



## Cell Phones Policy 2022-2023

**Parents and students please read the cell phone policy in its entirety. No exceptions will be made for the policy.**

- All phones will be turned in to the homeroom teacher when scholars arrive at the building. Phones will be stored with the campus Dean of Climate and Culture.
- All phones will be returned to scholars at the end of the school day.
- **Trix Academy is not responsible for lost or stolen cell phones, nor do we have the resources to investigate if they are lost or stolen.**
- **Use of a cell phone during the school day to talk, text, photograph or access the internet will result in the confiscation of the phone.**
- **If a scholar's cell phone is confiscated, a parent/guardian must pick up the phone. Confiscated phones will not be returned to a scholar. The school will not contact parents to notify them that a phone has been confiscated.**

Additionally, any violation of this policy which causes or involves a distraction or interruption of transportation, the instructional environment or leads to the violation of other district rules or policies will be subject to disciplinary action according to the Student Code of Conduct. **Failure to comply with a staff directive to turn in a cell phone will be considered defiance of authority and subject to disciplinary action according to the Student Code of Conduct.** If parents need to contact a scholar during the school day, they are requested to contact the school office for assistance. If scholars need to use a phone during the school day, they must use a school phone, which are made available to scholars with appropriate permission. **Trix Academy** personnel are not responsible for any lost, stolen or damaged cell phone or electronic devices.

**Scholar Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_