

Technology Acceptable Use Policy

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Fairview Technology Use Policy

ACCEPTABLE USE POLICY (Technology)

The District requires each parent/guardian to acknowledge the acceptable use of technology policy each year. Steps are taken to ensure students are blocked from inappropriate internet content. Appropriate disciplinary steps will be taken in cases where students have violated the Acceptable Use Policy.

It is the policy of Fairview District 72 to encourage the use of technology, including student use of the school's electronic communication network, district-issued email accounts, and district-issued devices. All use of electronic networks shall be consistent with the District's goal of promoting educational excellence by facilitating resource sharing, innovation, and communication. These procedures do not attempt to state all required or proscribed behavior by users. Additional detailed information can be found in [Board Policy 6:235](#) (Access to Electronic Networks). However, some specific examples are provided. The failure of any user to follow these procedures may result in the loss of privileges, disciplinary action, and/or appropriate legal action.

APPROPRIATE USE

Students are responsible for following these general guidelines for appropriate use of online resources:

- Students will use online resources in pursuit of knowledge related to the approved Fairview District 72 curriculum and instructional program. All other uses are prohibited.
- There will be a purposeful inquiry behind any search for information. Students will not use district assigned accounts to connect with or create personal accounts.
- Students will not use methods such as proxy servers or VPN to bypass or avoid district content filters.
- Students will engage in positive interactions online and not engage in cyberbullying or other threatening behavior, provide false information, impersonate other users, deliberately access or share inappropriate materials, or invade the privacy of other users.