

Internet Safety Policy

The Forrest City School District makes all reasonable efforts to comply with the **CIPA (CHILDREN'S INTERNET PROTECTION ACT) (Pub.L.106-554)** through the use of internet filtering by the State of Arkansas's Division of Information Services, and through the use of adult monitoring and supervision of students who use district computers.

The Forrest City School District strictly forbids the access of inappropriate or harmful material, as defined in **Pub.L. 106-554**, on the internet and World Wide Web from any district owned computer or district owned network connection. This includes all employees of the district, as well as minors. The Forrest City School District further forbids students' direct electronic communications through the use of district or other forms of email, chat rooms, and/or any other form of direct electronic communication. Any exceptions to direct electronic communication must be with the written approval of the Supervisor of Technology, and under the continuous direct supervision of a certified teacher or administrator.

The Forrest City School District strictly forbids the unauthorized disclosure, use, and dissemination of personal identification information of minors. Written permission by the legal parent or guardian must be on file in the school or district office prior to the disclosure, use, or dissemination of personal identification information of minors. This permission includes the publication or display of photographs on district web sites.

The Forrest City School District strictly forbids the unauthorized access, including so-called hacking and other unlawful activities, by any person using district owned equipment or district connection points to the Internet.