



# Richards Middle School Cell Phone Policy

**Throughout Entire Building**

**NO Pictures**

**NO Phone Calls**

**NO Texting**

**NO Social Media**

\*\*\*This includes TikTok, Snapchat, Instagram, Facebook, Twitter, Discord etc.

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**The expectation is that students follow our Acceptable Use Policy (AUP) and exercise good judgment at all times and on all devices.**

**This includes:**

- Silencing their phone or turning it off during school hours.
- Use their device for school-related work within the classroom, only when appropriate. Teacher classroom expectations must be respected and followed.
- During passing time, Earbuds/Headphones are not permitted, due to safety concerns.
- Earbuds/Headphones may be used when appropriate. Teacher classroom expectations must be respected and followed.
- During lunch time students may use their phone appropriately for music or games as long as the Acceptable Use Policy is Followed (AUP). Earbuds/Headphones are permitted (in one ear only) for safety and communication purposes.

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**Please see the consequences, below, for not following the RMS Cell phone policy:**

<b>1st Offense</b>	<b>2nd Offense</b>	<b>3rd Offense</b>	<b>4+ Offense</b>
Warning	Parent or Guardian Must Pick Up	Parent or Guardian Must Pick Up Lunch Detention	Parent or Guardian Must Pick Up In school Suspension Phone is banned