

YDYR

Your Device - Your Right



A brighter future for every child

*A new project by
The Malta Trust Foundation*

**The aim of this
project is to boost
digital inclusion**

**The YDYR project
reduces e-waste**

**Your donation of
used devices will
enrich many lives**

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Donations of second-hand laptops and devices are urgently needed

The YDYR Project distributes refurbished devices to children and students from disadvantaged families to enable access to remote education. The dual aim of this project is to provide digital inclusion to those struggling to keep up with online studies and at the same time reducing e-waste.

We are reaching out to organisations, businesses, entities, and others to donate digital hardware that meets certain minimum standards, focusing primarily on laptops which are capable of running Microsoft Teams.

The Malta Trust Foundation is collaborating with a number of organisations who have pledged their support to the YDYR project:

- The Chamber of Commerce is sourcing second hand laptops from Member Companies.
- TCTC provides ECDL training and certification for disadvantaged young persons.
- GO plc provides internet services to deserving families with children who need access to online learning.
- VIANET and MITA-CARES together with Quickfix and Klikk refurbish the devices, clear previous data and install child protection software

Based on a recent survey conducted by MISCO, it was established that around 11,000 people are educationally disadvantaged in this respect and are struggling to keep up with their online studies as they do not own a device.

To date, the YDYR project has received over 450 referral from Heads of State Schools and social workers, requesting laptops for pupils struggling to keep up with their online studies.

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