

CELLULAR PHONES, PAGERS, 2-WAY
COMMUNICATION SYSTEMS, OTHER ELECTRONIC DEVICES

The Board of Education acknowledges that cellular phones, pagers, and 2-way communication systems can be a positive means to facilitate communication; however, the display and/or use of such electronic devices can cause disruption to the educational process.

Therefore, to prevent such disruption, the display and/or use by students of cellular phones, pagers, and 2-way communication systems and/or other electronic devices shall be prohibited from the time students arrive at school until the end of the regular school day. Such devices must be turned off during this time period.

In emergency situations, exceptions to the prohibition of use of cellular phones, pagers, and 2-way communication systems may be granted by teachers or administrators.

Misuse of any of these electronic devices will result in its confiscation until a parent/guardian arrives to pick it up or until the end of the school year, as outlined in exhibit A of the code of conduct.

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