



NAME _____ CLASS PERIOD _____

Personal Electronic Device Usage Policies and Contract Art 2 & Commercial Art

Introduction: I believe the use of personal electronic devices to be the most colossal time-waster in the history of mankind. The countless hours wasted on these types of devices is sickening, and represent a major loss of time, and therefore a lost opportunity for education, skill-development, and progress in a wide variety of subjects, hobbies, and interests.

In this class, the use of a personal electronic device for the playing of music will be highly restricted and monitored closely, in order to maximize productive time for education and art-skill development. The use of a personal electronic device for listening to music will only be allowed under the conditions outlined below.

Instructions: As you read over each condition, sign your initials in the blank at the left. Have your parent or guardian do the same in the second blank at the left. Please sign with your complete signature in the space at the bottom. Have your parent or guardian do the same. Please be aware of the following:

- Your initials represent your agreement to the condition described.
- In order to use a personal electronic device in the classroom, each condition must be initialed by you, and your parent or guardian.
- Your initials represent your agreement that confiscation and delivery of your personal electronic device to the Office, and a lowered term citizenship grade, is the penalty for violating any of the conditions.
- This sheet must be completed, in its entirety, and turned in to me, before the use of your personal electronic device will be allowed.

_____ Personal music will only be allowed during “silent work time,” after all instructions, demonstrations, and information has been presented. The use of your personal electronic device during any other class time is prohibited.

_____ A “play list” must be created just for your Art class. This “play list” must include a minimum of ninety minutes worth of music that you love. The songs must be in the order that you wish to hear them. Choosing, skipping, or searching for songs is prohibited at any time while in the classroom.

_____ Once you’ve hit “play” on your personal electronic device, it must be removed from sight. Put it in your pocket. Your device may not be visible at any time, either on your desk, table, chair, or lap. Personal electronic devices that remain visible during class time are subject to confiscation.

_____ The volume of your music must be “low.” The buzzing sound coming from your headphones should not be heard by me, nor by your neighbor.

_____ The typing, sending, receiving, or reading of text messages is prohibited at any time while in the classroom.

_____ The use of your personal electronic device for the watching of videos, or for the searching of the Internet is prohibited at any time while in the classroom.

_____ Violation of any of the conditions above will result in the loss of your privilege for using your personal electronic device for the rest of the semester.

_____ Violation of any of the conditions above will result in a term citizenship grade of either an “N” or a “U.”

I have read, understand, initialed, and agree to all conditions, policies, and expectations outlined above.

Your Signature:

_____ Date: _____

Your Parent’s or Guardian’s Signature:

_____ Date: _____