

DAVIDSEN CELL PHONE AND ELECTRONIC DEVICE POLICY

During school hours **cell phones, earbuds, and other electronic devices** are to be used under the supervision of school staff members for educational purposes only. Cell phones will be turned off and out of site, unless being used instructionally and supervised by the classroom teacher.

Students must comply with the directives of school/district staff regarding when and where electronic devices may be used. Cell phone conversations during the school day are prohibited unless under the supervision of staff/school personnel. Failure to comply with staff directives may result in the following student consequences:

- **First Offense:** The device/phone will be secured in the office and retrieved at the end of the day.
- **Second Offense:** The device/phone will be secured in the office and picked up by a parent/guardian.
- **Third Offense:** The device/phone will be secured in the office and a parent/guardian will meet with an administrator.

Parents/Guardians-Please refrain from texting or calling your child during school hours. For emergencies you may call 813-558-5300 and we will relay a message to your student. It is our priority to create learning environments without distractions in all our classrooms. We ask that you review this policy and emphasize the importance of following these requests to maintain our school's positive learning culture.

The HCPS Student Code of Conduct states that school staff/district personnel will not be held responsible if a device is lost, stolen or misplaced, including those that have been confiscated.
Devices cannot be charged at school, unless specific permission is granted.