



Sleepy Hill Middle School

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Sleepy Hill Middle School Parents,

I wanted to wish all the students a safe and relaxing summer vacation. It is important that you know we will have some policy changes for the 2018-2019 school year. In light of the present climate and high importance of safety and security, SHMS will no longer have a Bring Your Own Device policy. If you choose for your child to have a cellphone at school please make sure you understand the following rules:

1. Students who bring cellphones to school must turn the device off when the first bell rings to go to class.
2. Students may not turn the cellphones back on until the dismiss bell rings.
3. If a student has their cellphone on during the school day and is caught, the cellphone will be confiscated. If the student refuses to give the cellphone to the administrator, the student will receive consequences.
4. If a cellphone is confiscated for misuse, the parent or another adult in the family must come to school to get the cellphone.
5. The family must understand that bringing a cellphone to school will be AT YOUR OWN RISK. The school will not be responsible for a stolen, broken, or lost cellphone. The family may report a stolen or lost cellphone to their provider but the school will no longer investigate lost or stolen cellphone issues.