



# HCS EARLY COLLEGE TRAILBLAZERS

## Cell Phone Policy 7:55 - 2:25

**Phones will be powered off while inside the building.**

HCS Early College High School students attend classes on a college campus. This policy will only be enforced when students are physically located at the main campus buildings for Early College High School. However, it may be necessary for students to access their personal electronic devices as determined by the school administration and college or university.

Students may not have personal electronic devices or accessories visible or powered on during the school day or while they are on the main school campus. This school day is defined as when they enter the school building and ending when the dismissal bell sounds. These devices include cell phones and all other personal electronic devices and accessories including, but not limited to, air pods, smart watches, tablets, wireless earbuds, handheld gaming devices, etc.

These devices **MUST** be stored in the student's clear bookbag and must be powered off once students enter the building and remain off and out of sight until the end of the school day. Schools are not responsible for lost, stolen, or damaged devices.

Disciplinary consequences:

- 1st violation: Warning
- 2nd violation: 2 days Lunch Detention
- 3rd violation: 1 Hour After School Detention
- 4th violation: 1 day OSS
- 5th violation: 3 days OSS
- 6th violation: 5 days OSS
- 7th: Evidentiary hearing

If a student refuses to give up their cell phone or electronic device, the student will receive a referral for (270) Refusal to Obey and the following consequences will apply:

- 1st violation: 1 day OSS
- 2nd violation: 1- 3 days OSS
- 3rd violation: 3 - 5 days OSS
- 4th violation: Evidentiary hearing

This policy has made provisions for students who must have their devices to monitor documented medical conditions.