STUDENT CONDUCT PERSONAL COMMUNICATION DEVICES/ELECTRONIC DEVICES

FNCE (LOCAL)

PROPOSED REVISIONS

Note:

For searches of personal <u>communication</u>telecommunications devices or other personal electronic devices, see FNF.

Personal

Communication Use

Telecommunications Devices

A student shall not use a personal communication device on school property during the school day. While on school property, the student shall store any personal communication device in accordance with administrative regulations.

A student who violates this policy or any regulations shall be subject to discipline in accordance with the Board-adopted Student Code of Conduct.

An authorized District employee <u>shall</u>may confiscate a <u>student's</u> personal <u>communication</u>telecommunications device <u>that is, including a mobile telephone</u>, used in violation of <u>this policy or any applicable regulations</u>campus rules.

A confiscated personal telecommunications device shall be released for a fee determined by the Board. In accordance with the student handbook, the student or the student's parents may retrieve the device after paying the fee.

If a personal <u>communication</u> telecommunications device is not retrieved, the District shall dispose of the device after providing the notice required by law.

Exceptions

A student shall be authorized to use a personal communication device on school property during the school day only under the following circumstances:

- 1. The student's use is necessary for implementation of the student's individualized education program, a 504 plan, or a similar program or plan;
- 2. The student's use is required due to a documented need based on a directive from a qualified physician; or
- The student's use is necessary to comply with a health or safety requirement imposed by law or as part of the District or campus safety protocols.

Implementation

The Superintendent shall develop regulations to implement this policy.

Compliance

Annually, the Superintendent shall report to the Board on the implementation and compliance of this policy.

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Other Electronic Devices

Guidelines regarding other personal electronic devices shall be addressed in the student handbook.

Instructional Use

A student shall obtain prior approval before using personal telecommunications or other personal electronic devices for on-campus instructional purposes. The student shall also acknowledge receipt and understanding of applicable regulations and shall sign the appropriate user agreements. [See CQ]