## John Read Middle School BYOT Acceptable Use

Bring Your Own Technology (BYOT) establishes the opportunity for students to have access to their own technology with the intent of enhancing instruction and learning. Students do have access to technology at school, it is not required that they bring their own technology. The following expectations will be implemented to continue to promote a safe and positive learning environment:

- 1. The teacher will direct the use of technology in the classroom. Students will use their devices based on the directions provided by the teacher.
- 2. Students will use their devices appropriately for educational purposes in accordance with Board of Education policy #6141.321(a)(b) and JRMS technology guidelines. Student misuse of technology will be addressed in accordance with Board of Education policy #6141.321(a)(b) and JRMS technology guidelines.
- 3. Students will not use their devices to take, view or share any photographs, audio or video files, except as assigned by the teacher.
- 4. Students are solely responsible for properly handling, storing, charging and carrying their devices. This includes labeling their devices with their personal identification and locking them in their lockers.
- 5. Students will use only their own devices or a device provided by the school. Students may not utilize the devices of classmates.
- 6. Devices are intended to enhance education. Their use is not permitted in the halls, cafeteria, lavatories, bus rooms, or stairwells unless otherwise directed by the teacher.
- Students and parents are solely responsible for maintaining and updating their own devices. JRMS will not provide service or support on any device that is not owned by the school.