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Dear Parent / Carer,

Chromebook Licence Bundle

Further to the letter sent in July, we are excited to inform you that the Chromebook Licence Bundle is now available for you to purchase via ParentMail.

As outlined in our previous letter, sent from Mr R Peel on 13th July 2026 (a copy of which is attached for your reference), we are asking all students in Year 7 to be equipped with a Chromebook to use in lessons from January 2027. In order for your child to use their Chromebook on our School network, a Chromebook Licence Bundle must be purchased and installed on the device.

In our continued efforts to provide a modern and efficient learning environment for our students, we have adopted the use of Chromebooks as an essential educational tool. These devices have proven to be invaluable in enhancing the educational experience, enabling students to access a wide range of educational resources, collaborate on projects, and develop digital literacy skills.

The Licence Bundle consists of two parts: The Chromebook Licence covers software and security updates that ensure your child's device remains up-to-date and secure throughout the school year and allows the device to be registered on our School network.

The second part of the Bundle is the Senso application which, as we have a duty of care for safeguarding, will provide additional security and monitoring features.

Here are the steps to purchase the Chromebook Licence Bundle for your child:

- Log into your ParentMail Account
- From the Menu (3 horizontal lines, top left corner), select Accounts and Products
- Select Products
- Scroll down the list to locate and select Chromebook Licence then follow the on-screen instructions to complete your purchase.

By purchasing the Chromebook Licence Bundle, you are ensuring that your child's learning experience is seamless, safe, and up to date. We highly recommend that you complete this process as soon as possible to avoid any potential interruptions to your child's educational experience in January.

Cost and Payment: The cost of the Chromebook Licence Bundle is £50 + VAT. This will cover the use of the Chromebook on our School network for the duration of your child's time with us. It will not need to be renewed. You can make the payment securely through ParentMail. Please note that should you change your child's Chromebook for any reason, unless it is replaced with the exact same make and model, the Licence portion of the Licence Bundle is not transferrable and will need to be purchased again at a cost of £30. The Senso application can be re-applied free of charge.

Technical Support: Our IT department will arrange for the Licence Bundle to be installed on each device and we will write to you again in due course outlining the installation schedule that we will work to.

The Buckingham School is committed to ensure that every student should have the opportunity to attend school activities/obtain equipment, regardless of their financial circumstances. As such, it may be possible to subsidise those students who would otherwise be unable to attend trips/purchase items. Please feel free to write in confidence to finance@buckinghamschool.org, if you wish to seek assistance, or obtain more information about Pupil Premium funding.

Deadline: The deadline for purchasing your Chromebook Licence Bundle is 3rd November 2026. This will then allow us sufficient time to order in the licences and have them ready for installation. We encourage you to complete this process as soon as possible.

We are committed to providing the best possible educational tools and resources for your child's success and the Chromebook Licence Bundle is a crucial part of this effort. Your support and cooperation in this matter are greatly appreciated.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding the Chromebook Licence Bundle, or the Chromebook scheme in general, please email chromebook@buckinghamschool.org.

Yours faithfully,

The Buckingham School Chromebook Team
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