

Staff Acceptable Use Policy

All users are given accounts upon entry into Baldwin County Schools. Any user account given is intended for the sole use of that user only. As a teacher, your password allows access to confidential student data. Each user is responsible for the security of the system. Passwords should not be shared. If a user shares a password with another, that user will be held accountable.

Staff may post student pictures on district/school/classroom “public” websites as long as the parent has given the school permission to do so and the student’s name or other identifying information is not included. Students’ grades, test results, or identifying pictures may be stored only on district-approved secure sites that require a username and password for authorized individuals to access.

School staff must maintain the confidentiality of student data in accordance with the Family Education Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA).

The Baldwin County School District supports the rights of students and staff to have reasonable access, in school, to various information formats and believes it is incumbent upon students and staff to use this educational advantage in an appropriate and responsible manner.

Expectation of Privacy

No right to privacy exists in the use of technological resources provided by the school. School system administrators or individuals designated by the Superintendent may review files, internet history logs, monitor communications/content activities, and intercept email messages to maintain system integrity and to ensure compliance with board policy and applicable laws and regulations. School system personnel shall monitor the online activities of individuals who access the internet via school-owned computers.

Damage/Liability

Users may be responsible for compensating the school district for any losses, costs, or damages incurred for violations of Board policies/procedures and school rules, including the cost of investigating such violations. The school district assumes no responsibility for any unauthorized charges or costs incurred by users while using school district computers, devices, or the school network.

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