

# CELL PHONE POLICY

- Students may carry cell phones provided they are turned “off” at all times. This means “off”, not on the muted or vibrate mode. Upon entering the building in the morning, phones and all other personal electronic devices, must be turned off and should not be visible. This includes every area of the building, including the cafeteria.
- At dismissal, students are permitted to use their cell phones; however students may not use a cell phone in any classroom.
- If a student phone or any other personal electronic device is discovered turned “on”, it will be confiscated by the staff member and sent to the office and the following disciplinary actions will be implemented:

**First Offense:** A parent will be contacted and the cell phone/personal electronic device will be returned to the student at the end of the day.

**Second Offense:** A parent will be contacted, the student will serve an after-school detention and a parent will be required to come in to the school to pick-up the cell phone/personal electronic device.

**Third Offense:** The third offense constitutes “defiance of authority” and will result in a suspension and loss of cell phone privileges for the remainder of the school year.

**The district is not responsible for lost, stolen, or damaged cell phones or personal electronic devices.**