Upton Junior School



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Dear Parents/Carers,

As I am sure you would have seen or read on the news last week, the government are tightening its expectations on the use of mobile phones in school. With this in mind, we wanted to ensure that we establish clear guidelines on our expectations as a school to ensure the safe and responsible use of these devices. Therefore, attached to this letter, is our updated mobile phone policy and we kindly request your cooperation in helping your child adhere to this policy.

The purpose of this policy is to promote a healthy balance between the benefits and potential risks associated with mobile phone use. By setting clear expectations and boundaries, we aim to foster a productive and safe learning environment for all children. The policy outlines guidelines on when and how children should hand their phones in to key members of staff.

We kindly ask that you review the Mobile Phone Policy with your child and discuss the importance of following the stipulations set out within the policy. Teachers have also taken the time to reinforce the rules on mobile phones in school as part of our PHSE curriculum.

By working together to enforce this policy, we can help our children develop a sense of responsibility and maintain a positive school community. Thank you for your cooperation and support in this important matter.

Kind regards,

Miss Arthur



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