



Proposed Endorsement of Educator Technology Standards

The Commission endorses the International Society for Technology in Education (ISTE) Standards for Educators to replace the existing Connecticut standards, last updated in 2003. This new standard set results from years of research and development from learning scientists and educators worldwide, with input from Connecticut teachers through sessions facilitated by the Commission. The ISTE Standards do not represent an exhaustive "checklist" of skills as an endpoint but more as a framework that supports and complements other standard sets, including the ISTE Student Standards, previously endorsed by the Commission, as well as the Connecticut Core Standards.

Endorsement of these standards represents a milestone within the Commission's five-year Goals and Plan to refresh and support the application of technology standards for students, educators, and administrators. As part of this work, the Commission is working with educational leaders and organizations to integrate the technology proficiency standards into teaching, learning, and leading in schools.

The full ISTE Educator Standards and supporting materials are available online at

www.iste.org/standards/standards/for-educators

