

Policy Type: Technology Policy

Title: Internet Safety Policy

Effective: May 20th, 2026

Purpose

The purpose of this Internet Safety Policy is to establish general expectations, responsibilities, and procedures for Custom Class Charter School (“Custom Class”) in a manner consistent with applicable law, Utah State Board of Education rule, and the school’s flexible instructional model.

1. General Policy Statement

Custom Class adopts this policy to support lawful, safe, effective, and mission-aligned school operations. The Governing Board authorizes school administration to implement this policy through procedures, forms, training, and operational practices that are appropriate for Custom Class’s online, hybrid, community-based, and in-person programs.

This policy is intended to be applied flexibly and reasonably. When operational details are not specifically stated in this policy, school administration may establish procedures consistent with the policy, applicable law, and Board direction.

2. Internet Safety Measures

Custom Class shall maintain internet safety measures designed to block or filter visual depictions that are obscene, child pornography, or harmful to minors when students access the internet through school-provided systems subject to CIPA unless a parent opts out of these systems.

The school may use filtering, monitoring, supervision, user agreements, training, and access controls appropriate to the user, device, network, and learning environment. The school will not provide filters, monitoring, and supervision on home internet and personal devices unless requested by parents.

3. Student Safety Online

Custom Class shall educate students regarding appropriate online behavior, cyberbullying awareness and response, social networking safety, digital citizenship, privacy, and responsible use of technology as appropriate to grade level and program.

4. Authorized Use and Enforcement

Users shall not attempt to bypass filtering or security systems. Violations may result in restriction of access, disciplinary action, parent notification, or referral to appropriate authorities.

Administration and Review

School administration may maintain procedures, forms, training materials, agreements, and internal guidance necessary to implement this policy. The Governing Board may review and revise this policy periodically to reflect legal updates, USBE guidance, operational needs, or Board direction.

Nothing in this policy creates a private right of action, contract right, or entitlement beyond that required by applicable law. If any provision conflicts with controlling law, the law shall govern and the remaining provisions shall continue in effect.

Certification

The undersigned officers and/or Board of Directors of Custom Class Charter School certify that this policy was duly adopted as of the date below.



Matthew J. Middione - Board Chair



Douglas Reed - Board Vice Chair

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References

47 CFR Part 54; Children's Internet Protection Act; R277-495