

**WHITE RIVER SCHOOL DISTRICT #416
BOARD POLICY**

No. 2022

2000 INSTRUCTION

Program Development and Resources

2022- Electronic Resources

The White River 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 White River 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 setting. 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.

To help ensure student 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 cyber-bullying awareness and response.

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.

Cross References:	Board Policy 2020 Board Policy 3241 Board Policy 3207 Board Policy 3231 Board Policy 4040 Board Policy 4400	Curriculum Development and Adoption of Instructional Materials Student Discipline Prohibition of Harassment, Intimidation and Bullying Student Records Public Access to District Records Election Activities
Legal Reference:	18 USC §§ 2510-2522 Fub. L. No. 110-385	Electronic Communication Privacy Act Protecting Children in the 21 st Century Act
Management Resources:	<i>Policy News</i> , February 2012 <i>Policy News</i> , June 2008 <i>Policy News</i> , June 2001 <i>Policy News</i> , August 1998	Electronic Resources Congress Requires Internet Blocking at School Permission required to review e-mail

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