## **Mobile Phone Policy**



The McAuley Catholic High School



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## MOBILE PHONE POLICY

Mobile devices are not allowed to be used during school hours (8am-2.15pm) and must be out of sight at all times including break, lunchtimes and traveling between sites.

As well as mobile devices, headphones (wires or wireless) must not be visible and if seen will be construed as using a mobile device.

If a pupil is seen using their mobile phone they will be asked to put it away and given a Yellow Card. Refusal to comply with this reasonable request will see a Red Card be issued.

Repeated breaches of the mobile phone policy will be monitored and further sanctions will follow as deemed appropriate by the Senior Leadership Team including a total ban on the device being brought into school.

Members of the Senior Leadership team reserve the right to confiscate a mobile phone device at any point as deemed appropriate. Where a confiscation is necessary, parents will be involved in the process of safe return to the student when deemed suitable to do so.