Telephone Calls and Mobile Phones Policy

Students who need to make necessary telephone calls during the school day are to obtain the permission of their teacher or Year Level Coordinator. If permission is given, they may go to the school office and use the Office telephone.

Boys are not encouraged to bring mobile telephones to school. Where parents deem it necessary for their sons to take a mobile telephone to school for security reasons, the following rules apply:

- a parental permission form (obtained from the school secretary) is to be completed by a parent and returned to the office.
- out of respect for the privacy of others and in response to privacy laws, persons with mobile telephones capable of taking photographs are not permitted to take photos of staff or students without their permission.
- at the beginning of each school day, mobile telephones are to be turned off and handed in at the office. They may be collected at the end of the school day.
- the school accepts no responsibility for mobile telephones.
- boys who bring mobile telephones to school without previously getting parent permission forms signed or who have a mobile telephone in their possession at school (i.e. do not hand it into the office) will have their mobile telephones confiscated for a period of one week. If the offence is repeated then that student will be banned from bringing a telephone to school.