

What is Title IX?

Title IX is a federal civil rights law.

Title IX prohibits/forbids discrimination on the basis of sex in schools.

What locations does the Title IX law influence?

All public and private elementary and secondary schools, school districts, colleges, and universities receiving federal funds **must** comply with Title IX.

“Today, Title IX means that I get to practice and compete at the highest level and don’t have to feel like my sport means any less”
Amy Gianchandani,
Student Athlete, Yale Women’s Golf

Title IX Student Toolkit

This following toolkit was created to inform students about Title IX.

Recent Update to Title IX

Most recently in April 2024, The U.S. Department of Education amended the original Title IX Education Amendment law of 1972.

Recent directives, such as Executive Orders 13988 and 14021, reinforce Title IX’s protections against discrimination based on gender identity, sexual orientation, and sex.



To review a more detailed analysis of Title IX scan the QR code below.



For any questions, please contact The Commission on Women, Children, Seniors, Equity and Opportunity



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Connecticut General Assembly

Frequency of Sexual Abuse

In Connecticut, 14% of residents report that they have personally experienced childhood sexual assault.

15.5% of high school females, 7.5% of high school males have been forced to have sex with someone.

How can you report a potential Title IX violation?

In person reporting to your title ix coordinator or any other school administrator (principal or vice principal)

Written complaints via e-mail or mail.

Discussing with a trusted adult who can pass this information to the necessary party.

Online reporting (if your school has an online reporting system)

Telephone reporting

Anonymous reporting

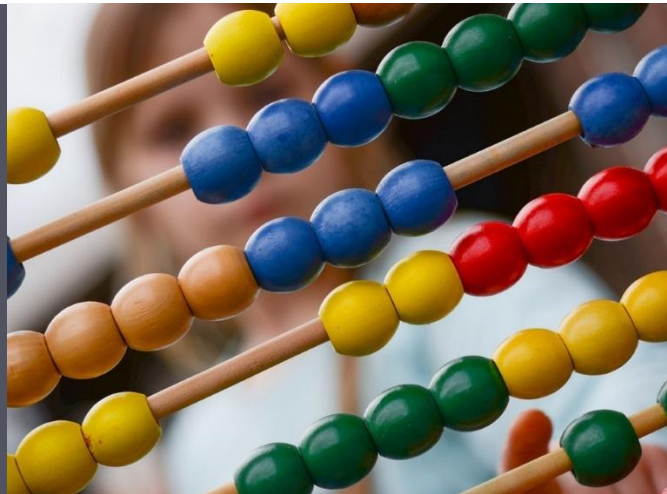
What is a Title IX Coordinator?

School districts that receive federal funds must designate an employee to oversee Title IX requirements, act as a point-of-contact for sexually related complaints and coordinate these investigations. This individual is known as the Title IX coordinator. Connecticut law requires each public school district to have at least one Title IX Coordinator



To Find your Title IX Coordinator

1. Click on the following link: [EdSight Home Page \(ct.gov\)](#)
2. Select "overview"
3. Select "find contact" located in General Information tab
4. Select "role"
5. Click Title IX LEA Coordinator



If you are looking for more information and are not sure who to can help you click [here](#) to find some state and local resources.



Title IX prohibits retaliation against anyone who files a complaint, participates in an investigation, or opposes discrimination.

If you experience retaliation, report it to the school or title ix coordinator immediately.



