

Use of Mobile Phones and/or MP3 players.

Hawkesdale makes reasonable policies about what students can and cannot bring to school. We ban any item which is illegal, dangerous or likely to cause disruption or harm to the smooth running of the school and the education of others students.

The use of mobile phones and similar electronic devices, including MP3 players and Discman, are not appropriate in a learning environment. Students are not to use such devices during school hours. We appreciate that on occasions students will have a mobile phone for legitimate communications reasons after school. However use must be restricted to this activity. Students are able to use the school phone in instances where family contact is necessary.

Students are encouraged to purchase USB memory sticks for storing digital information, but MP3 players are not an acceptable substitute for this purpose.

Damage or loss of any electronic devices, including mobile phones and MP3 players, is not the responsibility of the school. Families are reminded that these items are expensive and are not warranted during school hours.