

Cairns SHS - Approved Curriculum Exemptions - Personal Devices Policy (Version 24.1 12 February 2024)

Area of the School	Frequency	Specific Subject Names	Description
Whole School	Each unit of work	ALL Classes	In OneNote and Qlearn teachers have embedded videos and podcasts for students to access learning in a variety of ways (rather than just reading). There is also the need for earphones if students choose to listen to text rather than reading using immersive reader function.
OTHER - Senior Pathways	As required	SSP111 and SSP12	Students sometimes have to use their phone to access VET resources or call their trainer. Students would need to ask permission from HOD SP and/or RS if required.
OTHER - CONNECT Program	As required	Year 11 and 12 CONNECT Program	Access to QCAA Portal, complete online surveys with guest speakers
OTHER - CONNECT Program	As required	Camp / Excursions - Senior School	Use of mobile phone permitted at camp activities and overseas excursions
OTHER - School of Distance Education	Each lesson	SDE	Access live online lessons, lesson recordings and language listening tasks
Business / Enterprise	During assessment only	7/8 HCC, 7/8 ECB, 9 HOP, 9 ECB, 10 BES	Students taking photo of own assessment item and uploading into their written assessment.
Business / Enterprise	Weekly - collation of folio of work	10 KIT, 10 FAS, 11/12 FAZ	Students taking photo of own assessment item and uploading into their assessment folio each week
Business / Enterprise	Each unit of work	11/12 VHY, 11/12 VVP, 12 BSQ, 11/12 VWK	Students taking photo of own assessment item and uploading into their written assessment. Call potential employers as part of competency completion
C4DL	Each unit of work	QMA, QCIA Subjects, WSK	Life skills, assistive technology. Learn to use calendars and notifications for organisation and independence. Learn to use speech to text for communication for students with limited literacy.
English	During assessment only	11/12 ENG, 11/12 LIT	Students permitted to use their phone to edit persuasive speeches to collect video evidence as part of assessment.
Global Studies	Each unit of work	VCH 11	Filming components of speaking tasks.
Global Studies	Each unit of work	ITL 11	Using QR codes for class activity
HPE	Each unit of work	REC 10&11&12, PED 10&11&12, HEA 11&12, COE Football	Filming components for folio work.
Industrial Technology and Design	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	NO approved curriculum activities for student mobile phone use.
Mathematics	During assessment only	MAS 11&12	Using phone for video footage of a projectile.
Music	Each unit of work	MUS - ALL Year Levels	Students use their mobile phones to access backing tracks and listen to recordings of works they are performing and studying
Science	During assessment only	BIO 12, SCI 9, CHM 11&12, PSY 11&12, PHY 11&12, AQP 11&12	Collecting data for student experiment as part of assessment.
Science	Practical work	PHY 10	Practical activities in QUAD
Science	Each unit of work	VRP 11&12	Access drone, CASA, Aviation Australia and weather apps
Visual and Performing Arts	During assessment only	FTM 10&11&12, DRA 10&11&12, ART 10&11&12	Film access mobile phones during class to film, edit and upload for assessment, and record edit and upload sound. Students also use phones during class to photograph locations for assessment documentation and story boards.
Visual and Performing Arts	Weekly	DAN 8-12, COE Dance	All choreography and performance assessment will require the use of mobile phones for a period of time on a weekly basis.
Visual and Performing Arts	Each unit of work	DIG ART 8&9	Students use phones individually and in Groups to take teacher directed photos.
Visual and Performing Arts	Each unit of work	MAP 11&12, VAP 11&12	Students use phones to record, edit and upload material (video, photos and sound) for assessment and teacher-directed tasks.