

## Baimbridge College Personal Property Policy



#### Help for non-English speakers

If you need help to understand the information in this policy, please contact Baimbridge College Reception on 5572 2788.

#### **PURPOSE**

To explain Baimbridge College's policy in relation to personal property and to ensure that special or valuable items of personal property are not brought to school.

#### **SCOPE**

This policy applies to all school activities, including camps and excursions.

#### **POLICY**

Baimbridge College understands that staff and/or students may sometimes like to bring items of personal property to school.

The Department of Education and Training does not have insurance for personal property of staff, students and visitors. Baimbridge College does not take responsibility for items of personal property that are lost, stolen or damaged at school or during school activities. Damage to personal property brought to school is the responsibility of the owner of that property.

Baimbridge College encourages staff and students not to bring items of value to school, or to obtain appropriate insurance for such items.

If students bring items of value to school, they will be confiscated and stored securely at Reception until the end of the day, when the items may be collected by the student and/or parent in line with existing policies such as mobile phones and wearable devices.

#### **COMMUNICATION**

This policy will be communicated to our school community in the following ways:

- Hard copy available from school administration upon request
- Annual reminders in our school newsletter

#### **RELATED POLICIES AND RESOURCES**

- the Department's Policy and Advisory Library (PAL):
  - O Claims for Property Damage and Medical Expenses



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### POLICY REVIEW AND APPROVAL

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