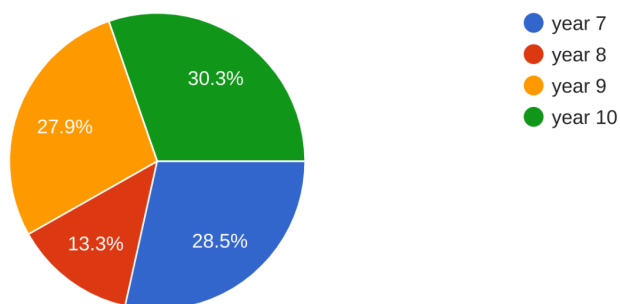


A survey was given to our students in November 2022 to help inform parents and students looking at buying a new device. Responses are summarised below

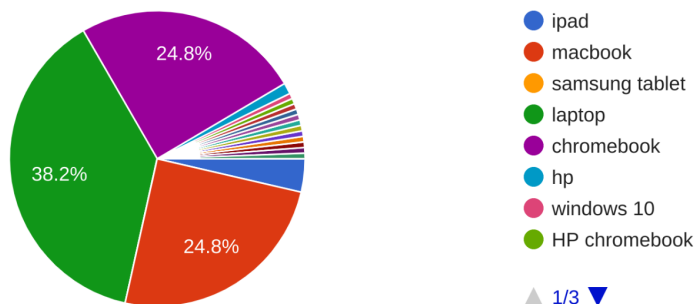
### 1. What year group are you in?

165 responses



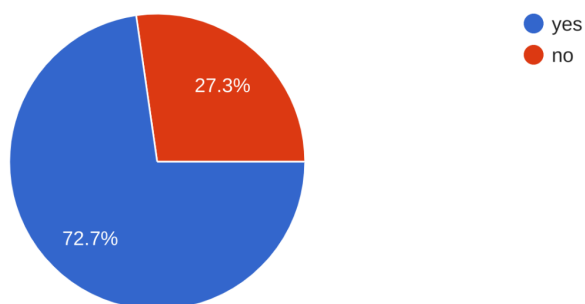
### 2. What type of device do you have

165 responses



### 3. if you had to buy it again would you buy the same device

165 responses



### 4. If no , why not?

Students who answered no had these reasons

macbook (would buy a newer version)
chromebook (doesn't play games)
laptop - generally satisfied but occasionally want bigger and faster occasionally
anyone with an old device had complaints

5. Do you need a device with any special features? (eg large screen) if yes, please explain

21 students wanted a large screen,

14 wanted a touchscreen,

5 wanted a small screen as it's lighter to carry

20 commented that speed was important

6. In your opinion, what device is most suitable for school and why?

Every comment was different but these student responses are typical

One that has a good battery life and can hold a good amount of storage. So it doesn't die during the school day and so it can successfully hold all your school documents

I think a small and light device is the best because it is easier to carry around.

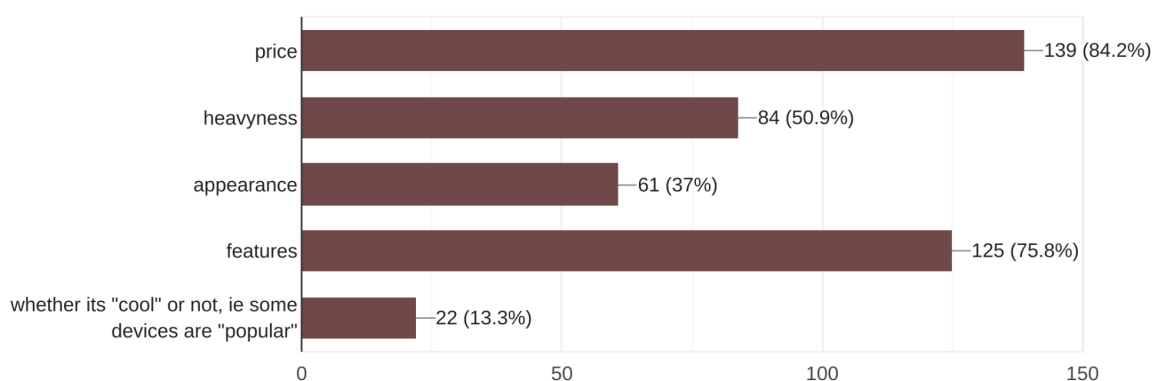
A Laptop, they aren't as expensive as a MacBook and they get the job done.

A chromebook for year 7 and 8 and then a macbook for rest of the years so you can start off with something easy and then move onto something with more features when you move into older years

a chromebook is very good because it is google chrome or a macbook is great too just really expensive

6. When you bought your current device did you consider ?(tick all that apply)

165 responses



8. What is/are the key features you need in a school laptop? (eg easy to carry, long battery life etc)165 responses (typical sample below)

Long battery life. Maybe a device that could possibly fit inside your bag so that you don't have to carry it in your arms all the time.

Easy to carry/not too heavy or thick. A good keyboard. Long battery life and good storage.

i feel like is a laptop should not be to heavy and i guess portable i dont recomend big big laptops because you have to carry the laptop around school with you.

fast fps, good internet connection, large-ish screen, good battery, good cpu and touch-screen

not heavy to carry, small but big screen, long battery life

Battery life, good quality screen, nice keys (as we do a lot of writing), not too heavy, will last for a long time.