

Bridgepoint Education Social Media Terms of Use & Community Guidelines

Terms of Use

These Terms of Use pertain to Bridgepoint Education's social media accounts, pages, and any other instances ("sites"), including but not limited to Facebook, Twitter, LinkedIn, YouTube, Google+, Pinterest, Instagram, and any future social media sites. By accessing Bridgepoint Education's social media sites, you agree to be bound by and comply with these terms, all applicable laws, and regulations, and any other applicable policies, terms, and guidelines and existing agreements established by Bridgepoint Education, as well as those of any third parties that host our social media sites, regardless of whether you have actually read them.

In addition to the following legal terms, when using Bridgepoint Education's social media sites, we expect you to be respectful of your fellow community members. Every post should make a constructive contribution to the community and should be suitable for all users. The community is open to all points of view on Bridgepoint-related topics. Mature, polite debate is encouraged. Always interact with other users respectfully, as you would in any professional setting.

While we welcome your participation in Bridgepoint Education's social media sites, we reserve the right to screen and remove any posts deemed inappropriate, including, but not limited to the following:

Spam: Comments focused on selling a product or service, or comments posted for a purpose of driving traffic to a particular website for personal, political, or monetary gain.

Libel: False statements that could potentially damage an individual's or organization's reputation.

Personal Attacks: Comments that could reasonably be viewed as malicious, obscene, threatening or intimidating, that disparage students, co-workers, or other individuals, or that might constitute harassment or bullying. Additional examples include comments meant to intentionally harm someone's reputation or posts that could contribute to a hostile work environment on the basis of race, sex, disability, religion, or any other status protected by law or company policy.

Illegal: Posts must not violate any local, state, or federal laws.

Offensive Language: Comments including, but not limited to, profane or provocative language or that contain threatening, hateful, offensive, derogatory, obscene, or sexually explicit language.

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URLs or HTML. Please use only plain text when submitting your comments.

Posts from individuals under the age of 13 cannot be accepted.

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Endorsements

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Privacy

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Bridgepoint Education reserves the right to change these Terms at any time at its sole discretion.