

Charter School Requirements related to Digital Citizenship

Charter Trust Land Councils have assignments in the law specific to digital citizenship at the school. Digital citizenship requirements are in addition to preparing, approving, and implementing the School LAND Trust Plan. The assignments are to:

Provide education and awareness on safe technology utilization and digital citizenship that empowers:

- a student to make smart media and online choices; and
- a parent or guardian to know how to discuss safe technology use with their children.

To complete the assignments, the Charter Trust Land Council partner with the school's principal and other administrators to ensure that adequate on and off campus Internet filtering is installed and consistently configured to prevent viewing of harmful content by students and school personnel. The administration and staff will be able to identify concerns and opportunities the council may choose to address in conjunction with or in addition to the required training.

The council may partner with one or more non-profit organizations to fulfill the duties. If a School LAND Trust Plan includes an academic goal with a digital citizenship component to educate students and parents, the expense to implement the component may not exceed \$7,000.

The Digital Citizenship page on the School LAND Trust website includes links to websites and resources to provide support to councils in filling this assignment. Many resources have little or no cost.