

ELECTRONIC RESOURCES

The Grand Coulee Dam School District Board of Directors recognizes that an effective public education system develops students who are globally aware, civically engaged, and capable of managing their lives and careers. The board also believes that students need to be proficient users of information, media, and technology to succeed in a digital world.

Therefore, the Grand Coulee Dam School District will use electronic resources as a powerful and compelling means for students to learn core subjects and applied skills in relevant and rigorous ways. It is the district's goal to provide students with rich and ample opportunities to use technology for important purposes in schools just as individuals in workplaces and other real-life settings. The district's technology will enable educators and students to communicate, learn, share, collaborate and create, to think and solve problems, to manage their work, and to take ownership of their lives.

The Board directs the Superintendent or designee to create strong electronic educational systems that support innovative teaching and learning, to provide appropriate staff development opportunities and to develop procedures to support this policy.

To help ensure students safety and citizenship in online activities, all students will be educated about appropriate behavior, including interacting with other individuals on social networking websites and in chat rooms, and cyberbullying awareness and response.

Cross References:

Board Policy 2020	Curriculum Development and Adoption of Instructional Materials
Board Policy 2025	Copyright Compliance
Board Policy 3241	Classroom Management, Corrective Actions or Punishment
Board Policy 4400	Election Activities
Board Policy 5281	Disciplinary Action and Discharge
Board Policy 3207	Harassment, Intimidation and Bullying
Board Policy 4040	Public Access to District Records
Board Policy 3231	Student Records

Legal Reference:

18 USC §§ 2510-2522 Electronic Communication Privacy Act

Management Resources:

Policy New: February 2012-Federal Guidance Requires Changes to Electronic Resources Policy
June 2008-Electronic Resources
June 2001-Congress Requires Internet Blocking at School
August 1998-Permission Required to Review email

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