



# BLACK HORSE PIKE REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Dear Black Horse Pike Regional School District Caregivers and Community,

To ensure a focused learning environment, we are strictly enforcing our Board of Education cell phone free policy alongside the newly enacted [New Jersey State Law \(P.L.2025, c. 195\)](#), which mandates "bell-to-bell" restrictions on all internet-enabled devices. Triton, Highland, and Timber Creek High Schools' principals have sent several notifications out to students and parents regarding this change. We are in our second full week of a cell-phone free school environment, and I want to thank the students and parents for their understanding, collaboration, and support. 99% of our students are respectful and responsible, and as a result, we have witnessed a resurgence of positive social engagement and academic focus.

Maintaining a distraction-free classroom is vital for student mental health and academic success. Consequently, students found in violation of these rules will face progressive disciplinary actions, including a Superintendent level hearing after a 4<sup>th</sup> violation. We have already been made aware of students bringing secondary devices to circumnavigate the intent, and, in those cases, students will be disciplined under the code of conduct policy for "failure to follow directives."

The [NJDOE Student Use Guidance](#) provides more information.

We appreciate your partnership in upholding these policies and expectations.

Sincerely,

Dr. Brian Repici

Superintendent

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