

Additional Resources

[Educator Toolkit for Teacher and Student Privacy: A Practical Guide for Protecting Personal Data](#)

Parent Coalition for Student Privacy, in partnership with the Badass Teachers Association
October 2018

From the introduction: “This toolkit complements the [Parent Toolkit for Student Privacy](#), released in 2017 with the Campaign for a Commercial-Free Childhood. The educator toolkit is a comprehensive guide to help teachers understand the increased threats to education-related data made worse by the rapid adoption of education technology. It is designed to support their efforts to become responsible digital citizens by providing strategies and best practices to minimize the disclosure of personal data and protect the privacy of their students as well as their own.”

[Personalized Learning and the Digital Privatization of Curriculum and Teaching](#)

Faith Boninger, Alex Molnar, and Christopher Saldana, National Education Policy Center
April 30, 2019

From the introduction: “Personalized learning programs are proliferating in schools across the United States, fueled by philanthropic dollars, tech industry lobbying, marketing by third-party vendors, and a policy environment that provides little guidance and few constraints. In this research brief, the authors consider how we got to this point. Beginning with an examination of the history of personalized learning and the key assumptions made by its proponents, they review the research evidence and reflect on the roles and possible impacts of the digital technologies deployed by many programs.”

[Outsourcing the Classroom to Ed Tech and Machine-Learning: Why parents and teachers should resist,](#)

Leonie Haimson of the Parent Coalition for Student Privacy
October 2018

Overview: This PowerPoint provides a comprehensive overview of edtech that can be used in teacher and/or parent/teacher presentations.

[Online Learning: What every parent should know](#)

Network for Public Education
March 2018

From the introduction: “The 18-page guide is a parent-friendly review of the research on virtual schools, online courses, blended learning and behavior management apps. It also includes a discussion of the student privacy issues that arise when highly sensitive personal student data is collected by online programs and then distributed to third-party vendors without parent knowledge or consent.”