

MCC Mobile Phone Policy

MacKillop Catholic College understands that for safety reasons that many students have mobile phones. Therefore, MacKillop has very clear and concise rules governing the use of mobile phones. MacKillop's rules are as follows:

- Phones / iPads are not to be used to take photos or videos or to record lessons or conversations at school unless sanctioned by a teacher. This is a privacy issue and will be dealt with severely, including the involvement of Police where necessary.
- Mobiles must be turned off from the time the student arrives at school until 3.20pm
- Students may hand their mobile phone into the Office to look after them during the day.
- If students keep their mobile phones in their bags etc the College will take no responsibility for any theft or damage to such items. Students bring Mobile phones into the College at their own risk.
- If a mobile phone is seen being used during school time or, of one rings, it will be confiscated.
- Students may use the school phone for emergency purposes and should not be using a mobile phone during school hours.
- If for some reason, a student needs to use their mobile phone permission should be sought from a teacher first.

Any student that brings disrepute to MacKillop Catholic College in any way by placing offensive or inappropriate material on phones or any form of social media may face suspension and possible exclusion from the College. The College views these events as most serious.