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ACCEPTABLE USE POLICY GOVERNING STUDENT USE OF PERSONAL ELECTRONIC MOBILE DEVICES

It is the intent of the School Board to permit the use of personal electronic devices during specified times. Students will be allowed to bring their own device to school. It is voluntary for students to bring their own personal electronic mobile devices to school. Students may utilize personal electronic mobile devices in designated areas for educational purposes when deemed appropriate by appropriate school personnel.

(1) For the purposes of this policy a personal electronic mobile device shall include, but not be limited to the following:

A privately owned laptop, tablet computing device, netbook, notebook, e-Reader, iPod touch (or similar), or cell/smart phone.

(2) Use of an electronic mobile device during the school day is a privilege. Therefore, all students must:

(a) Use only the District specified WiFi network for all network and internet access and refrain from destroying or damaging District data, networks or other resources.

(b) Use all District internet filters and posted network security practices.

(c) Report network security risks or violations of network security to a school administrator.

(d) Refrain from creating ad-hoc, peer-to-peer, or other wireless networks with District or student owned devices including the use of wireless hotspots or other similar devices.

(e) Use the District network for instructional and school related purposes only.

(f) Follow copyright laws which prohibit the reproduction of content, eBooks, music, games or movies.

(g) Refrain from intentionally accessing, transmitting, copying or creating mobile apps, websites or other material that contains inappropriate information, content, advertisements or any material that is illegal, not age appropriate or inappropriate for a school environment.

- 45 (h) Comply with School Board Policy 2.20, Acceptable Use Policy Governing
46 Internet and Technology Access.
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- 48 (3) Failure to follow the directives outlined in paragraph 2. above will result in
49 appropriate disciplinary consequences as outlined in the Code of Conduct for
50 Students.
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- 52 (4) Students that bring personal mobile electronic devices to school do so at their own
53 risk. The District accepts no responsibility if a device is lost, stolen, misplaced,
54 damaged or confiscated. The District accepts no responsibility for viruses, malware
55 or other computer related issues associated with connecting to the District's
56 network. The District accepts no responsibility for the costs associated with or that
57 may result from the use of data or texting services by a student when using a
58 personal mobile electronic device.
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- 60 (5) Students are responsible for charging and maintaining their personal mobile
61 electronic device(s) and the District assumes no responsibility for same. This
62 includes the use of anti-malware software, if applicable, on the personal mobile
63 electronic device.
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65 **STATUTORY AUTHORITY:** 1001.42, 1001.43 F.S.

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