

Klamath County School District

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Computer Instruction

The proliferation of computers throughout American society requires that students receive instruction in their use. To ensure that maximum benefits are realized from the investment required for the equipment, the following policies will apply:

1. The primary purpose of microcomputers will be for instruction. Included in instructional uses will be CAI (Computer Assisted Instruction), CMI (Computer Managed Instruction), computer literacy, and computer programming;
2. Other purposes shall include computer management systems such as library media circulation systems and database searches;
3. Computer users will recognize and adhere to existing copyright laws;
4. Computer hardware and software will not be removed from school premises unless authorized by the superintendent or his designee;
5. All hardware purchased must be durable, use a wide range of software, be compatible with other school hardware, and be easy to maintain;
6. All software must be previewed by a staff member before purchase;
7. All purchases of software will be coordinated through the media center to avoid unnecessary duplication. A catalog of school software will be available;
8. The district will provide computer training for all staff appropriate to their assignments;
9. The technology department will annually review and update a priority list for purchase of computers and a plan for computer acquisition and use;
10. The technology department will annually recommend a proposed budget for computer hardware, software, and accessories.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

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