



## Nye County School District

# Board Policy

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STUDENT USE OF CELL PHONES ON SCHOOL PROPERTY

**PURPOSE:** Establish a policy governing student use and possession of cell phones on school property.

**RESPONSIBLE OFFICE:** Nye County School District Board of Trustees/Designee

NRS 392.4637 mandates that the Board of Trustees establish a policy governing student use and possession of cell phones on school property and prescribe appropriate measures for disciplining a pupil who violates the policy. In accordance with this law, the Nye County School District Board of Trustees has implemented the following policy:

- Student cell phones must be powered off and stored out of sight (e.g., in backpacks, lockers, or bags) from the start of the school day until the final bell or the conclusion of the last instructional period.
- During a crisis event necessitating a school lockdown, students may access their cell phones for emergency communication purposes.
- The corresponding regulation to this policy will specify a progressive discipline plan for student violations.
- The Nye County School District (NCSD) assumes no responsibility for the theft, loss, or damage of personal cell phones.

### REVISION HISTORY

Date	Revision	Reviewed	Modification
July 22, 2003	1.0		Adoption
December 13, 2016	2.0		Amendment
December 12, 2024	3.0		Amendment; Revised to provide clear guidelines on student cell phone use during school hours/property.