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Dear Kuhio Parent(s)/Guardian(s),

This letter is to inform you of the revised **Electronic Device Policy** that is located in your Kuhio 2023-24 Parent/Student Handbook.

**Electronic Device Policy for Kuhio Elementary School Students**

Students are permitted to possess cell phones or electronic signaling devices, including cell phone watches, for emergency purposes only. These devices must remain turned off and stored away during class time, including recess and lunch breaks. In the event that a student needs to contact their parents or guardians in an emergency, they may request permission from a school staff member to use the phone located in the school office.

Usage of electronic devices for purposes other than emergency communication is strictly prohibited during school hours. Students found using electronic devices inappropriately may face disciplinary action in accordance with school policies.

Parents or guardians are responsible for ensuring that their child's electronic device is properly labeled with their contact information. The school assumes no responsibility for lost or stolen devices and suggests that students keep valuables at home.

By adhering to these guidelines, we aim to minimize disruptions to the educational environment while still providing a means for students to access necessary communication in emergency situations.

Thank you for your understanding and cooperation. Please know that Kuhio School's top priority is the safety of our students.

Sincerely,

Lynn M. Kobayashi  
Principal  
Prince Jonah Kuhio Elementary School