

CELL PHONES AND ELECTRONIC DEVICES

- In order to preserve the learning environment and maximize academic performance and engagement at school, cell phones and any other personal electronic communication devices not distributed by the school district should be put away and out of sight during the academic day.
- Students are allowed to use cell phones before school, after school, and during lunch times, provided such use does not cause disruptions, distractions, or tardiness to the next class.
- District issued iPads or other school devices are provided for all academic work that require technology during class. Therefore, ***cell phones or other personal electronic devices should not be out or used during class or passing periods.***
- Use of district network resources should not be considered private or confidential. The student should have no expectation of privacy when using the district's network.
- The district will not be responsible for lost, stolen, or damaged devices, nor are administrators responsible for investigating lost/stolen devices.
- Cell phones or personal electronic devices that are not put away as requested or used at inappropriate times or in inappropriate ways, may lead to a behavior referral or loss of this privilege. When a cell phone or electronic device is confiscated for inappropriate use, it may be picked up in the office after school.
 - First offense: the student may pick up the device and will receive a warning
 - Second & Third offenses: the student may pick up the device and an office detention (30/80 minutes) will be assigned.
 - Fourth and succeeding offenses: the parent/guardian will be required to pick up the device and one day of ISS will be assigned.
- If a student refuses to turn in an electronic device when requested by a staff member, it will be considered an act of insubordination and an ORF will be written.
- Do not loan electronic devices to anyone.
 - If a device is confiscated, the owner of the device and the person using it will both be assigned consequences.
 - The device will only be returned to the owner.