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Englewood STEM High School Electronic Device Policy

Many parents and students have expressed interest in bringing devices such as tablets, laptops and other electronic devices to school. They use these devices to assist in their studies before and after school and sometimes in class at the teacher’s discretion. So, we allow students to bring cell phones and/or other electronic devices to school.

However, with freedom comes responsibility. Please read over the following points. If both parents and students agree with the statements, please sign the form below. Your signature indicates that you understand the policies and rationale behind the policy at Englewood STEM High School.

- I understand that having a cell phone in school is disruptive to the educational process.
- I understand that a student’s cell phone must be POWERED OFF while a student is in the school building, during school hours -- unless that student is in the school halls, foyer or cafeteria during lunch or passing period.
- I understand that if a student violates that policy, s/he is subject to punishment via the Chicago Public Schools Student Code of Conduct. Since this is a group 3 Misconduct, I understand that a first offense can range from Parent-Student-Administrator conference to a three-day suspension from school.
- I further understand that a second offense can result in additional interventions/consequences according to the CPS Student Code of Conduct.
- I understand that if I violate any part of this policy, my privileges to bring a cell phone to school can be rescinded.
- I understand that it is a violation for the student to communicate using their device with anyone (including parents/guardians) except during lunch and passing periods in approved areas of the school.
- I understand that Englewood STEM High School is not responsible for the loss or damage of a cell phone or electronic device as they are optional and not required.
- I understand that if I come into possession of a device that is not my own, I will turn it into the main office.

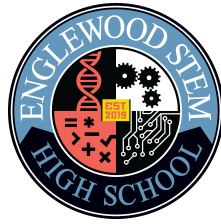
Parent Signature

Date

I have read the waiver my parent/guardian signed and agree with all of the stipulations.

Student Signature

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