

CELL PHONE

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I WANT TO HAVE FREEDOM to make my own choices while using my cell phone. My parents want to trust me to make great choices with my cell phone.

This document will help my parents and I agree on the kind of choices I can make that will earn their trust and give me the freedom that I want.

In order to earn trust and earn freedom:

WE AGREE...

- that having a cell phone is a privilege and not a right.
- that my phone will be charged in my parent's room at night.
- that I will stay within the monthly texting and calling limits of my cell provider's service plan.
- that since my parent's are paying for my phone, they have a right to read the texts and contacts on my phone at any time.
- that when I am in a conversation with a person or participating in a family event I will not use my phone.
- that I won't use my cell phone while I am driving.
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- that if I receive an inappropriate message from someone on my phone, I will show my parents and ask for their help deciding what to do next.
- that if I'm asked to turn off my cell phone by my parents, I will do it without complaining.
- that if I lose or break my cell phone, I will be responsible for replacing it or fixing it.
- that I will follow any rules my school has regarding phones.



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IF I MAKE THESE GREAT CHOICES...

I earn more freedom, and my parents commit to trusting me with my cell phone. I also avoid arguments, lectures, and consequences that aren't fun at all.

IF I DON'T MAKE THESE GREAT CHOICES...

I will face the consequences of losing the privilege of my phone for an agreed upon amount of time.

Parent Signature _____ Date _____

Cell Phone Recipient Signature _____ Date _____

