

FAIRLANDS PRIMARY SCHOOL & NURSERY

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Dear Parents / Carers,

RE: SMART Watches

As Christmas is fast approaching we know that children may be asking for the latest gadgets as part of their Christmas presents from Santa. Please can we take this opportunity to remind you of the schools policy on SMART watches for pupils, taken from our eSafety policy:

• Pupils are not allowed to have a personal device on their person in school. This includes the use of SMART watches.

Whilst we believe that technology is an essential part of creating digitally literate citizens who are ready for the wider world, there are no circumstances in which we would support a child wearing a SMART watch in school. If a child comes to school wearing a SMART watch they will be immediately asked to remove the watch and it will be locked in the school office for safe keeping.

Our eSafety policy is available in read in full on our website.

Thank you for your support with this.

Emily Thompson
Deputy Headteacher and eSafety Co-ordinator