

Electronics Policy:

Using a cellular telephone, smartphone, wired or wireless audio devices, video recording device, personal digital assistant, handheld gaming device, tablet, e-reader, smart watch, or similar electronic device in any manner that disrupts the educational environment or violates the rights of others, including using the device to take photographs in the bathroom or locker room (or of any person anywhere on school grounds who does not give permission), cheat or otherwise violate student conduct rules is prohibited and subject to discipline.

All cellular phones, smartphones, and other electronic devices <u>must be kept in a student's</u> <u>hallway locker and silent during</u> the regular school day unless:

- (a) The supervising teacher grants permission;
- (b) The use of the device is provided in a student's IEP or 504 plan;

If students are transporting a device to class, with teacher's permission, the device must be concealed, silent, and not in use.

Students violating this policy are subject to the following consequences, without limitation:

<u> 1^{st} Offense</u>: electronic item will be turned in to the main office for student pick up at the end of the school day.

 2^{nd} Offense: item will be turned in to the main office for parent pick up.

 3^{rd} Offense and subsequent offenses: item will be turned over to administration for a parent meeting and potential further discipline.

Refusal to surrender device upon request by staff will result in additional consequences.

**Please note: Taking and/or sharing photos without permission, as well as cruel, teasing, or bullying social media messages created at school, school sponsored events, or school transportation can result in serious consequences. These behaviors often fall under the category of aggressive, teasing, or even bullying behavior and will receive consequences as outlined in the student code of conduct.

I acknowledge L'Anse Creuse Middle School North's electronic device policy.

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Student Name (signature):	Date:
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Parent/Guardian Name (printed): _____

Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Name (signature): _____ Date: _____