K-12 Cybersecurity 101 Risk Management
Live and Virtual Trainings by Request

The Readiness and Emergency Management for Schools (REMS) Technical Assistance (TA) Center, in partnership with the U.S. Department of Education, Office of Safe and Supportive Schools, is pleased to offer the K-12 *Cybersecurity 101 Risk Management* training topic in the Train-the-Trainer format. Available through the Live Trainings by Request and Virtual Trainings by Request programs, this training provides basic strategies that enhance cybersecurity planning in a K-12 school setting and can be delivered in person or virtually. For each training modality, the REMS TA Center will provide — free of charge — training materials, as well as one or more live subject matter expert trainers and staff support for the event hosted at your site or online.

Live Training by Request
Facilitated on-site at your school, school district, or education agency

Virtual Training by Request
Delivered online through a videoconference platform

Learn how school computer networks and systems are vulnerable to cyber threats and how to prepare for and manage them. During the spring of 2022, 33 percent of public schools offered full-time remote instruction, and in June 2022, 10 percent of public schools offered hybrid instruction to students, according to the National Center for Education Statistics. As remote and hybrid instruction increase, and technology systems become more integrated, school leaders must be aware of cybersecurity risks and the strategies that enhance cybersecurity planning. This training covers how to develop a cyber incident response plan and how it can be integrated into school emergency operations plans via a Cyber Annex. Below, you will find information about each synchronous training format.

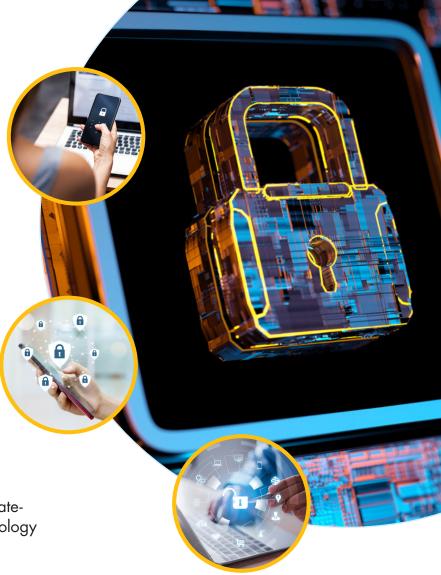|	Live Training by Request	Virtual Training by Request
Duration	4 hours	2 hours
Number of participants	25 minimum 100 maximum	25 minimum 475 maximum

TRAINING OBJECTIVES

During this course, participants will

- Understand common cyber threats facing K-12 schools and school districts;
- Discuss case studies that explain the steps educational leaders must take to support cyber resilience;
- Review tested prevention, response, and recovery strategies that can be used by their agency to help ensure cybersecurity; and
- Identify key cyber partners for developing policies and procedures.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

- School district and school administrators, educators, and staff;
- Information technology staff;
- Members of an EOP planning team; and
- Community partners such as regional and state-level entities who support schools with technology management.

NEXT STEPS

APPLY

Complete and submit the Training by Request Host Site Application form to info@remstacenter.org at least 45 days prior to the requested training date. You will receive an email notification acknowledging receipt of the application within 3 days of applying. If you do not receive this, please contact the Help Desk at (855) 781-7367 [REMS] or info@remstacenter.org.

AWAIT CONFIRMATION

The REMS TA Center and the U.S. Department of Education review the application. If it is approved, we will send an email with documents attached, including a Host Site Agreement and Planning Checklist. If the application is not approved, we will send an email with instructions for resubmittal.