

MEDWAY SCHOOL BOARD POLICY SCHOOL DEPARTMENT WEB SITE

Code: IJNDC

The Medway School Department Web Site is developed, operated and maintained as a closed forum to provide community access to information about the school department and its programs/activities.

The Medway School Board will make every effort to protect students and staff from potential hazards associated with the school department's Web Site. The school department will not publish or provide for publication any personal student information without first obtaining the written approval of that student's parents. Personal information shall mean any information that identifies a student, including, but not limited to: the student's full name, photograph, personal biography, e-mail address, home address, date of birth, social security number and parent's name.

The school department shall require that information on the Web Site be well written, adequately researched, unbiased/unprejudiced and apply appropriate language, suitable for audiences of all age levels.

All Web Pages created by students and student organizations on the school department computer system will be subject to treatment as school-sponsored publications.

Linked sites, available through the school department Web Site are not under the control of the school. The school department is not responsible for the contents of any linked site or any link contained in a linked site, or any changes or updates to such sites. The school department provides links as a convenience, and the inclusion of any link does not imply endorsement of the site by the school department.

The Superintendent shall be responsible for overseeing the implementation of this policy and accompanying rules.

The Medway School Board expressly reserves the right to limit, revise or eliminate any information provided on the Web Site.

Adopted: 10-15-02