

Privacy Policy

The Education Connection (TEC) strongly believes in protecting the integrity and privacy of personal information gathered from our members and from visitors to our websites. Because protecting your privacy is of great importance to us, we have created this privacy policy to communicate our practices regarding the collection and dissemination of personal information that can be linked to a specific individual, such as a name, address, phone number, e-mail address, or any other information provided to us by our members and by visitors to our websites.

These policies do not extend to external sites linked to our website or other non-TEC website content. Please check with these companies and sites for their policies regarding data privacy, including the use of “cookies.”

Why does TEC ask for my information?

In order to participate in some activities, you might be asked to provide some personal information. This could be in connection with any one or combination of the following:

- Receiving informational and safety messages
- Registering for TEC’s customers’ classes
- Participating in surveys
- Subscribing to TEC’s customers’ newsletters

What information does TEC collect?

We do not collect personal information from our visitors other than that which is supplied to us on a voluntary basis.

How does TEC use the information gathered from the above sources?

We use your information to send you details about our announcements, events, and activities; local volunteer opportunities and alerts.

TEC also uses information gathered via our websites to improve our customers’ communication with their community and conduct their

mission. TEC performs statistical analyses of aggregate user behavior and characteristics in order to measure interest in and use of various areas on our websites and to use such information to improve our websites' ability to serve you.

Does TEC use “cookies” on its websites?

TEC may use “cookies” and pixels on some webpages. A cookie is a small piece of data that is stored on a visitor's hard drive but does not contain any personal information itself. Cookies enhance a visitor's experience by preventing the visitor from having to log in or provide information each time he or she revisits a TEC webpage and by customizing content based on a visitor's interests. Pixels, often used in connection with cookies, are small blocks of code on webpages that perform functions such as allowing another server to measure viewing statistics for a webpage. Visitors can configure their browsers to refuse cookies or to be alerted when a site is attempting to send a cookie, although some TEC pages may not function properly without accepting cookies.

How is information used in TEC e-mails?

If you provide TEC with your e-mail address, you will be signed up to start receiving e-mails from TEC. You can unsubscribe from any or all TEC e-mail lists at any time by e-mailing stopemail@TEC911.net. The information that we gather from subscribers, including their e-mail addresses, is not shared with non-TEC-affiliated organizations or companies. From time to time, we may send out e-mail messages that might include information about these like-minded organizations and companies, but we do not provide them with access to any personal information that you have provided.

In order to provide you with better and more relevant information, we compile information about e-mail response and website usage. This information helps us to understand site usage patterns as well as find what types of content and information may help improve your user experience on TEC's websites.

If you have any questions about TEC texts, phone calls, or emails, please e-mail privacypolicy@TEC911.net.

How does TEC protect my information?

TEC is extremely protective of the information gathered through its website. Our websites have security measures in place to protect against the loss, misuse, or alteration of the information under our control. Our Web server is located in a locked, secure environment.

Does TEC rent, sell, or trade my information?

TEC will not rent, sell or trade the information you provide on our website. Users who have been assigned administrative privileges by TEC have access to all registered user information. TEC may integrate third party features or permit third party partners to collect Personal Information in order to provide a service, such as alerts, notifications, content providers, or educational partners.

Please be aware that your personal information may be transferred to U.S.-based third party service providers that we engage to support our activities. We take reasonable measures to ensure that any personal information collected, used, disclosed, or otherwise processed by us or by these service providers on our behalf is protected and not used or disclosed for purposes other than as directed by us, subject to applicable federal legal requirements, such as, for example, lawful requirements to disclose personal information to government authorities.

Additional questions?

If you have any questions about our privacy policy, the information that we have collected from you online, the practices of this site, or your interaction with this website, please e-mail privacypolicy@TEC911.net.

You can also reach us via postal mail at:

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