Policies (summarised extracts)

Social Media

Remember that what you post on social media, is permanent. Learners and parents have the responsibility neither to publish nor distribute degrading or offensive messages regarding the school, its staff or the learners, or distribute other media which could damage the school's name. An offender may be found guilty of bringing the school's name into disrepute, which may lead to disciplinary action or legal action for libel.

Social media may not be used to discuss complaints or problems with the school. The school's official channels must be used for this purpose.

Cellphones and Smart Watches

The school recommends that learners do not bring these devices to school. Aside from safety concerns (both for the learner and for others with regard to theft and information which may be stored on such devices), such devices can be used to communicate or store information which could be used during tests or exams. For this reason, all such devices – including any other electronic communication or storage device – are strictly forbidden in test or exam venues.

The school accepts no responsibility for the theft or loss of any device that a learner brings to school, regardless of the circumstances. Should it be necessary for a learner to bring his/her device to school, it must be switched off at the start of the school day. No messages, etc. may be received or sent.

Sport support

Support in a positive way. Parents and supporters are asked to refrain from any form of negative comment towards officials, players or supporters of either team.

Maintain the required distance from the sidelines and keep out of the technical areas.