

## Acceptable Use Policies

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### Focus on Student Learning

Explore the following links to learn more about acceptable use policies.

### Resources about Updating AUPs

- A publication by Good Technology with guidelines for creating an AUP for a BYOD or BYOT learning environment.  
[http://www.welcometogood.com/byod/byod\\_policy\\_wp.pdf](http://www.welcometogood.com/byod/byod_policy_wp.pdf)
- A guide developed by the Consortium for School Networking for adapting AUPs in the age of mobile devices and social networks  
[http://www.cosn.org/sites/default/files/pdf/Revised%20AUP%20March%202013\\_final.pdf](http://www.cosn.org/sites/default/files/pdf/Revised%20AUP%20March%202013_final.pdf)

### Sample AUPs

- Burlington High School's AUP is an excellent example of "less is more" policy.  
<http://www.scribd.com/doc/55220762/Burlington-High-School-Acceptable-Use-Policy>
- Corcoran Unified School District in California has an AUP that addresses Web 2.0 tools such as Google docs.  
<http://www.corcoranunified.com/?s=Acceptable+Use+Policy>

- Forsyth County Schools in northern Georgia has implemented a Bring Your Own Technology program and has several resources available for parents and educators, including  
<http://www.forsyth.k12.ga.us/page/830>.
- New Canaan Public Schools has an Acceptable Use Policy that is regularly updated.  
<http://www2.newcanaan.k12.ct.us/education/dept/dept.php?sectionid=567>
- Piedmont City Schools in Piedmont, Alabama, has a concise Responsible Use Policy that students must sign when they are provided with laptops issued by the school to all students.  
<http://www.piedmontmiddle.org/?PageName=%27SchoolPublications%27&CategoryID=%2711317%27&SubCategoryID=%2722793%27&PublicationID=%2758054%27>
- Sunnyside Unified School District's One-to-One User Handbook spells out the responsibilities and regulations for students who have access to laptops that can be taken home  
<http://www.sunnysidefoundation.org/getinvolved.html>