

Sierra Vista Junior High School 2011-2012 Cell Phone Contract

Name _____
Student Name (print)

Student Cell Number _____

Name _____
Parent/Guardian Name (Print)

Home Phone Number _____

The William S. Hart Union High School District acknowledges the importance of communication between students and parents, particularly when it is essential or in emergency situations. Further, the district recognizes that instructional time is precious and school time must be protected from unnecessary disruptions.

Therefore, students may be permitted to have in their possession with written parental and administrative approval a cell phone on campus during the school day, while attending school-sponsored activities, or while under the supervision and control of a school district employee. Students shall be allowed to possess and use cell phones in conjunction with being in school under the following parameters:

- Cell phones are to be turned OFF (not placed on vibrate) and put away upon arriving to class or before entering any school building and should not be taken out at any time inside.
- Permission for student possession or use of a cell phone may be revoked for inappropriate use by either parents or administration.
- **The district assumes no liability** for the damage, loss or misuse of the cell phone by the student or another person – this includes theft as the phone should be on the student’s person at all times (i.e. not in backpacks that are left in piles, tables or w/ friends).
- At any time during school activity, a school official may give specific direction regarding student use or non-use of a cell phone in which the student is expected to comply.

Upon written direction from a licensed physician, a student may carry and use a cell phone at school if needed for health purposes as specified by the physician.

I understand that my child must abide by the above mentioned provisions. The violation of the above provisions will result in confiscation of the cell phone and loss of the privilege to possess a cell phone on campus. I also understand that my son/daughter will be solely responsible for the cell phone, and I will not hold the school or any school personnel liable for any loss of or damage to the cell phone.

Sierra Vista Jr. High School assumes no responsibility for any loss or damage to a student cell phone including if it is confiscated by school personnel and not picked up within two days.

Consequences of violating this contract:

First Offense – student warning, phone is sent to the office for student to pick-up at the end of the day.

Second Offense – parent must come to pick up the phone during school office hours 7 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Third Offense – parent must pick-up during school hours and student loses the right to have a phone on campus.

*Texting during tests and quizzes, including STAR Testing, could result in immediate revocation of permission to carry a phone.

Upon completion of this form, including all signatures, a marking or sticker will be placed on the student’s ID card indicating permission is granted to possess a cell phone.

Parent Signature: _____

Date: _____

Student Signature: _____

Date: _____