



Island Trees Union Free School District Computer/Internet Acceptable Use Policy



The Island Trees School district has pursued making advanced technology and increased access to learning opportunities available to students & staff.

Our Goals are

- To provide technology services which meet the educational objectives of the district.
- To promote educational excellence by facilitating resource sharing, innovation, and communication in the global community.

Our Resources include but are not limited to

- Computer hardware
- Software
- The Internet and online resources,
- Peripherals
- Communication devices

The use of these computer resources throughout the Island Trees School District is a privilege. The following guidelines have been established for acceptable use of Island Trees School District's computer network and Internet access.

1. The use of each account must be in support of education and research and consistent with the educational objectives of the Island Trees School district.
2. System accounts are to be used only by the authorized owner of the account for the authorized purpose.
3. Any use of the system must be in conformity to state and federal law, network provider policies and licenses and district policy.
4. District-owned hardware and software should be treated with care to ensure its availability to others and should not be vandalized, damaged, stolen, or abused in any way.
5. Personal software may not be used on the system and downloading of files by students is limited to files related to instructional resources associated with school curriculum.
6. Food and beverages may not be brought into computer rooms or the school media center.
7. Users are responsible for the appropriateness and content of material they transmit or publish on the system.
8. The Superintendent or designee must approve subscriptions to mailing lists, bulletin boards, chat groups and commercial on-line services and other information services.
9. The District cannot be held responsible for damages including loss of data resulting from delays or service interruptions. The District is not responsible for the accuracy or quality of information found on the Internet.