



Student Digital Licence Agreement

At Belmont Intermediate, we take digital safety very seriously. Upon enrollment, your parents/caregivers have sighted and agreed to the terms in our [Digital Citizenship Agreement](#). If they have not yet discussed the terms with you, please encourage them to do so.

In order to bring your mobile phone to school, use the school network, your own device or a device belonging to BIS, you must adhere to the following rules. Failure to comply will result in a 2-week ban or confiscation.

Mobile phones

Your mobile phone must be handed in to the school office when you arrive at school (do not wait till before the bell goes). If your mobile phone is found in your bag or on your person, it will be sent to the school office where your parents/caregivers will be called to collect it. Repeated offences will result in a 2-week ban or more.

Time of use and security

- Students may not use their devices or the network before school, during morning tea or at lunchtime. There are no exceptions to this rule as your eyes and brains need decent screen-time breaks.
- When you are not using your device or the school devices, these must be locked in your designated classroom device cupboards. This includes specialist, elective, PE and whanau class times. Please remind your teacher to lock away their devices when not in use too.

Restricted Activities

- Gaming - Students may not play games of any kind on their own device or a school device. Your teacher may allow the use of some educational games.
- VPNs - The use of a VPN is strictly prohibited.
- Websites and Apps - Sites like Youtube and Spotify can be accessed at the discretion of your teacher. Social media sites such as Facebook, Instagram, Tik Tok, Twitter ect are strictly prohibited.
- Filming and photography - Filming or photographing staff or students without explicit permission from your teacher are strictly prohibited.
- Your school Gmail is for communication with peers for educational/organisational purposes and your teacher. You may not email your parents/caregivers or classmates to socialise during class time.
- Cyberbullying of any kind will not be tolerated.

Failure to comply with any of the above will result in instant termination of your Digital Licence for a period of 2 weeks or more. This will restrict you from using the school network or a device for any reason or purpose including specialist and elective classes. Active bans are recorded by teachers and activity is monitored through Hapara.

We, the students of Room , agree to the terms and conditions of the Student Digital Licence Agreement and understand that failure to comply will result in my Digital Licence being revoked.

Signed:

Date: