

2019-20 NUHS Cell phone and other personal electronics agreement

Purpose: To teach students appropriate use of electronic technology

Students bring electronic devices, including cell phones, at their own risk. New Urban is **not** responsible for any lost or stolen electronic items, however reasonable steps may be taken to locate a lost or stolen device

The use of electronic devices, including cell phones, electronic music players, headphones, or personal video game consoles during instructional time can have a detrimental effect on student achievement. Unless an electronic device is approved as a functional and useful piece of the curriculum, these items are to be turned off and put away in the classroom. The following consequences will result if a student displays a cell phone, electronic music player, headphones, or personal video game console in the classroom or other prohibited areas.

- **1st Offense: Warning:** If a staff member sees a student using an electronic device during class, the student will be warned **ONCE** and asked to put it away. If the student does not do as asked, the teacher will confiscate the phone and it will be turned into Student Management for the remainder of the day.
- **2nd Offense: Confiscation:** Following the warning, if the student has their device out a second time, The phone will be confiscated by the teacher and turned into Student Management for the remainder of the day.
 - If the student refuses, Student Management will be called and the device will be turned in for the remainder of the day, and the student may receive further consequences for non-compliance. Parents will be contacted.
 - If the Student refuses to turn their device into Student Management they may be suspended for Defiance of Authority
- **Repeated Offenses:** If a student continues to violate the Electronics Device Policy a parent meeting will be scheduled. A plan will be put into place that may include, but is not limited to, turning the device into Student Management every day for a designated period of time.

Sometimes it is necessary for parents to communicate with their child during school hours, they are encouraged to call the attendance office at **(503) 353-5925** and have a message sent to the student. Students are allowed, with staff permission to use the school phones if it is necessary to contact a parent during the instructional day.

Student Signature:

Parent Signature:
