

Sunrise High School
Box Elder Adult Education

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BESD Cell Phone Policy (#5305)

The Board of Education recognizes that uncontrolled use of cellular telephones, pages, devices containing cameras, and other electronic devices often disrupt student-learning time, may contribute to cheating, and may also be used inappropriately to photograph and/or contact other students without their consent.

The following will govern student use of cellular telephones and other electronic devices and cameras:

1. Students may possess these items while in school and at school activities.

2. All devices will be turned off, not used, and be kept out of sight during class time.

3. Policies governing student use of cellular telephones and other devices between class times and during their lunch and/or recess periods will be determined at the school level.

4. Cameras and other devices with photography capabilities will not be in view of others while a student is in a restroom, dressing room, or any other location where photography may be inappropriate.

5. Any inappropriate use of cellular telephones or other devices or the use of these devices to threaten or harass other students or school employees will result in the immediate confiscation of the device.

6. Cellular telephones and other devices that are confiscated for inappropriate use at school

may be searched and information stored in the devices may be used in disciplining students.

Sunrise High School Consequences for Use of Cellular Telephones, Pagers, Devices Containing Cameras, and Other Electronic Devices:

First Offense – Verbal or written (disclosure) warning by the teacher.

Second Offense - Device is confiscated and given to an administrator; returned at the end of the day.

Third Offense – Device is confiscated and given to an administrator; returned the following day after parental contact.

Fourth Offense – Device is confiscated and given to an administrator; parental contact; returned after 30 school days.

Fifth Offense – Device is confiscated and given to an administrator; parental contact; returned at the end of the school year.

** Use of the device to cheat, to harass other students, or to photograph other students without consent will result in the device being removed for the remainder of the school year.