"Should smartphones be allowed in school?" by Ningma Limbu (2B)

Nowadays, electronic devices are popular with teenagers for study and communication. Among different kinds of devices, smartphones would be the most common ones they own. It is a convenient tool for communication. We can send messages in different modes, such as emojis, icons, pictures, video, etc to our friends or family members.

However, some may think that smartphones should not be allowed in school. First, it will easily distract students from studying as they tend to check messages and watch Youtube in class. Moreover, they will be tempted to use their phones to listen to music or play games while having a lesson or recess. In addition, watching the screen for a long period of time may hurt eyes because of the blue light. What's more, phones can be expensive and there is a risk of losing them.

Someone may argue that students bringing their phones to school is for study. In fact, schools can provide iPads for students to facilitate learning and teaching and it would be more efficient and convenient to handle tasks related to e-learning. Students can be better monitored and instructed to finish their tasks. So, it is not necessary to allow students to bring their phones to school.

In short, some students lack self-discipline and can't control themselves well, which affects the effectiveness of e-learning. As a result, there is no reason for students to use smartphones in school.