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27 in grades 5 and 6. Each school district shall incorporate
28 instruction on the responsible use of social media into the
29 curriculum for students in grade 5 and shall incorporate a
30 review of that material into the social studies curriculum for
31 students in grade 6. The instruction must provide students with
32 information on the purpose and acceptable use of various social
33 media platforms; social media behavior that ensures cybersafety,
34 cybersecurity, and cyberethics; and the potential negative
35 consequences, including cyberbullying, of failing to use various
36 social media platforms responsibly. The Commissioner of
37 Education shall provide school districts with sample learning
38 activities and resources designed to promote the responsible use
39 of social media.

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41 The State Board of Education is encouraged to adopt standards
42 and pursue assessment of the requirements of this subsection.

43 Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2016.