## ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT (CELL PHONE) POLICY OF BOSMANSDAM HIGH SCHOOL

- 1. No student may have any electronic devices (these include, but is not limited to cell phone, bluetooth/wireless device) in his/her possession, his/her person or his/her school bag during official school hours. Should there be an emergency; the grade head will contact parents.
- 2. No student may use an electronic device during official school hours.
- 3. If a student allows another student to use his/her phone or to keep his/her phone, the phone will still be confiscated.
- 4. Students, who wish to bring electronic devices to school, must hand them in during the register class period to the register teacher. The devices will be kept in a safe in the classroom.
- 5. The teacher must take in the phones- and electronic devices and hand them out at the end of the day. If a student does not collect the phones- and electronic devices within 10 minutes after school the register teacher will take it to the secretary's office where the student can collect it. The same applies to cover/substitute teachers.
- 6. Late comers must hand their electronic devices in at the secretary's office.
- 7. Confiscated electronic devices will be kept until the end of that term. This includes the battery and sim card of the device. Alternatively a fine of R100 can be paid for the release of the device on the same day. These funds will go towards the feeding scheme.
- 8. Refusal to hand in such phones will lead to immediate disciplinary actions.
- 9. Searches for electronic devices, banned substances and dangerous weapons may be undertaken when it is deemed necessary.
- 10. It is the students' responsibility to mark their electronic devices.

## 11. <u>THE SCHOOL ACCEPTS NO RESPONSIBILITY FOR ANY LOST ELECTRONIC</u> <u>DEVICES.</u>