



Bring Your Own Device (BYOD) Policies

1. Students may bring their own personal wireless devices with parent permission.
2. Students may only use devices as an instructional tool in the classroom and during school approved periods during the day.
3. Making or receiving phone calls during the day is not permitted. Students are expected to use the main office to make phone calls.
4. Students using personal wireless devices must use them in compliance with FCPS acceptable use policies ([FCPS Reg. 400-18](#) and [FCPS Reg. 400-73](#)). Failure to obey policies will result in the loss of privilege to bring or use devices in school.
 - ❖ Students may not access social networks during the school day unless it is directly connected to a teacher-directed lesson or assignment.
 - ❖ Students will still be restricted from accessing sites deemed inappropriate by FCPS.
 - ❖ Only at the direction of teachers should personal devices or cell phones be used to take pictures or videos of staff members, students, or other individuals in the school. Individuals may be recorded only with their consent.
5. Students may access cell phones and personal devices during lunch. Phone calls are not permitted.
6. Sharing of personal devices is discouraged, unless students are working collaboratively in the classroom or in an instructional area. LHS and FCPS are not liable for information downloaded or captured on a student's device. Students should keep their devices with them or secured in a locker at all times.
7. LHS and FCPS are not responsible for a lost or stolen device. Students should keep devices secured at all times. Example: Those students who have Physical Education must use lockers to secure their items. Items not secured in a locker are susceptible to theft or damage.
8. Teachers retain full autonomy in their respective classrooms. Personal devices are only to be used with teacher permission.

Discipline: Students who fail to comply with the BYOD Policies are subject to classroom-based or administrative consequences.

Reminder: LHS Administration has the authority to remove a student's privilege to bring cell phones or personal electronic wireless devices to school.