



Acceptable Use of the Internet Agreement

All pupils use computer facilities including Internet access as an essential part of learning, as required by the National Curriculum. Both pupils and their parents/carers are asked to sign below to show that our ICT Safety rules have been understood and agreed.

Pupil Agreement:

- The school has installed computers which are connected to the Internet to help our learning.
- There are times when I will access the 'World Wide Web'
- I will ask permission before using the internet.
- I will only use websites that an adult has chosen.
- I will not use the computer for anything else unless my teacher gives me permission first.
- I will use the computers only for work set by my teacher or for activities in 'Computer Club'
- I will immediately tell an adult and turn off my monitor, if I see any webpage I am uncomfortable with.
- When using 'Electronic Mail' I will not tell anyone my password or let them use it
- I will only e-mail people an adult has approved and write to them in a polite and friendly manner.
- I will not open e-mails sent by anyone I don't know.
- I will do my best to look after the computers and will tell my teacher if anything goes wrong
- I will not bring games programs or files from home unless my teacher gives me permission.

My first name is..... My Surname is.....

Parent or Guardian

- The school has installed ICT equipment (computers which are connected to the internet) to help with your child's learning. The Internet Service Provider used by our school provides a continually updated, filtered service to attempt to ensure only acceptable Internet sites are available.
- Your child's teacher will only set ICT work which is related to the curriculum and which will benefit their learning.

- Your child may wish to make use of the computers during 'Computer Club'. This activity is supervised.
- In addition your child may make use of the other ICT equipment but only with the approval of a member of staff and only under supervision.
- We encourage you to contact the school if you have any concerns regarding your child's use of our ICT provision.
- Portable storage devices (DVD's Memory Sticks etc.) from home, cannot be used in school due to virus and licensing implications.
- Occasionally digital images containing children and/or their work will be taken. Permission will be sought before these are stored or used in school. The computers in school can only be accessed through username and password.
- Our school website may occasionally have children's work, or images of them working, but children will not be named.

In addition staff will:

- Supervise children using the internet at all times.
- Check that the sites pre-selected for pupils use are appropriate to the age and maturity of pupils.
- Are extra vigilant when pupils are undertaking their own research and check that pupils are following the agreed search plan.

For our records please sign and date the cut off section below and return it to school as soon as possible.

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Parent Declaration

I have read the schools policy for pupil use of ICT and agree to allow my child to use the resources for the purpose described.

Parent/Guardian of

Signature.....

Date