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PEMBROKE PRIMARY SCHOOL

Personal Property Policy 2023



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Hi theihternak zulhphung kong hi na fian lomi a um ahcun Pembroke Primary Sianginn (9725 6689) chonh khawh a si.

PURPOSE

To explain Pembroke Primary School'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

Pembroke Primary School 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. Pembroke Primary School 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.

Pembroke Primary School 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, we ask that they leave it at the Office to be stored securely until the end of the day, when the items may be collected by the student and/or parent.

COMMUNICATION

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

- Annual reminders in our school newsletter
- Available publicly on our school's website
- Included in staff handbook/manual
- Discussed at annual staff briefings/meetings
- Included in transition and enrolment packs
- Discussed at parent information nights/sessions
- Hard copy available from school administration upon request

RELATED POLICIES AND RESOURCES

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

POLICY REVIEW AND APPROVAL

Policy last reviewed	November 2022
Approved by	Principal