

Harrow Bangkok Mobile Device Policy

This mobile device policy is intended to promote responsible use and protect students and the school from liability resulting from any misuse of the device. Technology, on or off campus, *must* be used in accordance with the leadership attributes and ethos of Harrow International School Bangkok and any additional acceptable use documents produced by Harrow Bangkok. Teachers may set additional requirements for use in their respective classes.

Lower School

Device use inside the classroom

All students are not permitted to bring a mobile phone to school. From Year 4, students are required to have an Apple iPad device. Smart watches are not permitted.

Device use outside the classroom

Lower school students are not permitted to use mobile devices including smart watches outside the classroom at any time before, during or after school within the school grounds.

Upper School

In Prep Phase, students are required to have an Apple iPad device to access the curriculum.

In year groups that have a 'bring your own device policy' this can be either a tablet (with keyboard) or laptop device for use in lessons.

Device use

Mobile Phones (or similar functioning devices)

- Mobile phones can be used in the e-zones **but not for calls**
- At no times should phones be used in the dining room or whilst moving in the walkway areas.
- Mobile phones can be used in lessons where guided by the teacher

Smart Watches

- Smart watches should not be used as mobile device outside of an e- Zone

Tablets

- Tablets should not be used outside of a classroom or e-Zone

Laptops

- Laptops should not be used outside of a classroom or e-Zone

Headphones

- Headphones are only permitted within an e-Zone or when a teacher has given permission within the classroom for learning purposes

Location of Upper School e-Zones

Outside lessons, all devices can only be used in e-zones.

Prep School

- Ground floor of Prep building

Senior School

- Library – Middle Floor
- Outside the science block in the seating area (near ATM)

Sixth Form

- Sixth form (Rayleigh Centre) building

Other than e-zones, devices cannot be used within the school grounds before, during or after school with the exception of the Den walkway after 2.40pm.

The Den Walkway (after 2.40pm only)

- The walkway beyond the turnstiles leading to the Den seated area

Consequences for policy violations

Harrow Bangkok will investigate violations of our general rules and guidelines, and any additional rules or agreements sent or posted at school. Depending upon the situation, the severity and frequency of violations, the school may take disciplinary action against a student, including warnings, confiscation, termination of access and detentions.