

## SUGAR VALLEY RURAL CHARTER SCHOOL

POLICY NUMBER: 235.1  
SECTION: PUPILS  
TITLE: **CELL PHONES AND OTHER ELECTRONIC  
COMMUNICATION DEVICES (ECD) USE**  
DATE ADOPTED: NOVEMBER 2006  
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### **ELECTRONIC DEVICES**

#### PURPOSE

Cell phone use by students is prohibited in school or on school property during school hours. This includes sending or reviewing text messages. Students riding to and from school on school buses are prohibited from using cell phones while riding on the bus. Students riding school buses for activities may use their cell phone under supervision of the staff advisor.

#### GUIDELINES

##### Violations:

1<sup>st</sup> offense - Student will have his/her cell phone or ECD confiscated. The phone will be returned to the student at the end of the school day.

2<sup>nd</sup> offense - Student will have his/her cell phone or ECD confiscated. Parents may pick up the device during school hours on the following day.

3<sup>rd</sup> offense – Student will have his/her cell phone or ECD confiscated. Parents will be required to attend a meeting with the school administration to develop a plan for the students. Parents may pick up the device at that time.