



## **Mobile Phone Policy For Knutsford Academy and The Studio School 2019-2020**

### **Year 7-11**

Students are allowed to bring mobile devices into school to safeguard their journey to and from the building. Once students enter the building (even if this is before the start of the school day) mobile devices must be turned off and put away from sight. Students will not be allowed to use phones or any other device in lessons nor will they be allowed to use them during break times anywhere on the school site.

If any student chooses to breach these regulations then the Academy reserves the right to confiscate the item in the following manner :

- On the first occasion of any breach of the regulation the individual device will be confiscated and the student will serve a Break 2 detention. The device will be available for collection from the Student Office at the end of the school day.
- On the second occasion of any item being confiscated then the device will be retained in the Student Office until a parent/carer is able to collect the item. The student will also serve a Head of Year after school detention.
- On any third breach of the regulation the item will again be confiscated. On this occasion the item will again need to be collected by a parent. In addition, the student will be placed into isolation resulting in parents coming into school for a re-admission meeting with the Head of Year.

### **Sixth Form**

Students in the Sixth Form can only use their mobile phone in lessons with the permission of the teacher and in the Common Room and during breaks and private study. If during lessons the mobile phone becomes a distraction then the member of staff has the right to confiscate the device until the end of the lesson.