

# CELL PHONE

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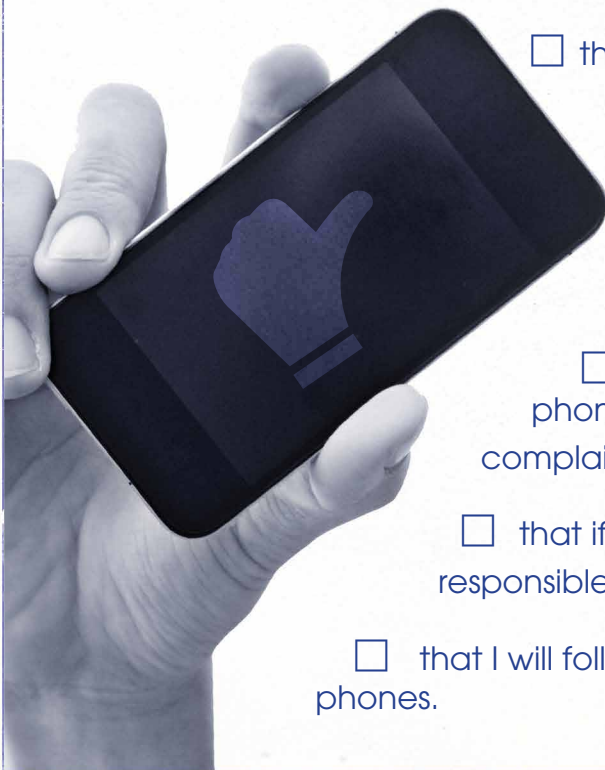
**I WANT TO HAVE FREEDOM** to make my own choices while using my cell phone. My parents want to trust me to make great choices with my cell phone.

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 parents 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.
- ☐ 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 \_\_\_\_\_

