

# **REACH Boarding School System**

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## What is REACH?

Blackrock College has implemented the REACH Boarding School System for all boarding students.

REACH is a boarding school booking system which coordinates Exeat (Leave) Requests for School Staff, Parents, Hosts and Boarders by creating an easy to use, paperless system that you can access from anywhere, at any time, and from any device. REACH is available for you to use from any PC or mobile device 24 hours a day, 7 days per week.

### How to access REACH

#### **REACH Website**

Access the REACH boarding school booking system online at <u>https://blackrock.reach.cloud/</u>and enter in your login details to sign in.

### **REACH App**

Access the REACH Student Life Management boarding school app through the Apple iTunes and GooglePlay Stores. See pages 3-4 for how to download and log into the REACH Mobile App.

#### **Login Information**

For those who need login details, you have been sent an email from 'no-reply@reach.cloud' asking you click the link for REACH User Setup Wizard. Please follow the steps, this will allow you access into the site.

If you have any queries regarding your login information, please contact Elizabeth Roughneen at <u>eroughneen@blackrockcollege.com</u>.

# Student Life Management mobile app

### Download REACH mobile app

REACH has released an app called "REACH Student Life Management". It can be used on both Apple or Android devices. It is available for download from the Apple iTunes and GooglePlay Stores.

- Search for <u>**REACH Student Life Management</u>** app on the App Store</u>
- Search for <u>**REACH Student Life Management</u>** app on GooglePlay.</u>
- Alternatively, you can click on the relevant icon below to access the Apple or Android version of your REACH Parent and Student mobile app.







### Logging in

1. Open the REACH app, click LET'S GO button



2. Search for 'blackrock'. Tap **Blackrock** to select the school



**3.** Enter in your username and password



**4.** You are now signed into the app!



# How to Create a Leave Request

When you first login you will be presented with the REACH parent dashboard.

Note: Leave requests will be pending until they are accepted by Mr MacDermott, Director of The Castle Hall of Residence.

### **REACH Website**

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### **REACH App**

To create a new leave request, select the plus button • in the bottom centre of the screen and choose **New Leave Request**.

Follow the series of prompted screens to input the travel details; Leave Type, Departure and Return Dates/Times, Transportation methods, Host information, Destination and Notes, as well as if it's a reoccurring leave. Parents have the ability to select multiple legs of transportation for their student's departure and return. For recurring leaves, select the frequency and duration that the leave plans will repeat.

Prior to submitting the leave request, review the leave details and make any changes if needed.



## **Further Information**

ARTICLE: Reach Parent