

## **CELL PHONES, PAGERS, and OTHER ELECTRONIC DEVICES**

This year, the AHS cafeteria has been designated as a Cell Phone Zone during breakfast, break, and lunches ONLY. Students listening to music in the Cell Phone Zone during those times are required to use earbuds/headphones. Students are not allowed to be on cell phones at any other time or in any other locations during the school day, and signs are posted in the building identifying where the zones begin/end. In the event of a violation, school personnel are authorized to take the device from the student, secure it, and invoke the school's cell phone/electronic device policy.

**AUDIO/VISUAL ELECTRONICS:** Due to the disturbance and distraction created, all audio/visual CD-players, mp3-players, iPods, iPads, e-readers, DVDs-players, cameras, walkmans, etc. are prohibited in the school building during school hours. If detected, they can be confiscated. **Students must obtain permission from administration for these devices to be used on school grounds.**

**A teacher and/or administrator will confiscate any cell phone or electronic device that is visible or heard during the school day outside of the designated area/times of the Cell Phone Zone. After the first cell phone violation, a parent or legal guardian will be required to pick up the cell phone from school administration before or after school (from 7:30 to 8:30 a.m. and from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m.—no exceptions). Cell phones will not be returned to anyone other than the legal parent/guardian. (**