

I am writing to encourage the Federal Communications Commission to maintain Net Neutrality. Network throttling and bottlenecking was something ISPs promised they would not do to customers initially. It has now grown to be a common practice. If we further allow them to control it, we are going to throttle access, particularly for consumers from lower socio-economic levels. As a teacher at a Career and Technical High School we use the Internet extensively in the classroom, in fact AS our classroom for much of the program. Many of my students are low income and already struggle to afford Internet access from home. Are we going to further burden those kids' families with lower speeds and potentially price them out of being able to afford this essential utility? A student with no access to Internet would not be successful in my program. An adult looking for a job would not be successful without Internet. Most of us would struggle without adequate access to Internet...it's not all kitten videos and porn.

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