

Karrendi Primary School Mobile Phone / Mp3/4 players Policy

Karrendi Primary School recognises that items addressed in this policy have quickly become part of the society we all live in today. This statement addresses those changes while ensuring that a safe and supportive teaching and learning environment is maintained.

Mobile Phones – Staff and community

To help support students safety, teaching and support staff shall have access to mobile phones for excursions and camps.

- All staff are to switch their phones to mute when in public areas, including meetings, interviews, yard duty and classrooms.
- Both incoming and outgoing calls are strongly discouraged on personal mobile phones during class teaching and learning periods.

Mobile Phones – Students

- Students are encouraged not to bring mobile phones to school
- Students bringing phones to school shall give them to their class teacher when they arrive at school and collect them at the end of the day.
- Keeping a phone in a school bag is not permitted.

MP3/4 players and personal music, video devices and cameras.

- The use of MP3 and personal music and video devices are not permitted at school.
- If a student has issues blocking out distracting noises the recommendation of the use of a MP3 player will come from either ISBM, Disabilities coordinator, Autism SA in consultation with senior staff. The school will supply an MP3 play for identified students.

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