



## Jennings School District STUDENT CELL PHONE POLICY & GUIDELINES Grades 5-12

**Cell phones are not to be used during school.** Every student is assigned a personal Yondr Pouch. While the Yondr Pouch is considered school property, it is each student's responsibility to bring their Pouch with them to school every day and keep it in good working condition.

### DAILY PROCESS

As students **Arrive to School**, they will:

- 1) Turn their cell phone off.
- 2) Place their cell phone inside the Pouch and secure it in front of school staff.
- 3) Store it in their backpack for the day.

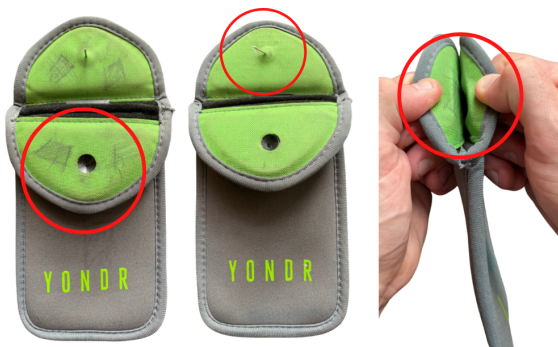
At the end of the day, students will open their Pouch, remove their phone, close their Pouch and put it in their backpack. Students must bring their Pouch to school with them each day.

\*Students arriving late or leaving early will pouch/unpouch their phones in the Main Office and Door 4.

### VIOLATIONS

- ❖ The first time a student forgets their pouch or is caught using a cellphone, he/she will place the phone in an envelope with their name and the phone will be secured at door 4 for the student to pick up at dismissal.
- ❖ For repeat issues with the pouch, a student forgets their pouch or is caught using a cellphone, he/she will place the phone in an envelope with their name and the phone will be secured in the main office for parent pick up.
- ❖ If a student damages their Pouch or consistently forgets their Pouch, it is considered lost. A replacement fee of \$30.
- ❖ For repeat issues with the Yondr Pouch, additional administrative consequences may be assigned.

Examples of damage:



- Ripped
- Cut
- Torn
- Pen/pencil marks
- Bent/cut pin
- Signs of force to black button on flap

*\*Regarding earbuds, tablets, smart watches, etc- we are not collecting these items. Students are allowed to use these items in class with **teacher permission** for instructional purposes at appropriate times. Students should avoid misuse of technology whether district issued or personal items.*