



Franklinton Preparatory Academy Smart Phone / Mobile Device Policy

Scientific studies have concluded that American students in school are losing opportunities to learn through distraction caused by excessive Smart Phone / Mobile Device use. Franklinton Preparatory Academy commits to improving student learning and reducing student distraction in the classroom through its reasonable and thoughtful ***Smart Phone / Mobile Device Policy***.

Each FPA classroom is outfitted with a Smart Phone / Mobile Device Storage Unit / Charging Station. When entering classrooms, students will place Smart Phones / Mobile Devices into the Numbered Pouch in the Storage Unit that has been assigned to him/her and leave them in the pouch until directed by the teacher to retrieve them.

FPA students will be able to use Smart Phones / Mobile Devices before school, in-between classes, at lunch and during the Smart Phone / Mobile Device Break that is scheduled into Blocks 1, 2, 3 and 4. Parents / Guardians will be able to reach their child by calling the school phone number at any time during the school day.

Students who refuse to follow FPA's ***Smart Phone / Mobile Device Policy*** will be subject to disciplinary consequences including loss of Open Lunch Privileges, loss of other school privileges, Emergency Removal, Wednesday School, Suspensions and for repeated instances, Expulsion.

My signature below represents my commitment to comply with FPA's Smart Phone / Mobile Device Policy and its consequences.

FPA Parent or Guardian

FPA Student

Parent / Guardian Printed Name

Student Printed Name

Parent / Guardian Signature

Student Signature

Martin S. Griffith
Founder & Principal

Date Received: _____