# FEATURE: CALLING

## SAANICH SCHOOL'S NEW PHONE SYSTEM

## MAKING PHONE CALLS

Please note: You must press the button below Dial on the screen (bottom right corner) to complete your calling.

#### BY EXTENSION

You can call any person, school or room with an extension in the school district by entering it on the keypad of the phone and pressing the button below **Dial** on the screen.

#### BY DIRECTORY

You can get a list of **people** and **schools** with extensions:

- 1. By pressing the button below Contacts on the screen of the phone. Scroll or use the search feature
- 2. Or, press the button next to **Directory** on the screen. Dial the first letters of their name and listen to the options.
- 3. Or, through the **portal** by going to **Contacts** and choosing **Directory**

While you can dial any classroom via their extension, they are not listed in the directory system. Typically, a classroom extension is the two-digit school code, followed by the three-digit room number. In some cases, due to overlap, it may be different, so it is good to confirm before calling.

#### CALLING OUTSIDE THE DISTRICT

To call a number outside the district, dial the 10-digit number (no need for a leading 9) and press the button below **Dial** on the screen.

# CALLS ACROSS THE DISTRICT

This phone system spans our entire school district. To make best use of the system you should always call using the **local extensions** of the other schools or people.

To call the office for any school, the extension is 9XX10 where XX is the two-digit school code.