**MARIST COLLEGE KOGARAH**

**STUDENT MOBILE PHONE POLICY**

**AIM**

To utilise the benefits of mobile phones, whilst managing the problems they can potentially cause.

**MOBILE PHONE CONDITIONS**

- The College does not accept responsibility for lost or damaged student mobile phones.

- The College reserves the right to prohibit students from bringing mobile phones into certain spaces or during certain activities, eg science, exam rooms, technology rooms, physical education classes etc.

- Students may bring mobile phones to the College, but they must remain switched off and not used between 8.45 am – 3.00 pm or 8.45 am – 2.30 pm on Sport days, or during any official set detention time.

- If a student is found using a mobile phone whilst at the College, the mobile phone will be confiscated until the end of the school day. Students may then collect the phone from the Business Manager. Students will automatically receive a College Detention on the next appropriate Friday.

- If a mobile phone is used a second time inappropriately (ie either making a call or text messaging), the student will be dealt with by the Assistant Principal and consequences may include undertaking a Saturday Detention.