



St. Aidan School

BRING YOUR OWN DEVICE POLICY

The Bring Your Own Device (BYOD) Policy is an addendum to the Technology Use and Student Behavior Policy.

St. Aidan School has the right to protect its network and technical resources. Thus, any network user who brings his/her own personal device into the school building is required to adhere to the Technology Use and Student Behavior Policy. Both the BYOD (Bring Your Own Device) Policy and the Technology Use and Student Behavior Policy must be signed by the student and parent / guardian.

- The student takes full responsibility for his or her personal devices. The school is not responsible for the security or care of personal devices.
- The student is responsible for the proper care of his or her personal devices, including any costs of repair, replacement or any modifications needed to use the devices at school.
- The school reserves the right to inspect and/or confiscate a student's personal devices if there is reason to believe that the student has violated school policies, has used such devices in connection with any inappropriate conduct, or in any way poses a danger to himself, herself or others.
- The student will comply with any teacher's request with regard to personal devices and will only use devices in an area that is visible to and under the supervision of a school faculty and/or staff member.
- The student may not use the devices to record, transmit or post photos or video of a person or persons on the school campus. Nor can any images, audio and/or video recorded at school be transmitted or posted at any time without being reviewed by and with the permission of the administrator (principal) at the school.
- Students are not to call, text message, email, or electronically communicate with others from their personal device, including other students, parents, guardians, friends, and family during the school day.
- Personal devices used in school are not permitted to connect to the Internet through 3G, 4G, or other content service providers. Devices used in school must access the Internet via the school's content filtered wireless network.
- Students will only use appropriate educational applications on their devices under the direction and supervision of a teacher and/or staff member.
- Personal devices shall be charged prior to bringing it to school and shall be capable of running off its own battery while at school.
- Although discouraged by the Administration, if a cell phone is brought to school, it must be handed in to school office personnel as the student enters the building in the morning. It is to be picked up as the student leaves the building at the end of the school day.

Please note that, unless specifically directed to do so, students are never required to bring in personal devices to school. All students will continue to be able to utilize the school technology equipment for educational purposes, and will not be left out of the instruction practice.

As a student I understand and will abide by the above policy and the Technology Use and Student Behavior Policy. I further understand that any violation of the above may result in the loss of my device privileges as well as other disciplinary action.

As a parent I understand that my child will be responsible for abiding by the above policy and guidelines. I have read and discussed them with her/him, and they understand the responsibility they have in the use of their personal device.

Print student's name: _____

Student's grade: _____

Student's Signature

Date

Parent's (Guardian's) Signature

Date

(DRVC BYOD 2/2012)