

Mobile Phone Application

General Policy

Mazenod College acknowledges the growing use of mobile phones by students but for the reasons detailed below would prefer student did not bring mobile phones to school. If parents want their son to have a phone at school, so contact can be made after school, or messages left, the "Mobile Phone Application" form must be completed and the conditions outlined, adhered to. Mazenod College staff are always willing to contact a student on behalf of a parent in an emergency situation.

Concerns regarding mobile phone usage.

1. Phones that are left on are a distraction to the owner and other students.
1. Valuable items that are not used directly for educational purposes should be left at home to avoid the chance of them being lost or stolen. As well as the personal cost and inconvenience to the owner, considerable time can be spent investigating a stolen/lost item.
2. Recent studies indicate the potential health risks especially to younger people.
3. Students should not be in a position to contact friends and acquaintances during school hours. Security is of great concern and incidents of contact with outside people or agencies could pose a threat to the general school community.

Conditions of use once application granted.

1. The phone is not used during normal school hours. It should be kept in a locker or given to the Year Level Co-ordinator for safe keeping.
2. The phone is a non-educational item of considerable value and the student and his parents/guardians accept total responsibility for its security.
3. Details of the phone are presented on the application and are stored for administrative purposes.
4. The phone is only used for the reasons as outlined on the application.
5. Breach of the rules as set out in the application will result in the phone being confiscated and locked in the College safe until a parent/guardian can come and collect it.

Application

Students Name: _____ Homeroom: _____

Reason phone required: _____

Days Required: Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday

Phone Details:

Phone Number: _____ Serial Number: _____

IMEI Number: _____ Model: _____

We accept the conditions as outlined on the "Mobile Phone Application".

Student's Signature: _____ Parent's Signature: _____