

NSER Cell Phone Policy (Grades 9 to 12)

1. Cell phones, Apple Watches (Smart Watches), Airpods, and Bluetooth ear pods are not permitted in the classrooms, labs, hallways etc. during instructional time.
2. Each classroom has a cell phone holder or cell phone storage. If students are not comfortable with the security of this measure, they are permitted to leave their phones in their lockers.
3. Students must place their phones in their assigned pocket when entering each class. The cell phone must be turned off, screen facing outwards.
4. Students can collect their phones on their way out of class at the end of each period.
5. Failure to respect this policy will result in a consequence.

NSER 5-Step Cell Phone Infraction Protocol

1. Cell phone is confiscated by classroom teacher and placed in the classroom cell phone holder.
2. Cell phone is confiscated by classroom teacher and submitted to the office for the remainder of the day.
3. Cellphone is confiscated by classroom teacher and submitted to the office- detention is assigned by an administrator and parents will be notified.
4. Cellphone is confiscated by classroom teacher and submitted to the office- an in-school suspension will be assigned for the following day and parents will be notified.
5. Cellphone is confiscated by classroom teacher and submitted to the office- an out of school suspension will be assigned for the following day and parents will be notified.

**If a student fails to hand over their cellphone, the teacher will ask the student to leave the classroom. The teacher will notify an administrator.*