

BOARD POLICY

IFAD

STUDENT INTERNET SAFETY POLICY

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In accordance with all federal and state regulations relating to technology use in schools, measures will continue to be implemented to block and/or filter access via Internet, electronic mail, or other forms of direct electronic communication to obscenity, pornography, and other material which is harmful to minors.

Pursuant to Board Policy IFA and Administrative Procedures IFA(1), before being permitted access to the Internet, students will be instructed in the appropriate and ethical use of the Internet, and students and parents will sign authorization forms, which further inform these individuals of the appropriate and ethical use of the Internet, and the consequences for failing to adhere to such use.

School administration will provide instruction for students about appropriate online behavior, **including interacting with other individuals on social networking websites and in chat rooms, and cyberbullying awareness and response.** School Administration will provide ~~and~~ reasonable supervision of students' use of the Internet, which will include monitoring the online activities of minors. To the extent practical, steps will be enacted to promote safety and security of users by preventing unauthorized access; other unlawful activities; and unauthorized disclosure, use, and dissemination of personal identification information regarding minors.

LEGAL REG.: Children's Internet Protection Act (CIPA) of 2000
Broadband Data Improvement Act of 2008
Protecting Children in the 21st Century Act of 2008
Federal Communications Commission Report and Order of August 2011

CROSS REF.: IFA