



PADBURY PRIMARY SCHOOL

Mobile Phone Policy

As per the Department of Education Student Mobile Phones in Public Schools Policy, Padbury Primary School student Mobile Phone Policy is as follows: -

All students must comply with the following: -

1. There will be no use of mobile phones for all students from the time they arrive to the conclusion of the school day (“off and away all day”) unless the student has been granted an exemption for the following uses of mobile phones:
 - monitor a health condition as part of a school approved documented health care plan.
 - or for a particular educational purpose under the direct instruction of a teacher.
 - or with permission of a teacher for a specified purpose.
2. Students from Kindergarten to Year 6 are not permitted to have mobile phones in their possession during the school day.
3. Students are to hand their mobile phones in at the office at the beginning of each day and collect them from the office at the end of the school day. They will be kept in a secure location in the office.
4. Students who wear smart watches are to put their smart watches in ‘aeroplane mode’ so phone calls and messages cannot be sent or received during the school day.

Breaches of this policy will be dealt with in accordance with the Student Behaviour in Public Schools Policy and Procedures.

For the purposes of this policy, mobile phones include smart watches, other electronic devices and listening accessories (head phones, ear buds)