

## The Kick-Start Scheme Electronic Tablets Pilot - Terms and Conditions

- 1) In addition to The Kick-Start Scheme funds, the University College Birmingham (UCB) and the John Smith's Group (John Smith's) have set up a pilot scheme to help enable access to an electronic tablet to support your studies.
- 2) By taking part in The Kick-Start Scheme electronic tablets pilot you will be helping UCB to develop the most effective ways of working with students to ensure that your University experience is as successful as it can be. By taking part in this pilot you are agreeing to participate in a variety of evaluation and impact assessment activities which will include surveys, focus groups and research.
- 3) Students who will be eligible for an electronic tablet under this pilot are:
  - a. Students studying Year 1 of Sports Therapy.
  - b. Students starting Year 1 of FdA Professional Studies in Childhood (part-time).
  - c. Students who completed a full-time Further Education course at UCB in the immediate prior year to starting a full-time undergraduate course at UCB.
  - d. Students who have studied at one of our West Midlands Partner Schools in the immediate prior year to starting a full-time undergraduate course at UCB.

No application is required.

- 4) Receiving your electronic tablet:
  - The device serial number will be registered to you and a record kept by both UCB and John Smith's.
  - The device is yours and you will be responsible for ensuring that it is in working order and available for your use in the range of classroom, group and remote settings as directed by your course staff.
  - You will receive your device within the first few weeks of enrolling.
- 5) Looking after your electronic tablet:
  - The device will be your responsibility.
  - You must not sell or loan the device.
  - You are responsible for looking after the device and ensuring that it is in good working order so that it can be used within a range of classroom, group and remote work settings as planned as part of the Kick-Start pilot.
  - The device comes in a protective case; you should keep it in this case to minimize the risk of any damage.
  - You should consider insuring the device against loss, theft, accidental damage etc.
  - If the device is broken and you are on Sports Therapy or FdA Professional Studies in Childhood you must take steps to have the device repaired as soon as is reasonable, this will be at your own cost, so that your teaching is not hindered. Screen repairs by the manufacturer may be available to purchase through the Kick-Start website. Any screen repair not undertaken by the manufacturer will invalidate the device warranty.
  - If you are on Sports Therapy or FdA Professional Studies in Childhood and your device is lost or stolen you must report it immediately by contacting your Year Manager. You must take steps to have the device replaced as soon as is reasonable, this will be at your own cost.
- 6) Using your electronic tablet:
  - You are required to password protect your tablet using a unique password.
  - You must keep all of the originally installed software on the device; any additional software installed by you must not impact upon the device's ability to run the preinstalled apps.
  - You are responsible for any fees/costs or charges incurred under the users account.
  - You must save any UCB work to your One Drive, not on the tablet, so that work is not lost if anything happens to your tablet.