

Dear Parent,

Last week I wrote to you about the school's digital strategy and how it is our aim to develop digital skills and responsibilities that prepare your daughter to participate and succeed in a rapidly changing world.

At that time, I detailed the importance of a consistent functionality, interface, and experience for every pupil. This would allow for teachers to plan lessons that make effective use of the device and ensure that pupils' experience and engagement are not limited by the device.

We have taken the approach to recommend an iPad, stylus and keyboard after our experience of trialling a mixed economy of devices previously and after discussion with other schools within the GDST and beyond. The iPad would be part of a range of tools that teachers would draw upon in lessons, as we develop both digital and analogue skills.

The portal for enrolling for a device through the School's supplier, Jigsaw, is now open and can be accessed by following the following link. The school code you will need to enter is **S&C2020**.

<https://www.cpu.co.uk/cint/mobilelearning/selectSchool.asp>

On entering the site, you will see confirmation of the equipment you will be ordering, along with the cost. Under 'contribution agreement', you will need to expand this tab and read the terms and conditions, and then checking the box to confirm you have agreed to the terms and conditions. Once this is done, please use the account details tab to set up an account.

The last steps will require you to complete the information in the order details and payment details tabs. The final step is to click on 'place order'.

The portal is open for one month and will close on 10 August 2020, and the equipment will be delivered to school at the end of August. Should you have any questions or need any assistance, please do email me directly on r.hinton@schs.gdst.net

Yours sincerely

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