

Dear Parents / Carer,

Due to updated legislation and guidance from the Department of Education, as of Monday 11th March (next Monday), pupils will not be allowed to use their mobile phones in school, with no exceptions. They will hand them in upon arrival at school, where they will be kept in a secure location until the end of the school day, when they will be given back to pupils.

Please reiterate this message to your child, as we rely on your support to help our pupils concentrate in class without distraction and maintain our high standards of behaviour.

In the case of an emergency, you can contact the school office on 0161 222 8168 and we will pass on any messages.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this, please do not hesitate to get in touch at <u>admin@gmis.org.uk</u>

More information regarding this legislation can be found at <u>https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/media/65cf5f2a4239310011b7b916/Mobile_phones_i_n_schools_guidance.pdf</u>

Yours Sincerely

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