

NASHUA SCHOOL DISTRICT

Data Governance Plan

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Background of RSA 189:66 -189:68a (HB1612)

- House Bill 1612 passed in June 2018
 - NH DOE uses FERPA, CIPA, and COPPA as guidelines to develop the following:
 - Become fully compliant within a four year period
 - Data privacy for students and staff
 - Developing, maintaining, and enforcing data security standards throughout the Nashua School District (“the District”)
 - Data Governance Plan - this is a living document

Federal Regulatory Compliance

- Children's Internet Protection Act (CIPA)
- Children's Online Privacy Protection Act (COPPA)
- Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA)
- Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA)
- Payment Card Industry Data Security Standard (PCI DSS)
- Protection of Pupil Rights Amendment (PPRA)
- Individuals with Disabilities in Education Act (IDEA)

New Hampshire Regulations

- New Hampshire State RSA - Student and Teacher Information Protection and Privacy
- NH RSA 189:65 Definitions
- NH RSA 189:66 Data Inventory and Policies Publication
- NH RSA 189:67 Limits on Disclosure of Information
- NH 189:68 Student Privacy
- NH RSA 189:68-a - Student Online Personal Information
- New Hampshire Minimum Standards for Privacy and Security of Student and Employee Data
- New Hampshire State RSA - Right to Privacy:
- NH RSA 359-C:19 - Notice of Security Breach Definitions
- NH RSA 359-C:20 - Notice of Security Breach Required
- NH RSA 359-C:21 - Notice of Security Breach Violation

Purpose

- The District provides faculty, staff, and students with technology to support productivity, research, and education objectives
- The District is also responsible for the creation, collection, storage and destruction of data
- All persons (Data Custodians) who have access to data are required to follow state and federal laws and District policies and procedures
 - Protect PII (Personal Identifiable Information)
- All forms of data should be protected from the following:
 - Accidental or intentional unauthorized modification, destruction or disclosure throughout the life cycle
 - Including appropriate security of equipment, software, storage practices used to process, store, transmit data and information

What is PII?

Examples of PII include, but are not limited to:

- Name: full name, maiden name, mother's maiden name, or alias
- Personal identification numbers: social security number (SSN), passport number, driver's license number, taxpayer identification number, patient identification number, financial account number, or credit card number
- Personal address information: street address, or email address
- Personal telephone numbers
- Biometric data: retina scans, voice signatures, or facial geometry
- Information identifying personally owned property: VIN number or title number

Scope

- All policy, standards, processes and procedures apply to all students, staff in the District, contractual third parties, and volunteers who have access to the District's systems and data.
- This policy applies to:
 - All forms of verbal, written, and technical communications
 - Hard copy data
 - Data stored on electrical devices with storage capacity
 - Removable media or cloud-based storage

Change of Culture

- The spirit of the law requires more restrictive access
 - Safeguard for students and employees
- The District will comply with the standards under the law
- Fostering Digital Citizenship
- Accountability
- This is for the child's safety
 - Identity
 - Privacy

Data Governance Plan

Appendix Reference	Category
Appendix A	Definitions of terms throughout the plan
Appendix B	Laws, Statutory, and Regulatory Security Requirements
Appendix C	Digital Resource Acquisition and Use
Appendix D	Data Security Checklist
Appendix E	Data Classification Levels
Appendix F	Securing Data at Rest and Transit
Appendix G	Physical Security Controls
Appendix H	Asset Management
Appendix I	Virus, Malware, Spyware, Phishing and SPAM Protection
Appendix J	Account Management
Appendix K	Data Access Roles and Permissions
Appendix L	Password Security
Appendix M	Technology Disaster Recovery Plan
Appendix N	Data Breach Response Plan

Goals - now to end of SY 19-20

- Collect, vet, and inventory all applications, digital tools, and extensions used throughout the District
- Re-examine digital and physical data destruction policy
- Improve IT network and systems to reflect security audit and NIST
- Vet all applications and create Data Privacy Agreement's (DPA) with vendors through Education Framework (see example).
- Form a Digital Security Awareness Committee to achieve the following:
 - Foster a culture of security and privacy
 - Disseminate best security practices through training and articles
 - Review Data Governance Plan annually

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Privacy Quality Score = 4.5



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School can grant consent on behalf of parent for this app

[Request Contract](#)

-  Privacy policy is posted
-  Data used for school purposes only
-  Parents can request deletion of data
-  Breach response activity is defined
-  Student data transfer encrypted
-  Data retention for school purposes only
-  Student data is securely protected

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School district cannot grant consent on behalf of parent for this app. The app operator must obtain consent directly from parents.

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Request improvements from vendor

-  Privacy policy is posted
-  Data not used for school purposes only
-  Parents can request deletion of data
-  Breach incident response plan not found
-  Student data transfer encrypted
-  Data retention for school purposes only
-  Student data is securely protected

Goals - beyond 2020

- ❑ Recompose and rebrand the Responsible User Guide (RUG)
- ❑ Publish IT Security and Privacy page on the new website
- ❑ Further refine the process for requesting applications, digital tools, and extensions
- ❑ Revise and annually present Data Governance Plan to the Nashua Board of Education
- ❑ Provide on/off-boarding training for employees
- ❑ Conduct security audit bi-annually