



2025-26 Report
Distraction-Free School Policy

During the 2025-26 academic year, no scholar at St HOPE was suspended for violating the Distraction-Free School Policy. On the few occasions that a scholar violated the policy, staff followed the protocol outlined in our Scholar-Family Handbook.

- If a scholar refuses to put their cell phone in the locked box or is dishonest about the whereabouts of their phone, then the school may require the parent to pick up the scholar's cell phone from school. In addition, they will meet with a member of the scholar support team to determine the why and create a plan for how to better use their technology, especially if it negatively affects their participation in and performance during academic classes. If the problem persists, and if necessary, the parent(s) and/or guardian of the scholar may be contacted in order to include them in the modification of the plan.