

# TECHNOLOGY/INTERNET USE AGREEMENT

We are very pleased we can offer a computer lab with internet access to our students. In order to ensure that every student will benefit from time spent in computer class, it is important that everyone understands and complies with appropriate use of computer/technology resources.

Use of these resources is a privilege which may be revoked by the school at any time and for any appropriate reason. The school reserves the right to remove files, limit or deny access and refer the student for other disciplinary action at its discretion. The school reserves the right to seek financial restitution for any damage caused by a student or other user.

As a computer user, I agree to follow the following rules:

1. The computer lab is like every other classroom and, therefore, regular class rules apply.
2. I will NOT attempt to use any software that has not been approved by the instructor.
3. I will NOT attempt to load my own software or files onto any lab computer without instructor permission.
4. I will NOT intentionally vandalize any hardware or modify any system settings.
5. I will use only the assigned workstation computers and will NOT attempt access to any unauthorized machines.
6. I will NOT use my computer privileges to disrupt the privileges of other users.
7. I will NOT copy, change, read or use files or software without prior permission from that user.
8. I will NOT misrepresent other users on the computers.
9. When on the Internet, I will NOT reveal any personal information about myself OR anyone else (including other students, teachers or administrators) to anyone on the Internet.
10. When on the Internet, I will NOT send messages that contain profanity, discussion of illegal activity, or other inappropriate content.
11. When on the Internet, I will NOT under any circumstances, purchase any goods and/or services via the Internet. In the event that I do so, all purchases made via the Internet become my personal financial obligation.
12. When on the Internet, I will NOT download, upload or otherwise gain access to any unauthorized material.
13. I will NOT utilize the Internet for the purpose of conducting any activities other than those which are specified by the instructor. This includes but is not limited to visiting websites that are not instructor approved, intentionally choosing inappropriate links, and/or any other inappropriate or non-academic activities.

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*Please retain the above for your reference and return the bottom portion to your child's teacher.*

## STUDENT:

I understand and will abide by this Technology/Internet Use Agreement. I further understand that any violation of these regulations is unethical and may constitute a criminal offense. Should I commit any violation, my access privileges may be revoked, school disciplinary action may be taken and/or appropriate legal action initiated.

STUDENT NAME (please print) \_\_\_\_\_

STUDENT SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

## PARENT/GUARDIAN:

As the parent/guardian of this student, I have read the Technology/Internet Use Agreement. I understand that computer use is designed for educational purposes. Furthermore, I accept full responsibility for the actions of my child's use of computer/technology resources. I hereby give permission for my child to use the school's technology resources and certify that I have reviewed the above information with my child.

PARENT/GUARDIAN (please print) \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_