



School Policy - Games / Toys / Electronic Devices – updated January 2024

Students must not bring toys, cards, games, or electronic devices including iPods, cell phones, PSP players etc. to school. These objects distract from a student's daily routine and are often stolen or a cause of disagreement between students. If these objects are seen by St. Monica staff, they will be confiscated and returned to parents only. The school is not liable for the loss/stolen/damage of technology items brought to school.

While on school grounds during after school hours, any form of picture taking, or video can be considered an invasion of personal privacy; therefore, permission must be obtained from the administration or a teacher before anyone take any pictures of our school community including the building.

Also note that cell phones on excursions is also prohibited. Any communication while on an outing can be done through the front office and staff will communicate with adults involved as needed.

IMPORTANT NOTATION: Please note that cell phones for security purposes (before/after school communication between parent/guardian and child) must be kept in the student's backpack in the locker with the ringer turned off during the school day. Personal use of cell phones for communication with parents/guardians cannot take place during lunch hour, in playgrounds or during transitions. Any communication requirements during the school day can be done by requesting permission from our front office secretary to place a personal call.

Use of cell phones for medical purposes are exceptions and will be managed on a case-by-case basis.