



## **Hamilton Area YMCA Before and After School Electronics Policy**

The Hamilton Area YMCA strives to provide Before and After School Program Participants with engaging activities. If electronics are going to be used in the Before and/or After School Programs, the following policy must be followed...

1. Computer Usage- School issued computers can be used during before and after care at the discretion of the site director. If computers are used during the programs, they should be used for homework or other appropriate activities that would be approved by the school district. There is a maximum of 30 minutes allowed for screen time during regular session days. On one session days, the children can use computer devices for two 30 minute periods with a minimum 60 minute break in between. Computer devices are the child's responsibility. Hamilton Area YMCA is not responsible for lost/broken devices. Inappropriate behaviors/content viewing can result in loss of computer usage.
2. Handheld Devices- children are not permitted to use handheld devices during the before/after school programs.
3. Movie Policy- The Hamilton Area YMCA has a Certificate of License from the Motion Picture Licensing Corporation which allows the public performance of motion pictures and other audiovisual programs intended for personal, private, home use. Movies can only be shown in the after school programs under the following guidelines.
  - a. The Hamilton Area YMCA has permission from the school principal to use the school's video equipment.
  - b. Children are offered a variety of other planned activities to participate in if they do not want to watch the movie.
  - c. Movies must be "G" rated.