

Regulations for Computer Use at Richard Montgomery High School

Use of Montgomery County Public School computers is governed under Montgomery County Public Schools Regulation [IGT-RA](#). All MCPS computers are for educational use only. All system computer usage is monitored and recorded by the Office of the Chief Technology Officer for MCPS. To help users determine appropriate use and conduct, the following guidelines are provided.

Disciplinary infractions will be reported to school administration.

- Allowing other students to use your personal user ID to access the network
- Use of network for purposes not educational in nature (email, chat rooms, games, etc.)
- Downloading programs to the network without prior approval from a teacher
- Intentional introduction of viruses to a computer and/or the network
- Vandalism, including equipment damage and willful tampering with data or software
- Attempting or successfully using software, websites, or other means to bypass MCPS web filtering systems (i.e. Proxy servers)
- System tampering, which is any unauthorized alteration of operating systems, software, networking facilities, and/or other programs
- Attempts to gain a higher level of privilege or decrypt passwords