

PERSONAL PROPERTY POLICY

PURPOSE

To explain Blackburn High 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

Blackburn High 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. Blackburn High 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.

Blackburn High 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, they should be stored securely in their lockers until the end of the day.

REVIEW CYCLE

This policy was last updated on October 2024 and is scheduled for review in October 2027.