



Bridlewood Primary School

Mobile Phone Agreement

The welfare and safeguarding of all children at Bridlewood Primary School is our highest priority. In line with our Mobile Phone Policy, Bridlewood Primary School is a **mobile phone-free environment throughout the school day**. Pupils may only bring a mobile phone to school where there is a genuine need, such as independent travel arrangements, and where this agreement has been completed and approved. The school's procedures reflect current Mobile phones in schools statutory guidance issued by the Department for Education. [\[gov.uk\]](https://www.gov.uk), [\[gov.uk\]](https://www.gov.uk)

Pupil Mobile Phone Rules

By signing this agreement, parents/carers and pupils agree to the following:

- My child has a genuine reason for bringing a mobile phone to school.
- The completed Mobile Phone Agreement has been returned to school before the phone is brought onto the premises.
- The phone will be switched off before entering the school site.
- The phone will be handed directly to the class teacher on arrival.
- The phone will remain switched off and stored securely by the school throughout the school day.
- The phone will not be used during lessons, breaktimes, lunchtimes, clubs or at any other time during the school day.
- The phone will only be returned at the end of the school day.
- The phone will not be switched on until the pupil has left the school premises.
- Pupils must never use a phone or any other device to photograph, film or record other children, staff or visitors.
- Pupils must never share photographs, videos or recordings taken on school premises.
- Smart watches or wearable devices that can make calls, send messages, access the internet, record audio, take photographs or videos are not permitted in school.
- If these rules are not followed, the school may withdraw permission for a child to bring a mobile phone onto the school site.

Please note that the school cannot accept responsibility for the loss, theft or damage of personal devices brought to school.

Mobile Phone Request

Name of Child: _____

Class: _____

Reason for requiring a mobile phone in school:

Parent/Carer Declaration

I confirm that:

- I have read and understood the Bridlewood Primary School Mobile Phone Policy.
- I understand that Bridlewood Primary School is a mobile phone-free environment throughout the school day.
- I have discussed these rules with my child.
- I agree that my child's phone must be switched off and handed to staff upon arrival.
- I understand that permission to bring a phone to school may be withdrawn if the agreement is breached.

Parent/Carer Name: _____

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Pupil Declaration

I have read and understood the school's Mobile Phone Rules.

I agree that I will:

- Switch my phone off before entering the school site.
- Hand my phone to my teacher when I arrive.
- Not use my phone during the school day.
- Not take photographs, videos or recordings of anyone at school.
- Follow the school's rules about mobile phones and smart technology.

Pupil Name: _____

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____