Cell Phones

- As a new procedure for the 2019-2020 school year, we would like all students to refrain from bringing their personal cell phones to school.

- In previous years they were permitted to bring them to school, but had to drop them off in the office for the day.
  - This caused discipline issues because some students did not turn their phones in each day and try to use them during the day.
  - This also caused safety concerns at the end of the day because students were more focused on their cell phones than safety during dismissal.

- If you feel your child has an extenuating circumstance that warrants bringing their phone to school, please contact me to discuss.

- Students are welcome to use the classroom or office phones to make calls if necessary.
Email or messaging on Chromebooks

- Please refrain from emailing or messaging your children through their school email. As always, please feel free to contact the school office if you need to get a message to your child.

- We want to help your children be 21st century technological individuals, while continuing to teach them how to problem solve at school in conjunction with the adults. If they forget their lunch at home or in your car for example, we will not let them go hungry. While they may not prefer the lunches that we serve in our cafeteria, this is a learning environment and that is a learning experience. This also applies to forgotten homework and Chromebooks.

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Partners in Education

- As always, we are partners in educating your children.

- You are their first and most influential teachers.

- Know that dresscode and Chromebook reminders being sent home are a way for us to partner with you to teach the students the expectations and hold them positively accountable.