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## **SCHOOL WEB SITE**

The Gorham School Department maintains an official web site to provide general information about our school system as well as information about educational programs, extracurricular activities, school events, and student and staff achievements. This web site is intended to support the educational mission of the schools, to enhance the curriculum and learning opportunities for students and staff, and to provide valuable information to the larger community about our schools. The web site does not create, nor is it intended to create a public or limited public forum.

The Committee recognizes that the schools must establish reasonable controls to protect the privacy of students and staff, to ensure that the web site is in compliance with applicable laws, and to ensure that it meets the highest educational and quality standards. The Superintendent shall be responsible for overseeing the implementation of this policy and the accompanying guidelines, and for advising the Committee of the need for any future amendments or revisions to the policy or guidelines. The Superintendent may develop additional administrative procedures and/or rules governing the day-to-day management and operations of the School Department's web site, consistent with the Committee's policy and guidelines. The Superintendent may delegate specific responsibilities to the Technology Director as he/she deems appropriate.

Legal References: 20 U.S.C. § 1232g; 34 C.F.R. Part 99

20-A M.R.S.A. § 6001 17 U.S.C. § 101 et. Seq.

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Cross Reference: IJND-R – Web Publishing Guidelines

IJNDB – Student Computer and Internet Use GCSA – Employee Computer and Internet Use

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