

WHAT IS SECURLY?

ULS has partnered with Securly to provide web filtering as an online student safety solution. We use Securly as our on-campus web filtering service to protect students from explicit and inappropriate content.

- When students are off campus, Securly does not filter web access or collect information.
- Web filtering will occur only when using the ULS network.
- Installation of the Securly certificate on student computers is strongly recommended. Without the certificate your student will not be able to access certain academic websites including their ULS Gmail account, which is used for important classroom and campus communications. ULS faculty will assist each student with the certificate installation.
- Installing the certificate allows a more streamlined experience on more than 200 websites that Securly decrypts and proxies. Without the certificate, many sites will result in privacy error messages and denied access.
- When students are logged into YouTube with their ULS-provided Google account, on or off campus, Google Suite includes filtering controls for YouTube. This is not a Securly service.
- Securly offers many services; we are only using the web filtering service.

ULS is **not** utilizing these services:

- Securly Parent Portal (not to be confused with the PCR Parent Portal)
- Auditor: Bullying/Self-Harm Detection
- 24: 24-Hour Monitoring
- Tipline for anonymous incident reporting
- Plug n' Play Hub for home wifi use
- o On campus, Securly collects a student's email address, public IP address (available to anyone on the Internet) and web activity, such as websites, videos and search terms.
- o The ULS network administrator has access to this collected information, but we are not actively monitoring students' online activities. This information would only be accessed if there is a safety concern. It is our policy to have two people present if such an investigation is necessary.
- o Securly does not collect personal information for the purpose of sale in any way.

Securly is the leading provider of cloud-based web filters for schools and has a presence in thousands of schools across the U.S., Europe, and the Asia-Pacific region. Securly's web filter helps schools maintain compliance with the Child Internet Protection Act (CIPA). They comply with the Family Education Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) and the Children's Online Privacy Protection Act (COPPA) with regards to the collection, use, disclosure and retention of personally identifiable information of minors. Securly is the first filtering company to be awarded the <u>California Privacy Badge from iKeepSafe</u>. For more information, please visit <u>Securly.com</u>.

If you have questions regarding Securly, please contact Tim Horner, Head of Administration, via <u>email</u> or call 262-367-6011, ext. 1447.