WARREN MOTT HIGH SCHOOL

Wireless Communication Device (WCD) Policy

WCS Board Policy 5136

Students are prohibited from using a wireless communications device ("WCD") on school grounds during instructional time.

At Warren Mott, students are expected to secure WCDs in their lockers. If brought to class, students will place them in the teacher's designated bin or wall pocket for the entire class period.

WCDs include: cell phones, earbuds, headphones, smart watches, smart glasses, tablets, or other similar devices.

What if my teacher ends their instruction early?	Can I use my device in the hallway, restroom, or cafeteria?	What if I need my device to complete class work?
Devices cannot be used at the end of class, even if work has been completed. Students are encouraged to read or complete work for other classes.	Devices are allowed in the hallway during passing time and in the cafeteria during lunchtime. Devices are not allowed in restrooms or locker rooms. Students cannot leave during class time to use their devices.	Devices may be used for lesson-specific academic assignments, at the limited and direct discretion of a classroom teacher.
Unless approved by staff, WCDs may not be used for receiving phone calls, taking pictures, or making videos/recordings, at any time or place during the school day.		

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Students who violate this policy by using a WCD on school grounds during instructional time will be subject to discipline in accordance with the Student Code of Conduct.