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Dear Parents,

Thanks to the cooperation of parents and staff, there were fewer problems with electronics at camp last summer.

Spending time away from electronic devices is healthy for everyone, adults and children. Camp is the perfect opportunity to experience the treasures of the world without the screen.

Neringa has a no electronics policy, but we know there are campers that have their phones at camp. It's unfortunate because campers, who have their phones at Neringa, can miss the joy of experiencing real live friends, hands-on creativity, nurturing adults and the beauty of Vermont. Texting, checking social media, tuning in to events outside of camp detract from a full experience of what Neringa has to offer.

Once again we ask for parental cooperation: please have your children leave their devices with you (as this is our policy) so that neither your child nor the staff need to struggle.

We can guarantee that the experience of being without their phone/device for a week/two is to their benefit. Make this a positive challenge for them and for you! Give them the opportunity to unplug!

The experience away from home and parents help the children grow and mature. Perhaps you are thinking, "I want to be able to be in contact with my child while they are at Neringa," You can! Remember the joy of receiving a handwritten card or letter? It may be a new experience for your kids! If there is a real need to contact your child, camp administration will be glad to facilitate communication. Simply call or email the Camp Director.



We want to help your children be fully engaged. Help us to help them have this experience!

We ask you that you respect our policy and help your children to leave their electronic devices at home. If campers would like to take pictures they should bring a traditional or disposable camera. There will be a camp photographer who will take photos which will be shared with everyone.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact us.

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