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## MEDFORD AREA PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT

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POLICY TITLE: STUDENT USE OF TWO-WAY DATE REVISED: **September 19, 1996 COMMUNICATION DEVICES** 

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To ensure all students learn and for their safety and well-being, Medford Area Public School District (MAPSD) prohibits the use of electronic devices during the instructional school day.

Electronic communication devices covered by this policy include, but are not limited to cell phones, smartwatches, wireless earbuds/headphones and other personal electronic devices.

Electronic devices are prohibited during the school day. Electronic devices may not be used in any manner that disrupts the educational environment, violates students' conduct rules, or violates the rights of others. Any student found violating this policy shall be subject to disciplinary action. Disciplinary action includes, but is not limited to, referrals, detentions, and/or confiscation of the personal electronic device. Personal electronic devices that are confiscated may also require a parent/quardian to pick up the device from the main office. MAPSD will not be responsible for loss, damage, or theft of any electronic or digital device brought to school. At the discretion of the administrator or designee, electronic devices may be used on an individual basis.

The building administrator or their designee shall be responsible for enforcing this policy.

**CROSS REFERENCE:** 

LEGAL REFERENCE: §118.258 & 120.13(1) Wis. Stats.