

Freedom 7 Elementary School of International Studies
Brevard Public Schools
Cellular Telephone Usage Agreement

STUDENT/PARENT CONTRACT

Should a student have a special need that requires a cellular telephone be permitted at school for to and from school usage, then the parent will meet with the principal and/or designee to make this request. Upon permission being granted, a contract will be signed by the student and the parent and kept on file in the office. If a student is found in violation of this agreement, the cellular telephone privileges may be revoked for the remainder of the school year.

- Students will be permitted to have cell phones in their possession throughout the school day.
- Students MUST have their cell phones turned off during the school day; cell phones shall cause no disruption. (This includes while riding to and from school on school buses)
- Cell phones will not be visible during the school day.
Should a student be observed using a cell phone, or a cell phone rings during the school day, discipline action will include but is not limited to an office referral and confiscation of the phone. Additionally, student abuse of this policy will result in the student losing the privilege to be able to carry a cell phone permanently, or for a period of time as determined by an administrator.
- Student behavior concerning cell phones must be consistent with the School Board Policy 5500.
- Student cell phones ringing in class will result in confiscation of the phone and disciplinary action.
- Should confiscation occur the phone will only be returned when retrieved by a parent or guardian.

During times of testing and other student evaluations, teachers may request that students remove their cell phone from their possession by storing them in the school office, reducing the possibility of compromised test security.

STUDENT CONTRACT

I, _____ (student's name) understand that possession of a cellular telephone on school campus is a privilege, and that it may be revoked at any time by the administration for violating this school policy regarding such possession, which I have been provided with and read. Furthermore, I understand that the school and its employees are in no way responsible for any theft or damage of my cellular phone while on school grounds. The school is not obligated to investigate the loss or damage of any phone.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

PARENT CONTRACT

I, _____ (parent's name) understand this contract regarding my student's possession of a cellular telephone on campus. Furthermore, I understand that the school and its employees are in no way responsible for any theft or damage of my child's cellular phone while on school grounds. The school is not obligated to investigate the loss or damage of a cell phone. Should my student's cell phone be confiscated, I understand that it will only be returned when I come to school to retrieve it.

Parent/guardian

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Cell Phone Make _____ Model _____ Telephone # _____

(This information will be used in any attempt to locate your phone should it be lost or stolen.)

Should you acquire a new cell phone, you must furnish the make, model and number of your phone to the office immediately, or this contract will be null and void.