



Information and Communications Technology Acceptable Use of Internet Agreement – KS2

Pupil Agreement

When I am at school, I understand I must use the school systems and technology responsibly.
I will make sure that my actions keep me and others safe, and protect the school's computers, network, and users.

When I am in school:

- Devices: I will not bring a mobile phone, smartwatch, or any personal device to school.
- If I am in Year 5 or 6 and need a phone for my journey to and from school, I will hand it to my teacher switched off before school starts and collect it at the end of the day.
- Permission: I will only use computers, tablets, or the internet when I have permission and an adult is present.
- Responsible use: I will not use devices in school inappropriately, including for playing games, accessing unsuitable content, or sending unkind messages.
- Passwords: I will keep my username and password private and not use anyone else's login details.

Online behaviour:

- I will use the internet to learn and create positive content.
- I will not try to visit unsuitable or unsafe websites.
- I will not send or share unkind, rude, or bullying messages.

Online safety:

- I understand that people online may not always be who they say they are.
- I will never share personal information (like my full name, address, school name, phone number, or photos) without permission.
- I will not arrange to meet anyone I have met online.

Reporting:

- If I see or hear anything online that worries, upsets, or confuses me, I will tell a teacher or trusted adult straight away.
- When I am outside school:
- I understand that the agreements I make in school also apply at home and anywhere I go online.

Social Media:

I will not use social media sites or apps that are not age-appropriate, such as TikTok, Snapchat, WhatsApp, Instagram, Facebook, or YouTube

(all 13+).

Messaging:

- I will only message or chat with people I know in real life or who my parents/carers have approved.
- I will make sure my messages are kind, respectful, and sensible.

Privacy and Safety:

- I will not share personal information (like my full name, address, school, or phone number) without my parent/carer's permission.
- I will not share or post pictures or videos of other children without their permission and the permission of their parent/carer.

Reporting:

If something happens online that makes me feel uncomfortable, sad, or unsafe, I will talk to my parent/carer or a trusted adult immediately.

I understand that:

These rules are here to help keep everyone safe.

If I break these rules, I may lose my technology or internet privileges at school.

Pupil's Name (please print)

Pupil's signature

Class

Date

Adults in school and at home will help me learn how to stay safe and kind online.

Parent/Carer Agreement

As the parent or legal guardian of the pupil signing the attached agreement, I understand that my child will use the internet and school technology under supervision. I give permission for my child to access these resources at school, in accordance with the school's Acceptable Use Agreement.

I understand and agree to the following responsibilities:

- I have read and discussed the school's pupil online safety and acceptable use rules with my child.
- I understand that the school will take all reasonable precautions to ensure my child is safe online, including monitoring and filtering systems.
- I understand that the school cannot ultimately be held responsible for the nature of content accessed

via the internet or personal devices, including material on social media or gaming platforms.

- I understand that the school's ability to manage issues arising from personal devices, social media accounts, or apps used outside school is limited, and that parents/carers remain primarily responsible for supervising their child's activity in these areas.
- I will support and encourage my child to adopt safe, responsible, and respectful use of the internet and digital devices at home.
- I understand that allowing my child to play online or computer games that are not age-appropriate (PEGI rating) may be considered a safeguarding issue, and the school may be obliged to take action.
- I will not allow my child to hold a social media account on any site that is not age-appropriate (for example: Facebook, WhatsApp, Instagram, Snapchat, YouTube, TikTok).
- I understand that I may take photos or videos of my child at school events for personal use, in line with guidance from the Information Commissioner's Office.
- I will not publish or share images or videos publicly on social media.
- I will respect the privacy of other children, and will not share images or comment on other pupils.

Parental Commitment:

- I will work in partnership with the school to ensure my child uses the internet safely, responsibly, and respectfully.
- I understand that the school's responsibility is limited outside of school hours and cannot control or monitor personal devices or social media use, and I will take primary responsibility for my child's online safety in these contexts.
- I will regularly discuss online safety with my child and encourage them to follow the school's rules at all times.

Parent/Carer's Name (please print)

Parent/Carer's signature

Date