



Stockton Public School

Use of Mobile phones and other electronic devices

The following electronic devices are banned from Stockton Public School:

- Portable computer games(eg DS, gameboys etc)
- MP3 players
- Ipods
- Cameras

It is recommended that mobile phones not be brought to the school. If however, parents feel that their child needs to have a mobile phone at school then:

- The phone must remain switched off between 8:30am and 3:00pm
- The phone must remain in the student's bag
- Phones found in classrooms or playground inside these hours will be confiscated and parents contacted
- The student must take full responsibility for the phone. The school or staff will not be responsible for its loss, theft or damage. Students who bring them to school do so at their own risk.
- Students must not use the phone to threaten, bully, intimidate or otherwise harass other people. Such activity may incur disciplinary action including suspension.
- Parents who require their child to have a phone at school must complete an authority form stating that they give permission and understand the policy.

If a parent or caregiver needs to contact a student at school as a result of an emergency, they are required to call the school office and a message will be sent immediately to the student.

If a student needs to make emergency contact with anyone they can do so through the school office.