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# CHRISTIAN LIBERTY ACADEMY

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## PreK - 6th

### 2021-22 Electronic Device Policy

**For the 2021-2022 school year, Christian Liberty Academy will be restricting cell phone usage during the school day. We want to encourage our students to build relationships, be less distracted during class time, have a lower amount of late class arrivals, and continue to promote a balanced approach to technology.**

- In grades PreK-6, cell phones, tablets, and other hand-held devices that are capable of sending and/or receiving text or electronic messages or images—are to be turned off and kept in lockers during school hours (including lunch, homeroom, cafeteria, hallways, libraries, etc.) and kept secured in a student's locker.
- Cell phones may be used for calls before 8:00 a.m. and after 3:10 p.m.
- Students may ask permission to go to the Day School Office to make a call during school hours.

Students who utilize these items inappropriately will be charged a phone fine.

Fines start at \$2.00 and will be doubled thereafter. Phone fines will not exceed \$64.00. Fines can be found on your ParentsWeb account and will be posted under 'General'. We do not notify parents when students receive fines.

**Reminder:** Cell phones should not be used to take or distribute photos or videos of anyone/anything without their consent or prior approval for any reason while on campus. If a class requires video capturing, the students should ensure that appropriate permission is granted before recording anyone or anything. Cell phones are not permitted to be connected to the Christian Liberty Academy Wi-Fi network so that we can provide the most efficient wireless infrastructure for our teachers. Additionally, as stated in our search policy, the school reserves the right to inspect electronic devices if a student is suspected of or violates the school policy of proper use.

**Headphones, AirPods, etc. will not be allowed during school hours, 8:15am-4:00pm.**