

## **MOBILE TECHNOLOGY POLICY**

Students bring all mobile technology items to the academy at their own risk and the academy will take no responsibility for their loss, theft or damage.

Students who bring such equipment to the academy may, under no circumstances, use them, have them turned on or have them visible in in academy buildings at any time, this includes using them to check the time.

If you do, they will be confiscated and passed to the House Managers. A detention will be issued for a first offence and for subsequent offences isolation will be issued.

Students may not use their mobile phones, iPods, MP3 Players, CD Players, etc with headphones inside the buildings, corridors and dining areas and around the academy, this includes before 8.45am, at breaktime, lunchtime and after the academy.

Students may not use camera phones to take photos of staff or students.

**Students must not telephone parents directly to report incidents or illness. The academy will make parental contact if appropriate.**

Students are expected to use all these items responsibly, when outside the academy buildings.