



Electronic Devices policy. In Compliance with Senate Bill 11, Anti-Distraction Policy in Schools.

Sendero Prep Electronic Policy Overview:

Key Guidelines:

The term “electronic devices” refers to the following:

- **Cell phones, or smartphones.**
- **AirPods, Earbuds, or any other wireless/wired headphones not provided by Sendero Prep.**
- **Gaming devices**

Students who bring electronic devices to school must keep them secured in their assigned Yondr Pouches during instructional time to minimize distractions and support academic focus.

1. Use of Yondr Pouches:

- Prior to instructional time, all students will place their phone on silent or airplane mode, place their cell phones in their assigned Yondr pouches, and lock their pouches.
- Earbuds/AirPods will be placed in the Yondr pouches along with cell phones.
- The Yondr pouches will remain locked and stored with the student during the instructional day.
- Students may unlock their pouches and use their phones during the lunch period.

2. Emergencies:

- In case of emergency, students can notify office staff to access their phones.
- Parents/guardians may contact the school office to reach students during the school day.

3. Exceptions:

- Use of phones for instructional purposes with teacher permission is allowed.
- Medical necessities and accommodations. Parents may request access through their 504 plan, IEP, or Individualized Health Care Plan. Students who fall in this category will be issued a medical Yondr pouch, which allows for easy student access to their cell phone.

4. Consequences:

- First time: A Reminder to the student to place devices into the Yondr pouch.
- Second time: Electronic devices will be confiscated by the administration until after school.
- Third time: Parents/guardians will be required to attend a conference to discuss a phone management plan.
- Continued Non-Compliance: Students will be referred to the school-wide discipline plan.

5. Damages to Yondr Pouches

- Any intentional damage to a Yondr pouch may result in the student being charged the full replacement cost of \$30.00.