Title IX Toolkit

The following toolkit has been developed to inform parents and/or guardians about Title IX.

What is Title IX?

Title IX is a federal civil rights law enforced by the U.S. Department of Education. Title IX prohibits discrimination on the basis of sex in education programs and activities.

What is the Title IX toolkit?

The following "toolkit" is a one-stop resource for parents/guardians and is designed to provide information on Title IX. In the toolkit you will find research on the prevention of Title IX, how to report a title ix incident, and much more.

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Did you Know?

Connecticut law prohibits discrimination based on gender, gender identity, gender diversity, and gender expression in various settings, including education, employment, and housing.

In Connecticut each K-12 school district is required to have policies and procedure for responding to child sexual abuse and assault.

Connecticut also requires each school to have its own Title IX Coordinator.





Unfortunately in Connecticut 14% of residents report that they have personally experienced childhood sexual assault.



Reporting an Incident

An individual can report a Title IX violation in a variety of different ways. An individual can file a report with the Title IX coordinator, or discuss an incident with a teacher, school administrator or other employee.

In other cases, a student, parent, or other individual can contact other appropriate school employee, such as a principal, campus security, bus driver, teacher, affirmative action officer, or staff in the office of student affairs, or other school employee.

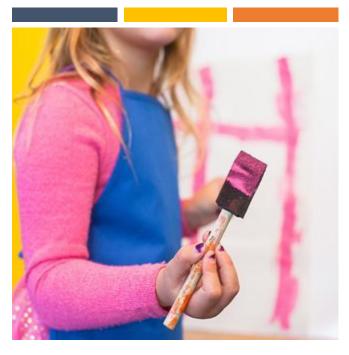
Individuals can also report potential violations in-person, or by written complaint, by filing an online report or by telephone. Do note, reports can be filed anonymously.

Can you file an appeal on a Title IX decision?

Yes, in many cases schools typically allow individuals to appeal Title IX outcomes on certain grounds. To find out more information about this process contact your Title IX Coordinator.

Why does a focus on prevention matter?

A strong emphasis on mandatory training for all school employees and creating a positive school climate and culture can help encourage individuals to come forward and report any inappropriate or challenging behavior.



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State and Federal Resources

If an individual believes they have experienced discrimination the <u>Commission on Human Rights and</u> <u>Opportunities</u> (CHRO) will investigate their claim free of charge.

Title IX Coordinator

To find your Title IX Coordinator click here. Click the following link: <u>EdSight</u> <u>Home Page (ct.gov)</u>

- 1. Select "Overview"
- 2. Select "find contact", which is located under the General Information Tab
- 3. Select "role" and click on Title IX LEA Coordinator