

Mountain Home High School
**2024 - 2025 Important Handbook Changes: Cell Phones &
Earbuds**

1) Cell Phones:

- a) Cell Phones are prohibited during class time
- b) Students are encouraged to turn in their personal cell phones at the beginning of each class to the teacher to be held until the end of class.
- c) Should a student choose to maintain possession of their cell phone, and have the phone out during class time, the disciplinary action is as follows:
 - i) 1st Offense: 1 Day Lunch Detention (Student's phone will be placed in a Magnetic Pouch for the remainder of the day and unlocked at 3:10 PM) **The student maintains possession of his / her phone while in the pouch.**
 - ii) 2nd Offense: 1 Day In School Suspension + The next day in the Magnetic Pouch which will be locked at 8:00 AM and unlocked at the end of the school day.
 - iii) 3rd Offense: 3 Days In-School Suspension + The next 3 days in the Magnetic Pouch which will be locked at 8:00 AM and unlocked at the end of the school day.
 - iv) 4th Offense: 5 Days ISS + 5 days in the Magnetic Pouch
 - v) 5th Offense: Out of School Suspension with days in the Magnetic Pouch upon the student's return to school
- d) Phones are NOT to be out in the hallway during class time.
- e) Phone use is permissible:
 - i) Before School
 - ii) Transition time between classes
 - iii) Lunch
 - iv) After School

2) Earbuds / Headphones:

- a) **Earbuds / Headphones are NOT allowed in MHHS at any time during the school day.**
- b) Violations of this policy will be referred to the MHHS Handbook for Electronic Device violations