

ELECTRONIC COMMUNICATION SYSTEM

The Board is committed to the development and establishment of a quality, equitable and cost effective electronic communication system. The system's sole purpose shall be for the advancement and promotion of learning and teaching.

The district's system will be used to provide statewide, national and global communications opportunities for staff and students. The superintendent will establish administrative regulations for the use of the district's system including compliance with the following provisions of the Children's Internet Protection Act:

1. Technology protection measures, installed and in continuous operation, that protect against Internet access by both adults and minors to visual depictions that are obscene, child pornography or, with respect to the use of the computers by minors, harmful to minors;
2. Educating minors about appropriate online behavior, including cyberbullying awareness and response, and how to interact with other individuals on social networking sites and in chat rooms;
3. Monitoring the online activities of minors;
4. Denying access by minors to inappropriate matter on the Internet and World Wide Web;
5. Ensuring the safety and security of minors when using electronic mail, chat rooms and other forms of direct electronic communications;
6. Prohibiting unauthorized access, including so-called "hacking" and other unlawful activities by minors online;
7. Prohibiting unauthorized disclosure, use and dissemination of personal information regarding minors;
8. Installing measures designed to restrict minors' access to materials harmful to minors.

The administrative regulations will be consistent with sound guidelines as may be provided by the education service district, the Oregon Department of Education and/or the Government Standards and Practices Commission and will include a complaint procedure for reporting violations.

The superintendent will also establish administrative regulations for use of the district's electronic communications system to comply with copyright law.

Failure to abide by district policy and administrative regulations governing use of the district's system may result in the suspension and/or revocation of system access.

Additionally, student violations will result in discipline up to and including expulsion. Staff violations will also result in discipline up to and including dismissal. Violations of law will be reported to law enforcement officials and may result in criminal or civil sanctions. Fees, fines or other charges may also be imposed.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s)	ORS 30.765	ORS 167.090
	ORS 133.739	
	ORS 163.435	ORS 167.095
	ORS 164.345	ORS Chapter 192
	ORS 164.365	ORS 332.107
	ORS 167.060	ORS 336.222
	ORS 167.065	ORS 339.250
	ORS 167.070	ORS 339.260
	ORS 167.080	ORS 339.270