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**COMPUTER USE IN INSTRUCTION
(or ACCEPTABLE USE POLICY)**

All users of the BOCES communications network and the Internet must understand that use is a privilege, not a right, and that use entails responsibility. The BOCES reserves the right to control access to the Internet for all users of its computers and network. The BOCES may either allow or prohibit certain kinds of online activity, or access to specific websites.

Regulations and handbooks, to be developed by the District Superintendent, in consultation with his or her staff, will provide specific guidance on this, as well as rules governing the use and security of the BOCES computer network. All users of the BOCES computer network and equipment shall comply with this policy and regulation. Failure to comply may result in disciplinary action as well as suspension and/or revocation of computer access privileges.

The District Superintendent or his or her designee will prepare in-service programs for the training and development of BOCES staff in computer skills, and for the incorporation of computer use in appropriate subject areas.

The District Superintendent, or his or her designee, shall develop a comprehensive multi-year technology plan that supports the mission, vision and goals of the BOCES.

Cross-ref: 5300, Code of Conduct
 5695, Student Use of Personal Electronic Devices

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