

AMHS Cell Phone Policy

Electronic Device Policy: The district acknowledges that electronic devices are prevalent in our culture.

Therefore, while on school property or attending school-sponsored or school-related activities students may possess personal communication and/or electronic devices, provided that such devices do not pose a threat to academic integrity, disrupt the learning environment, or violate the privacy rights of others.

Personal electronic devices include, but are not limited to iPods, cell phones, etc. Students in possession of cell phones and other related electronic devices shall observe the following conditions:

- A. Cell phones will NOT be out or used during class time. These include all electronic and listening devices, but are not limited to iPods, Air Pods, headphones and earbuds.
- B. Students who violate this policy will be subject to disciplinary action, which may include losing the privilege of bringing the device onto school property. In addition, a staff member may confiscate the device, which will result in progressive discipline.
- C. Students are responsible for the devices they bring to school. The district shall not be responsible for loss, theft or destruction of devices brought onto school property.
- D. Students shall comply with any additional rules developed by the school concerning the appropriate use of telecommunications or other electronic devices.
- E. The device cannot interfere with other students' rights to learn, or a student or teacher's right to privacy and integrity (i.e., camera phones, text messaging, etc.).
- F. Recording Devices - Students may NOT use personal recording devices such as digital cameras, cell phone cameras, or iPod-type devices to photograph, videotape, or audio record teachers or students in the classroom, in the building, or at any time during school time. Any disruption to classroom activities due to these devices will result in confiscation of the device and progressive discipline.

STUDENTS BRING THESE ITEMS AT THEIR OWN RISK. AMHS IS NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR LOST OR STOLEN ITEMS.