



Ealing Fields High School Mobile Phone Agreement (Key Stage 3 & 4 students)

Parents who wish their child to carry a mobile phone to school should do so only according to the following:

- The phone should have **no access to the internet** and **no camera** as per the following examples of school approved models: **Nokia 105, Samsung E1200 or Alcatel 10.16G**
- It should be clearly marked with the student's name.
- The phone should be switched off before the student enters the school site and placed in their school bag. **We strongly advise removing the battery** as the student enters the school site as **phones which turn on accidentally during lessons will also be confiscated.**
- The phone should not be brought out at any point during the school day and should only be used after school when they are out of sight of the school entrances.
- A school brand mobile phone remains the responsibility of the student at all times and the school will not take action if it is lost or stolen.

In addition, if a student is allowed to take a phone on a school visit/residential it must be a school brand mobile.

There may be occasions where a member of staff is required to search a student's personal belongings to look for a mobile phone (this will be done in accordance with the DfE guidance on searching and screening).

- If during a search a 'school phone' is found it will not be confiscated provided it does not contain any evidence relating to an investigation AND when it is found it is switched off
- If during a search a non-school recommended phone is found, it will be automatically confiscated and held until the end of term, this includes the phone SIM card.

Any phone that is seen or heard during the school day (school issue or otherwise) will automatically be confiscated.

- School-recommended phones can be returned at the end of the week provided the phone has not been misused during the school day and has only gone off accidentally.
- Non -school recommended phones will be confiscated and held until the end of term, this includes the phone SIM card.



Nokia 105



Samsung E1200



Alcatel 10.16G