

Guidelines for the use of privately owned electronic devices during Before & After School Programs

Virginia Beach Parks and Recreation's Out-of-School Time Programs Unit works cooperatively with Virginia Beach City Public Schools in allowing participants to use privately owned electronic devices to access the VBCPS wireless network with the understanding from each participant, and their family, that this represents a privilege and not a right. To maintain this privilege, participants must adhere to the following guidelines:

- Participants may use a privately owned electronic "Internet ready" device on the VBCPS wireless network with Activity Center Leader or Activity Center Assistant Leader permission.
- The privately owned electronic device owner is the only person allowed to use the device.
- Devices are brought to the program at the participant's and parent's own risk. In the event that a privately owned device is lost, stolen, or damaged, the City of Virginia Beach is not responsible for any financial or data loss.
- Violation of school and/or program policy, local, state and/or federal laws while using a personal electronic device on the VBCPS wireless network may result in appropriate disciplinary and/or legal action as specified in the Student Handbook and Code of Student Conduct, School Board Policy, Parks and Recreation Parent Handbook, as well as by local, state and/or federal law.
- If the use of the device causes disruption in the specific setting, the participant will be required to put it away.
- The device may only be used by the device owner during homework time, at the designated homework area, and with specific permission from program staff.



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