

Montgomery County CyberSafety Initiative

The Montgomery County CyberSafety Initiative is a joint project of Montgomery County Public Schools, the Montgomery County State's Attorney's Office, and the Montgomery County Police Department (MCPS). The purpose of the initiative is to advocate a proactive approach to keeping children safe while using the Internet at home and at school. The following chart provides specific information about how schools are implementing CyberSafety instruction:

Who?	What?	How?
Elementary School Students	Using materials and resources from NetSmartz.org, created by the National Council of Missing and Exploited Children, students will participate in age- appropriate activities at each grade level to raise their awareness of CyberSafety.	Through school counselors at each grade level
Middle School Students	CyberSafety is included in the Safety and Injury Prevention unit in the Grade 8 MCPS Comprehensive Health Education curriculum.	Through Grade 8 Comprehensive Health Education teachers
	CyberSafety information is included in the middle school Media Literacy curriculum.	Through middle school library media specialists
High School Students	CyberSafety is included in the <i>Safety and</i> <i>Injury Prevention</i> unit in the Grade 10 MCPS Comprehensive Health Education curriculum.	Through Grade 10 Comprehensive Health Education teachers
	CyberSafety information is included in the high school Media Literacy curriculum.	Through high school library media specialists

Additional resources are available at:

www.montgomeryschoolsmd.org/info/cybersafety