

# Cheatham County Board of Education

Monitoring: <b>Review: Annually, in April</b>	Descriptor Term: <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Use of Personal Communication Devices and Electronic Devices</b></p>	Descriptor Code: <p style="text-align: center;"><b>6.312</b></p>	Issued Date: <p style="text-align: center;"><b>04/04/16</b></p>
		Rescinds: <p style="text-align: center;"><b>6.312</b></p>	Issued: <p style="text-align: center;"><b>09/04/12</b></p>

- 1 Students may possess personal communication devices and personal electronic devices so long as such
- 2 devices are turned off and stored in backpacks, purses or personal carry-alls. Such devices include, but
- 3 are not limited to, wearable technology such as eye glasses, rings, or watches that have the capability to
- 4 record, live stream, or interact with wireless technology; cell phones; laptops; tablets; and mp3 players.
- 5 However, a teacher may grant permission for the use of these devices to assist with instruction in his/her
- 6 classroom, and teachers are encouraged to integrate the devices into their course work. The principal or
- 7 his/her designee may also grant a student permission to use such a device at his/her discretion.
  
- 8 Students and employees may only use electronic devices to photograph or record in an approved manner.
  
- 9 Unauthorized use or improper storage of a device will result in confiscation until such time as it may be
- 10 released to the student's parents or guardian. A student in violation of this policy is subject to disciplinary
- 11 action.