

Savanna Elementary School District

Title IV, Part A Internet Safety Policy

According to the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) Section 4121(a), an LEA may not use Title IV, Part A funds to purchase computers used to access the Internet or to pay direct costs associated with accessing the Internet for schools that do not receive E-rate funds, unless the LEA has certified that those schools have an Internet safety policy in place that meets the requirements of section 4121(a)(1)(A).

As required by ESSA Section 4121(a)(1)(A), the Savanna School District and all schools within ensure the operation of a technology protection measure with respect to any of its computers with Internet access that protects against access through such computers to visual depictions that are:

- obscene;
- child pornography; or
- harmful to minors.

The Savanna School District and all schools within shall enforce the operation of technology, such as computers, the LEA's computer network including servers and wireless computer networking technology (wi-fi), the Internet, email, USB drives, wireless access points (routers), tablet computers, smartphones and smart devices, telephones, cellular telephones, personal digital assistants, pagers, MP3 players, wearable technology, any wireless communication device including emergency radios, and/or future technological innovations, whether accessed on or off site or through LEA-owned or personally owned equipment or devices, protection measure during any use of such computers by minors (ESSA Section 4121[a][1][B]).

This policy of Internet safety includes the operation of a technology protection measure with respect to any of its computers with Internet access that protects against access through such computers to visual depictions that are obscene or includes child pornography (ESSA Section 4121[a][2][A]).

This policy of Internet safety enforces the operation of such technology protection measure during any use of such computers (ESSA Section 4121[a][2][B]).

The Savanna School District certifies compliance during each annual program application cycle that the internet safety policy in place includes the operation of a technology protection measure with respect to any of its computers with Internet access that protects against access through such computers to visual depictions that are obscene or include child pornography; and is enforcing the operation of such technology protection measure during any use of such computers (ESSA Section 4121[b][1]).

An administrator, supervisor, or person authorized by the Savanna School District may disable the technology protection measure concerned to enable access for bona fide research or other lawful purposes (ESSA Section 4121[c]).

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