5 CIPA violations

in your district's Google Workspace & Microsoft 365 domains

Do you really know what content is stored in your cloud environment?

School-provided services like Google Workspace and Microsoft 365 are often overlooked, despite frequently being littered with inappropriate content. Now that CIPA – the Children's Internet Protection Act – could include everything stored in your cloud services, remaining compliant is more difficult than ever before.

When you consider the volume of data circulating around your district, it's no wonder why.

To help you stay CIPA compliant, here are five potential violations that are putting your school district at risk.

1 EXPLICIT CONTENT:

Content that contains pictures, obscene images, or files that appeal to sex, nudity, excretion or lacks legitimate educational value exists in nearly every district's Google/Microsoft apps.

2 UNLAWFUL CONTENT:

Be sure your students and staff are using the cloud for lawful activities and not sharing illegal content, such as child pornography or pirated movies.
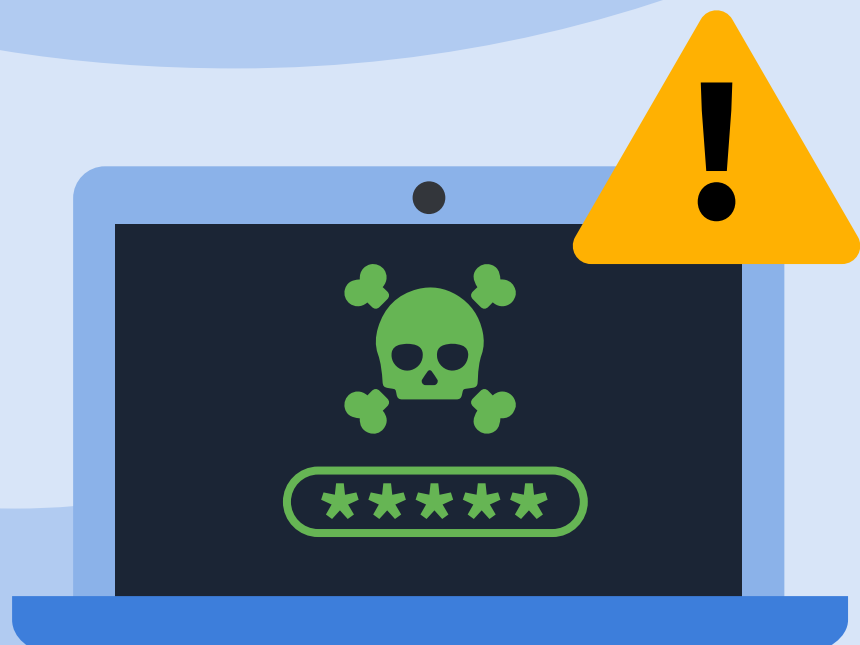
3 VIOLENT CONTENT:

Your cloud environment may contain graphically violent imagery and signs of self-harm or cyberbullying.

4 UNAUTHORIZED ACCESS:

Minors may be unlawfully accessing or "hacking" unauthorized material and data in your district's cloud storage.

5 UNAUTHORIZED DISCLOSURE:

Without proper security monitoring and control, a minor's personal information will accidentally or maliciously be exposed outside the school district.

If the cloud has taught us anything, it's that even the most valuable educational assets have their risks. With so many ways your school district can violate CIPA in Google Workspace and Microsoft 365, you need a way to mitigate risk, monitor activity, and maintain compliance.

At ManagedMethods, we give you more than a fighting chance. We provide a user-friendly, out-of-the-box cloud security platform that allows you to monitor for violations, automate tasks, investigate incidents, and protect your students from harmful content.

And the best part? You can try it free for 30 days – no commitment necessary. **Request your demo today.**

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