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STUDENT POSSESSION AND USE OF CELL PHONE/ ELECTRONICS
POLICY

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In order to accommodate the growing parental concerns about student safety while traveling to and from school, Lincoln Park High School will allow students to possess cell phones provided the following procedures and rules are strictly adhered to:

1. The parent/ guardian must sign and date this form and have their son/daughter return it to the Discipline Office.
2. Upon receipt of the request, the student's record will be updated to verify approval. The approval is valid for as long as the student is in good academic and behavioral standing at Lincoln Park High School for the current school year.
3. **THE USE OF CELL PHONES (OUT-GOING OR IN-COMING CALLS AND MESSAGES) AND OTHER ELECTRONIC DEVICES IN THE SCHOOL BUILDING IS STRICTLY PROHIBITED. SUCH USE WILL RESULT IN CONFISCATION OF THE PHONE OR ELECTRONIC DEVICE. PHONES AND ELECTRONIC DEVICES CONFISCATED BY SCHOOL PERSONNEL WILL BE RETURNED ONLY TO THE PARENT OR GUARDIAN.**
4. Parents should call the school for any emergency situation. We will contact your son/ daughter. **DO NOT TRY TO CONTACT THEM BY CELL PHONE.**
5. Cell phones and other electronic devices are to be **turned off** and kept in the student's book bag or locker. At no time is it to be exposed on clothing or on the book bag.
6. **The school will not be responsible for any lost, misplaced, or stolen cell phones or other electronic devices.**

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I am requesting permission for my child to have a cell phone in his/ her possession. I have read the above provisions and agree to the stated stipulations.

Student Name _____ **Division** _____
PLEASE PRINT LAST FIRST

Parent Signature _____ **Date** _____