 1.9 gigahertz)
> • 16 GB RAM (32 GB is encouraged, as budget permits)
> • 512 GB SSD.
> • Integrated Graphics card or Dedicated Graphics card.
> • 13" – 15'' screen (minimum resolution of 1920 x 1080)
> • IEEE 802.11 wireless capability (ac, g, or n are the most used).
> • HDMI output (integrated or through an adapter)
> • A webcam (integrated or external).
> • A headset microphone (handy if the class are delivered via web conferencing tools)
> • (Optional) Four-year warranty with support (a warranty that provides on-site services provides better continuity of use than a warranty that requires the device to be shipped for   service)
> • Minimum 3 hours battery life.
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> Some venders that make good laptops and have good support or:
> Dell – Laptop Computers | Dell USA– (latitude product line is an enterprise line vs. their

prosumer Vostro/Inspiron lines)
> Lenovo – Laptops | Buy Laptops, 2 in 1s, & More | Lenovo US (ThinkPad product line)
> Microsoft – Microsoft Surface PCs, Computers, Laptops, 2-in-1s, Dual-Screen & All-in-Ones |

Microsoft Surface (Surface Pro 8/9 or Surface Laptop)