

Use of Beepers (Paging Devices) and Cellular Telephones

- I. **BEEPERS (PAGING DEVICES)** - Students shall not possess or use a remotely activated paging device while on school property, on school transportation, or while attending a school sponsored activity on or off school property. The school principal may grant written permission for such possession and use of a paging device by a student if the student or the student's parent or guardian establishes to the satisfaction of the principal that an extraordinary circumstance exists which necessitates the possession and use of the device.

- II. **CELLULAR TELEPHONES** – Students may possess cellular telephones while they are in school, but the telephones must be turned off and out of sight during the school day except that students may use cellular telephones during their assigned lunch periods.

Legal Reference: Connecticut General Statutes
10-233j. Student possession and use of telecommunications devices.

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