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Policy Updates

Dear Parents/Carers,

There have been a number of policies that have recently been updated which you can find on our school [website](#).

One of these is our [Mobile Phone Policy](#) – which has an important update regarding smart watches:

The use of smart watches is prohibited and they must not be worn to school. If they are worn, they will be confiscated and stored in the school office until the end of the day.

This decision has been taken under the guidance of King's Group Academies' safeguarding lead for a number of reasons:

- To align ourselves with local secondary school expectations
- To meet safeguarding requirements – with a particular nod towards online safety
- To minimise any opportunities for distraction in class

I want to thank you in advance for your support in this matter.

Many thanks,

Mrs R Carlyle

Headteacher