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### When Is It Appropriate to Use \_\_\_\_\_ Cellphone?



\_\_\_\_\_ cellphones are \_\_\_\_\_ important part of \_\_\_\_\_ daily lives, but it is not always appropriate to use them. Knowing when and where to use \_\_\_\_\_ cellphone helps us show respect for others and improve \_\_\_\_\_ communication.

In \_\_\_\_\_ public places, such as \_\_\_\_\_ buses or \_\_\_\_\_ waiting rooms, it is acceptable to use \_\_\_\_\_ cellphone quietly. People can send \_\_\_\_\_ messages, check \_\_\_\_\_ information, or listen to \_\_\_\_\_ music with \_\_\_\_\_ headphones. However, \_\_\_\_\_ loud phone calls or \_\_\_\_\_ videos can disturb others, so it is better to keep \_\_\_\_\_ volume low.

In \_\_\_\_\_ school or at \_\_\_\_\_ work, cellphone use depends on \_\_\_\_\_ situation. \_\_\_\_\_ teachers and \_\_\_\_\_ managers often allow cellphones for \_\_\_\_\_ educational or \_\_\_\_\_ work purposes, such as taking \_\_\_\_\_ notes or searching for \_\_\_\_\_ information. Still, using \_\_\_\_\_ cellphone during \_\_\_\_\_ lessons, \_\_\_\_\_ meetings, or \_\_\_\_\_ presentations for \_\_\_\_\_ social media or \_\_\_\_\_ games is usually inappropriate and disrespectful.

During \_\_\_\_\_ social situations, like \_\_\_\_\_ family meals or \_\_\_\_\_ conversations with \_\_\_\_\_ friends, it is polite to avoid using \_\_\_\_\_ cellphone. Paying attention to \_\_\_\_\_ people around us helps build \_\_\_\_\_ stronger relationships. In general, \_\_\_\_\_ cellphone should be used when it is helpful, but put away when it interrupts \_\_\_\_\_ communication or shows \_\_\_\_\_ lack of respect.