

The use of student Mobile Devices to provide educational material is not a *right* but a *privilege*; a student does not have the "*right*" to use his or her Mobile Device while at school. When abused, privileges may be taken away. When respected, they will benefit the learning environment as a whole.

Students and parents/guardians participating in the Mobile Device program must adhere to the Student Code of Conduct, as well as all Board policies, particularly Internet Acceptable Use and Internet Safety when a student is not in an area designated for access to

the Santa Rosa Connected retwork. The program's amended Student Mobile device Use policies will be posted on our school's website. Parents who need to reach their child (or vice versa) should communicate via the Front Office only.

## **Student Mobile Devices:**

- Must be in silent mode while on school campuses and while riding school buses.
- May not be used to cheat on assignments or tests, or for non-instructional purposes (such as making personal phone calls and text/instant messaging).
- May not be used to record, transmit or post audio, photographic images or video of a person, or persons on campus during school activities and/or school hours except as required for instructional purposes.
- May only be used to access Internet sites and apps that are relevant to the classroom curriculum. Non-educational games/ apps use is not permitted.
- Seen or heard during the school day, outside of areas designated for use, may be confiscated and may be held until a parent / guardian picks it up or makes other arrangements with school officials.

## Students acknowledge that:

- Students using mobile devices are required to access the Internet only through the district-provided and filtered Santa Rosa Connected network in areas designated for allowing open wireless access. Under no circumstances are students to use any mobile device to bypass this requirement.
- Bringing on premises or infecting the network with a Virus, Trojan, or program designed to damage, alter, destroy, or
  provide access to unauthorized data or information is in violation of Policy. Processing or accessing information on school
  property related to "hacking", altering, or bypassing network security policies is in violation of Policy.
- The school district has the right to collect and examine any device that is suspected of causing problems or was the source of an attack or virus infection.
- When texting is permitted for instructional purposes, texting for reasons other than instructional is still prohibited.
- Printing from Student Mobile Devices will not be possible at school.
- Personal technology is charged prior to bringing it to school and runs off its own battery while at school.
- Neither the school nor School District will provide technical support for any personal electronic device.
- The student is solely responsible for personal property and neither the school nor School District shall bear any
  responsibility for lost, damaged, or stolen property brought by a student.

Students and parents/guardians who participate in the student mobile device program will understand and will abide by the above policy and guidelines. Students must agree that they understand that any violation is unethical and may result in the loss of the student's network and/or Student Mobile Device privileges as well as other disciplinary action. *If participation is not desired, please call the school.*