

Help for nonEnglish speakers

If you need help to understand the information in this policy please contactyour child's House Admin Assistant or their Mentor Teacher.

PURPOSE

To explain to our school community the Department's and Blackburn High School's policy requirements and expectations relating to students using mobile phones and other personal mobile devices during school hours.

SCOPE

This policy applies to:

- 1. All students at Blackburn High School and,
- 2. Students' personal mobile phones and other personal mobile devices brought onto school premises during school hours, including recess and lunchtime.

DEFINITIONS

A mobile phone is a telephone with access to a cellular (telecommunication) system, with or without a physical connection to a network. For the purpose of this policy, "mobile phone" refers to mobile phones and any device that may connect to or have a similar functionality to aobile phone such as smart watches.

POLICY

Blackburn High School understands that students may bring a personal mobile phone to school, particularly if they are travelling independently to and from school. At Blackburn High School:

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