



Glencryan School - Secondary Department Mobile Phone Guidance 2024/25



As Glencryan School comprises Primary, Secondary, and Senior Phase Departments, with pupils from 4 to 18 years of age, it is appropriate that all guidance for pupils reflect their age and stage as appropriate.

This means that each department will have its own guidance with regards to mobile phones and that this guidance will change as pupils progress through school.

Within the Secondary Department, mobile phone guidance is as follows:

- Mobile phones are permitted within the Secondary Department but must remain in pupil bags throughout the school day.
- Mobile phones are permitted on school transport for listening to music or playing games.
- Calls are not permitted to be made by pupils in school or on school transport- in an emergency, calls will be made by staff.
- Photographs are not permitted to be taken by pupils in school or on school transport.
- Accessing inappropriate material on the internet is not permitted in school or on school transport.
- If pupils repeatedly fail to follow our mobile phone guidance in school or on school transport, then mobile phones may be removed by the school senior leadership team, until the end of the school day, and parents may be asked to prevent pupils from bringing mobile phones to school.

As pupils progress to our Senior Phase, mobile phone guidance will change as pupils mature and are able to accept increased levels of responsibility.