

Cornwall-Lebanon School District



Guest Wireless Internet Acceptable Use Policy

Purpose

The goals of this policy are to outline appropriate and inappropriate use of Cornwall-Lebanon School District's guest wireless internet resources, including the use of browsers, email and instant messaging, file uploads and downloads, and media streaming (voice and video). Use of these services is subject to the following conditions.

Scope

This network is the property of Cornwall-Lebanon School District and may be accessed only by authorized guests.

Guest wireless internet access at Cornwall-Lebanon School District is controlled through individual accounts and passwords. Each user of the Cornwall-Lebanon School District guest wireless system is required to read this internet policy and agree to an acceptable use agreement prior to receiving a guest wireless internet access account and password.

Policy Statements

The data you send and receive over this network is not encrypted and may be viewed or intercepted by others. Use this network at your own risk. Privacy and security safeguards are the user's responsibility; this network does not provide any. Cornwall-Lebanon School District does not warrant or represent that this service will be uninterrupted, error-free, or secure. Users should be aware that there are security, privacy, and confidentiality risks inherent in wireless communications and technology.

Cornwall-Lebanon School District may monitor any activity or retrieve any information transmitted through this network, to ensure compliance with Cornwall-Lebanon School District policy, and with federal, state, and local law. By accessing and using this network, you are consenting to such monitoring and information retrieval by Cornwall-Lebanon School District. Users should have no general expectation of privacy or confidentiality when using this network.

Cornwall-Lebanon School District guest wireless internet facilities may not be used for any of the following at any time:

- 1. Any activities which violate local, state, or federal statutes are prohibited.
- "Cracking/Hacking" Example: Attempting to circumvent user authentication or security of any host, network, or account on Cornwall-Lebanon School District systems or The Internet at large is strictly forbidden.
- 3. "Denial of service" attacks of any kind are forbidden. Use of Cornwall-Lebanon School District systems or networks (willfully or negligently) in a manner that encumbers disk space, processors, bandwidth, or other system resources so as to interfere with others' normal use of services on Cornwall-Lebanon School District, or any other systems or networks is prohibited. Attempting to knock a server off-line, slow down our connection, or knock any other user offline is prohibited.
- 4. Use of TCP or UDP port scanners to scan remote networks without the express written consent of that networks' administrator is prohibited.
- 5. Dissemination of spam and/or viruses, whether knowingly or as the result of a worm or virus on your computer, is prohibited. Attempting to send any virus or malicious material including any type of "Out of Band" packet to any other Internet user is prohibited.
- 6. Spamming is prohibited. Example: Sending unsolicited mass mailings of any nature, including those with an "opt-out option" for continuation. The opt-out option is inviting those who do not wish to receive more email to reply to you.



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- 7. Mail-bombing is prohibited. Example: Sending a large number of email messages, or singularly large email messages, to a single address in order to flood someone's mailbox.
- 8. Forging any email header to obscure the originator of the message.
- 9. Creating or participating in pyramid schemes or chain letters.
- 10. Sending any type of harassing email, either by language, size, or frequency. This includes sending email or instant messages to any person who has asked explicitly that you do not.
- 11. The posting of pornographic or otherwise indecent or offending materials. Cornwall-Lebanon School District is the sole arbiter of what constitutes "indecent" or "offending."
- 12. Unauthorized use of copyrighted or trademarked logos, phrases, or names.
- 13. Distribution of any software or materials in violation of any copyrights or distribution licenses. (MP3s/Warez/etc.).
- 14. The posting of slanderous or defamatory materials or articles. Distribution of any material which violates local, state, or federal statutes.

Non-Compliance

Violations of this policy will be treated like other allegations of wrongdoing at Cornwall-Lebanon School District. Allegations of misconduct will be adjudicated according to established procedures. Sanctions for non-compliance may include, but are not limited to, one or more of the following:

- 1. Temporary or permanent revocation of access to some or all computing and networking resources and facilities;
- 2. Disciplinary action according to applicable Cornwall-Lebanon School District policies;
- 3. Termination of employment; and/or
- 4. Legal action according to applicable laws and contractual agreements.