

Policy 2004: Prohibited Use of File Sharing Programs

Policy Statement:

The use of file sharing programs on GMC computers and networks is prohibited.

General:

The use of file sharing programs creates a significant security risk by making it easier for ‘hackers’ and ‘virus peddlers’ to penetrate GMC security systems.

As well, the use of file sharing programs may be illegal when used to copy software, music, and other copyright-protected materials.

Individual violators may be held accountable for any fines charged to Georgia Military College for the violation of copyright laws.

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