

# **Ethical Use of Electronic Devices at M.M. Robinson H.S.**

## **Overview**

The use of electronic devices and other technologies should be used to enhance the learning environment of students and improve the opportunities for success. Along with the integration of technology in the classroom, accountability and responsibility must be of the highest priority in order to gain the most benefit from technology.

## **In The Classroom**

The use of technology is encouraged during classroom instruction. The integration of technology within a course should be done so under the guidance of the instructor in order to enhance the delivery of course instruction. Technology should provide access to information and resources within the structure of the lesson delivered by the teacher. Teachers set their course guidelines for the use of technology within their specific course. A review of the guidelines should be clearly presented to students at the beginning of their course.

The use of technology should promote learning and advocate best practice and ethical use.

## **Within the Building**

Electronic Device use is acceptable outside instructional time with the understanding that it is in compliance with Student Code of Conduct.

Detrimental use is defined as, but not limited to the following:

1. Any form of harassment
2. Any form of discrimination
3. Any form of violence (threatening, defaming character of others, promoting obscenities etc.)
4. Any form of crime (fraud, drug trafficking, etc.)
5. Disrespect towards others
6. Photographs without consent of those being photographed
7. Video Recording without consent of those being videoed
8. Posting video to the Internet without the consent of all those involved.
9. Posting video that is detrimental to the moral tone of the school and its community.
10. Disturbing the learning environment

***Noncompliance would result in consequences in accordance with the Student Code of Conduct for failure to Comply with a School Policy***

Technology integration within the learning environment is to be encouraged for students and teachers alike. This will assist our students and teachers to continue to use technology to remain at a standard of use that is current with global demands, thus allowing our students to be competitive.