

NEW JOSEPH BONNHEIM COMMUNITY CHARTER

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CELL PHONE POLICY, ELECTRONIC DEVICES AND REGISTRATION

Dear Parent(s)/Guardian(s): This notice is to inform all parents and guardians of the School District's policy regarding cell phones and personal electronic devices. Please read, sign, and return to your child's teacher.

Students are permitted to bring cell phones to school, but they must keep them in their backpacks and turned off during the entire school day. They are **not to be seen or heard** while on campus. Students may not display or use a cell phone or other electronic communication devices at any time during the school day. We strongly discourage any electronic devices being brought to school and NJB is not responsible for any lost, stolen, or broken cell phone or device.

Our teachers work hard to keep students focused on school and their learning. Cell phones can be a big distraction. Their use is inappropriate at school. Please note that if school staff becomes aware that a student is using the cell phone or any other electronic device during the school day in violation of this cell phone and electronic device policy, the cell phone or device will be confiscated. Parents will need to meet with principal to get the cell phone/device. If the policy is violated a second time, the school will keep the phone or device until the end of the school year.

District officials know some parents want their child to have a cell phone for reasons of safety or convenience. The policy only restricts use at school. You may not call your child on the cell phone at school and your child may not call you on their cell phone from school. In case of an emergency, parents should call the school office. In case of a school emergency, the school will contact the family.

(Please sign and return)
We understand the District policy on use of cell phones and electronic devices at school.

Signature:Date:Student's Name:Grade:Student Cell Phone Number:Teacher: