



Policy: Electronic Device Policy
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Purpose

The purpose of this policy is to ensure that the use of electronic devices does not interfere with the learning, safety, and security of other students.

Policy

Cell phones, MP3 players, and other educational electronic devices are important tools in today's society. Such devices can be used in school so long as students use them at a time and in a manner that is respectful to adults, teachers, and students of the school community. Wasatch Peak Academy (WPA) expects all students, teachers, and adults within the school to use these devices appropriately.

The use of such devices in a manner that is disrespectful to others will not be allowed.

Inappropriate use of such devices may include, but is not limited to, the following:

- Disruption or interference of classroom activities
- Disruption of the educational process, including being seen, heard, or used during the school day
- Interference with the ability to communicate with others
- Use of photos or images to embarrass others
- Use for purposes of cheating on school work
- Use for purposes of threatening or intimidating others
- Any other unlawful use of such devices

Electronic toys are not allowed at school. The administration will develop procedures for disciplining students who use electronic devices in a disrespectful manner.

Any variance to this policy must be approved by the principal.



Dan Rip, Board President

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Date