

Electronic Device Policy

The use of electronic devices/cameras for taking pictures/video in any private location such as locker rooms, bathrooms or in classrooms, hallways, cafeteria and gym is strictly prohibited and may be considered a Group II or III violation (please see progressive discipline policy for more information). The school is not responsible for lost, stolen or damaged electronic devices. During classroom time, electronic devices are permitted for teacher approved uses only. Students must adhere to the classroom posted signs illustrating:

Technology off and out of sight:

- If technology is visible, heard, or used, a referral will be written and disciplinary action will be followed as stated below.

Technology for approved educational uses only:

- Teachers will direct students to what they see as appropriate use. Use other than what is directly approved will result in a referral.

Other behaviors incorporating the use of electronic devices not specifically enumerated above will be dealt with according to the student code of conduct. Consequences for violation(s) of the student code of conduct, with the aid of an electronic device, may vary depending upon the intentional nature and circumstances of the violation. Please see progressive discipline policy. Students are strictly responsible for their own electronic devices. Owners of devices that are misused by non-owners may also be held responsible and subject to the school code of conduct. Students will not be permitted to charge their devices during school hours.

1st Offense - Confiscation of device:

- Student may pick up the device in the office at the end of the school day
- After School Detention assigned

2nd Offense - Confiscation of device:

- Returned to **student** no sooner than **after school the following school day**. If parent requests, a student may take the phone home at the end of the day, but must return the phone to be held in the office for the following school day
- After School Detention assigned

3rd + Offense - Confiscation of device:

- Returned to **parent** no sooner than **after school the following school day**.
- 1 day Learning Support Center (L.S.C.) assigned

***NOTE:** Administration reserves the right to search any electronic device if reasonable suspicion is present. Reasonable suspicion is present if administration feels the device may contain information of further wrong-doing or the health safety and welfare of the school. Students who fail to comply will be subjected to additional consequences. Students may also be subject to additional consequences as per the District Acceptable Use Policy.*