## GOFFSTOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT NETWORKS & INTERNET

## **Acceptable Use Policy**

## ETHICS POLICY

Technology users' responsibilities go beyond network use. The Goffstown School District also addresses copyright, security and other issues as well as networking in this policy.

Unless otherwise specified, the following regulation shall apply equally to students, employees, school board members, volunteers and contractors employed by the District and visitors. Employees, school board members, volunteers, and contractors may have additional obligations owing to the nature of their positions and/or access privileges.

The Goffstown School District's Network system is a local and wide area technology network linking schools together which also provides access to Networks.

The use of the Goffstown School District's Network is solely for the purpose of facilitating the exchange of information to further communication, education and research and is consistent with the mission of SAU # 19 and the Goffstown School District. The Goffstown School District's Networks and the messages transmitted and documents created on them are the property of the District. The District has the right to monitor the use of such property determine if any inappropriate use occurs. An authorization form must be completed by each person requesting access to these Networks. Any use without authorization is prohibited. Anyone who inappropriately uses the Network or the equipment may be subject to disciplinary action and/or the loss of its use.

Reference: IJNDB-R

## **Legal References:**

RSA 194:3-d, School District Computer Networks

47U.S.C. Sec 254, Children's Internet Protection Act. Effective April 20, 2001

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