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Your New iPad A16 - Family Guide

Here is some basic information about your new iPad A16! This powerful device is designed to enhance your learning experience and help you succeed in your studies. You will receive your iPad during orientation week.

What You'll Receive

[iPad A16 \(11th Generation, 2025\)](#)

- **11-inch Liquid Retina Display** - Perfect size for reading, note-taking, and multimedia
- **A16 Bionic Chip** - The same powerful processor found in iPhone 14 Pro
- **128GB Storage** - Plenty of space for apps, documents, photos, and projects
- **[STM Dux Plus Case](#)** - A protective case for your device

Support & Resources

- **Apple Support:** support.apple.com
- **BA Technology Department:**
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Important Notes

- **Software Updates:** Will receive regular iPadOS updates for years to come
- **AppleCare+:** You have two years of [AppleCare+ support](#) with your iPad.

Optional Extras

Many families elect to purchase extra components for their son's iPad. You are welcome to purchase accessories for the iPad ahead of time; however, we recommend waiting until your son has their iPad in hand and starts to understand how they want to work with it.

Cases:

We will provide your student with an [excellent case](#). Many students elect to upgrade their case to a thinner option, or, more often, to a case with a keyboard integrated.

- Apple offers several [compatible cases](#)*.
- Amazon also had [many cases](#) available*.

** We have not tested the cases available and cannot guarantee that every case listed is compatible with the iPad A16. Buyers will be responsible for ensuring that the case they select is compatible with the iPad A16.*

Stylus Device:

We will provide your student with a basic stylus. While it helps, many students prefer to upgrade to a more advanced stylus device, like an Apple Pencil or Logitech Crayon.

- Apple offers [several](#) options.
- Amazon also offers a considerable number of options at a variety of prices**.

*** Different generic pencils may or may not be compatible with specific iPad versions. Make sure that you select one that will function with the iPad A16.*

External Keyboards:

Students looking for a thin, lightweight case but wish to use a keyboard for typing in their room can connect an external keyboard to their iPad. Most Bluetooth keyboards should also connect to their iPad.

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Make the most of your iPad A16 and enjoy your enhanced learning experience!