

CUHS Electronic Device Policy

Electronic devices are powerful tools for communicating and accessing information. They can, however, also be extremely disruptive to the learning environment and be used in a way that is harmful to others. CUHS has adopted the policy below in order to assure that all students get to learn in a safe and productive environment.

Cell phones, ear buds, ear phones, student-owned radios, iPods, MP3 players, CD players, tablet computers, laptop computers, E-readers (kindle, nook, etc.) and other student owned electronic devices shall be turned off and out of sight during the school day (between 8:00 am and 3:05 pm). The one exception to this is when a teacher or administrator gives explicit permission to a student or group of students to use electronic devices during a specific time for educational purposes while under teacher supervision. ANY use for non-educational purposes will be considered a violation of this policy. "Wearables", such as smart watches and step trackers are permitted as long as they do not disrupt school or class activities. If a staff member believes a student's "wearable" is disruptive, it will be confiscated and treated the same as other electronic device violations. Electronic devices are not allowed to be out in the locker room at any time. Any student that violates the Electronic Device Policy will be subject to the following consequences:

1st Offense: Confiscation of device, returned to student after school

2nd Offense: Confiscation of device, returned to parent/guardian

Further Offenses: Confiscation of device, returned to parent/guardian, 1 day suspension or disciplinary classroom alternative or reset room and/or advance in step process