Basically, the rules for telephones also apply to cell phones, but here are a few tips:

- Before making a cell phone call, make sure you have a good signal.

- It’s not always okay to have your cell phone turned on. Turn your cell phone off during class, church, weddings, at the movies, or during mealtimes.

- If someone using a cell phone is talking too loudly, try moving to another location. If that is not possible, ask an authority figure, such as the restaurant or theater manager, to talk to that person.

- With help from your leader or counselor, make a telephone message pad.

Share
When would a handwritten note be better than an email or phone call?

Process
Why does it matter how you address a stranger on the phone?

Generalize
At what other times is it important to relay accurate information to someone?

Apply
What did you learn that will help you be a good communicator?