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Resources for Information about Cyber Bullying & Cyber Safety: Educators (see reverse for parents & teens)

Web Sites of Interest to Educators & School Administrators:

www.cyberbully.org Center for Safe and Responsible Internet Use (CSRIU), Nancy Willard, M.S., J.D. Excellent, concise, clear pdfs for educators & administrators on aspects of schools and cyber safety, including practical & informative overview of legal issues and recommendations. Available pdfs include Educator's Guide to Cyber Bullying, Cyberbullying and Cyberthreats, and Cyber Bullying Legislation (the limits of school authority & responsibility for student online behavior). Links to Nancy Willard's articles elsewhere, including "Schools, the Internet, and Copyright Law."

www.isafe.org Non-profit organization dedicated to internet safety. Comprehensive educational programs for K-12, parents, and educators. Users register as parents, educators, or students and obtain access to free video lessons about cyber safety, including cyber predators, identity theft, and intellectual property. PD credit available for professionals at no cost. Once the modules are completed, the user becomes I-safe certified to use I-safe materials to present workshops/assemblies for others. Materials are free; shipping charges apply to hardcopy materials.

www.cybersmartcurriculum.org Comprehensive curriculum; Lesson plans, activity sheets provided at no charge. Topics include netiquette, evaluating information found online, understanding digital technology. Aligned with ISTE's NETS Performance Indicators. PD for professionals also available online.

www.MindOH.com Character-education based modules and tools for educators. Activities & lesson plans on cyber bullying and cyber predatorship available at no charge.

www.netsmartz.org Web site contains pages for parents, teachers, and youth. Educators' section includes online, downloadable presentations for youth/community use. Back-to-School Kit includes lesson plans, etc. for elementary/intermediate students.

www.ctap4.org/cybersafety/admin_legal_issues.htm Links to sources of high quality, up-to-date information about the rights of schools to regulate student conduct related to cyber bullying. CTAP = The California Technology Assistance Project, a "statewide educational technology leadership initiative designed to provide assistance to schools and districts in integrating technology into teaching and learning." Expert legal information includes federal law and court cases as well as cases in many different states. National relevance.

<https://umconnect.umn.edu/cyberbullying> video powerpoint presentation by legal scholar about the rights of schools to regulate students speech. Reviews salient court cases and provides specific guidelines for different types of speech. If direct address does not work, access through CTAP (above).

www.njbullying.org The New Jersey Coalition for Bullying Awareness and Prevention. Variety of information about bullying. Research-based recommendations. News & Events. Resources. Links to recommended websites and resources.



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Resources for Information about Cyber Bullying & Cyber Safety: Parents & Teens (see reverse for educators)

Web Sites of Interest to Parents:

www.isafe.org Non-profit organization dedicated to internet safety. Comprehensive educational programs for K-12, parents, and educators. Users register as parents, educators, or students and obtain access to free video lessons about cyber safety, including cyber predators, identity theft, and intellectual property. Once the modules are completed, the user becomes I-safe certified to use I-safe materials to present workshops/assemblies for others, e.g., community and PTA presentations. Students can become certified "mentors" to teach peers about internet safety. Materials are free; shipping charges apply to hardcopy materials.

www.cyberbullying.ca. Web site created by Bill Belsey, creator of the www.bullying.org web site. Overview of different types of digital technology and of different forms of cyber bullying. Recommendations and Resources including tips for prevention including security software, recognizing victimization, and what to do; relevant statistics. List of acronyms and emoticons (e.g., POS=Parent Over Shoulder). Online links, organizations, and sources of info.

www.netlingo.com Online acronyms/shorthand and emoticons.

www.cyberbully.org See description under "Educators"

www.njcoalition.org See description under "Educators"

<http://www.fbi.gov/publications/pguide/pguide.htm>, A Parent's Guide to Internet Safety, from the FBI

www.wiredsafety.org. Wired Safety is a project of Parry Aftab. Web site provides information on many aspects of cyber safety.

www.stopcyberbullying.org A project of Wired Safety (Parry Aftab) focusing specifically on cyber bullying. Separate sections of the web site provide information of interest to youth aged 7-10, 11-13, and 14-17, and to parents, educators, and law enforcement.

Web Sites of Interest to Youth:

www.netsmartz.org/netteens.htm NetSmartz411, Real-life stories, Videos about cyber safety. Oriented toward teens. Separate section of same web site at www.netsmartzkids.org/indexFL.htm contains games, cartoon videos, etc. for younger brothers and sisters.

www.isafe.org See description under "Educators"