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Year 5 / 6 mobile phone statement

Mulbarton Primary School recognises that some parents may wish for their child to carry a phone to school, for instance, if they walk to school unaccompanied.
To support safeguarding, we ask parents and carers to read the following statement and complete the attached forms link:

- Mobile phones must be turned off and put away at the gate.
- Mobile phones must be handed in to the class teacher and will be stored in a locked cupboard.
- Children will not be allowed to use their phones during the school day.
- Mobile phones will be returned at the end of the school day. The children must put their phones away and keep their phones turned off until they leave the school grounds.
- The school cannot accept responsibility for damage or loss of a mobile phone brought into school.
- Smart Watches are not permitted in school.

If a pupil cannot adhere to the rules set out in this statement, the privilege of bringing a phone to school may be removed.

Please complete the forms link to give your consent: Mobile Phones Policy Statement 2026 – Fill in form

Parents may wish to look at advice on www.internetmatters.org/parental-controls which explains how to add some parental controls to mobile phones and gives advice on how to keep children safe.

Thank you for your continuing support,

Mrs N Hall and Mrs H McConnell
Headteachers