

**CUMBERLAND SCHOOL DISTRICT
ELECTRONIC DEVICES
443.8**

The School Board believes that student use and possession of personal electronic devices during the normal school day have the potential to be disruptive in the educational environment. Therefore, students are prohibited from using personal electronic devices during scheduled class periods. Students who bring personal electronic devices to school do so at their own risk, and it is recommended they store the equipment in their academic locker during the school day. In addition, students shall not use cell phones or other electronic devices in any restroom or locker room while at school or while at a school-sponsored activity. The Cumberland School District shall not be responsible for the safety or security of personal electronic equipment that students choose to bring to school.

This prohibition may be modified by the building principal or his/her designee if the student/parent provides evidence that such a device is required for a medical, school, educational, vocational or other legitimate use.

Students are prohibited from possessing or bringing laser pointers onto school premises at all times.

Students shall not turn on or use electronic devices while being transported to and from school or school-sponsored activities or field trips, unless they receive permission from the supervising teacher, coach or bus driver or there is an emergency situation that jeopardizes the safety of students, staff, chaperones, or the bus driver.

Students who violate this policy shall be subject to disciplinary action in accordance with established procedures as deemed appropriate and necessary by building level principal.

Legal Ref: Wisconsin Statutes, Section 118.258

Cross Reference: Policy 444.1 Locker Room Privacy

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