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Dear Parent/Guardian,

This is to inform you that the school **will not be selling tablets anymore**. Please find the specifications below in order for you to purchase the correct tablet before the start of the new academic year 2018/2019.

The E-book tablet was introduced to our students at ISC Erbil 3 years ago. Since then, students in classrooms have been equipped with an E-book reader that stores their SABIS® textbooks, workbooks, and reading material. By investing in a tablet, students will have a lighter load of books to carry back and forth between school and home. It is extremely important to note that all Class Reader dictionaries will only be made available on student tablets – students will not be given hard copies of dictionaries.

Kindly note that the tablet specifications **must satisfy the required technical specifications below**.

Hardware Requirements	
Screen size	Minimum: 9.7 inches; Maximum: 10.5 inches
Resolution	Minimum: 1280 x 800 ; Maximum: 2560 x 1600
Battery Life	Minimum battery life time of 6 hours in operation mode
Processor	4 Core processor, Recommended 6 Core
Internal Storage	Minimum of 16 GB , Recommended 32GB or Above
Memory (RAM)	Minimum of 2 GB , Recommended 4GB or Above
WIFI	802.11 a/b/g/n
Software Requirements	
Operating System	Android™ 4.2 or above

- **It is important to note that SABIS® proprietary software including E-books is supported on Android tablets ONLY.**

Several examples of tablet models which meet the required technical specifications include, but are not limited to, the following.

1. Samsung Galaxy Tab PRO 10.1"
2. Samsung Tab A 9.7"
3. Huawei T2
4. Samsung Tab S3
5. Lenovo Tab 2 A10-30

Upon purchasing a tablet, it is important to check that ALL of the technical specifications are satisfied by the tablet model.



Also note that we recommend:

1. Purchasing a tablet without a SIM card port.
2. Purchasing a cover for the tablet.
3. Purchasing a power bank with a **minimum capacity of 12,000 mAH** and its USB cable in order to recharge the tablet at school in case the tablet's battery discharged before the end of the school day or in case your child forgot to charge the tablet at home the previous day. This power bank should be charged after each use and sent to school with your child on a daily basis.
4. Keeping at least 6 GB of the tablet's Internal Storage free at all times for the tablet to operate smoothly. Hence, it is advisable to monitor the installation of any additional software on your child's tablet.

We look forward to the successful roll-out of the program during this new academic year.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

The Administration