

DEERFIELD COMMUNITY

CODE: 363.1

SCHOOL DISTRICT

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ACCESS TO INTERNET AND OTHER COMPUTER NETWORKS

The Deerfield Community School District believes the use of technology and the access to information to students and staff members for educational and research purposes is essential to learning and teaching in today's world with today's tools. The successful utilization of these technologies requires the responsibility of each staff member and student to use these tools for the express purpose of learning within the context of the District curricula.

The Technology Coordinator shall be responsible for overseeing the use of the District's Internet or other network accounts. He/She shall report any violations of the rules/procedures to the building principal.

Principals will be responsible for informing students and staff of the District's policies, procedures, and rules annually.

The use of the Internet and similar communication networks by students and staff is a privilege not a right. Failure to follow established rules can lead to appropriate disciplinary action as well as the loss of access to the Internet or other networks through school accounts. Legal action may also be taken where/when appropriate.