

Immaculate Conception Regional School  
Technology Policy

**Purpose:**

The goal of technology education is to ensure that all students have the computer and multimedia skills needed to support their academic work and to provide a strong foundation for future technology use.

**Students and Staff are responsible for appropriate behavior when using ICRS technology or any technology that could affect the ICRS community.**

Improper uses of School Technology Resources that are prohibited include, but are not limited to:

1. Violating students' rights to privacy/confidentiality.
2. Attempting any unauthorized access to any computer system.
3. Downloading unacceptable materials.
4. Re-posting personal communication without the author's prior consent.
5. Violating copyright law.
6. Using the school's technology resources for financial gain, credit card fraud, electronic forgery, other illegal activity and for political purposes.
7. Downloading, installing or storing software on a school computer without the approval of appropriate personnel.
8. Changing or attempting to alter any configuration, program, password on any computer system.
9. Using a school computer without knowledge/approval of school personnel responsible for the computer.
10. Using inappropriate language, pictures, gestures in any form on the Internet.
11. Harassing, insulting, bullying or attacking others.
12. Posting, sending or storing information online that could endanger others.
13. Attaching unauthorized equipment to the ICRS network.

Violations of the use policy may result in a loss of access as well as other disciplinary or legal action.

## INTERNET/NETWORK USE AGREEMENT

I understand that use of school network services, including Internet access, is a privilege, not a right. After reading the ICRS technology policy, **I understand and will abide by the Use Guidelines.** I also understand that my failure to comply with the above guidelines may result in loss of my network privileges as well as more serious disciplinary and/or legal action.

Date     \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_

Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

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## PARENT OR GUARDIAN PERMISSION

As the parent or legal guardian of the minor student(s) signing above, **I have read and understand the ICRS technology policy.** I also understand that computer access is designed only for educational purposes and that school personnel will make every effort to properly supervise my child's use of network services. I understand that since it is technically impossible for ICRS to restrict access to ALL controversial materials; I will not hold the school responsible for any materials acquired on the network. I hereby give permission for my child to have individual Internet access. Finally, I understand that my if child posts any content that harasses, bullies, or intimidates others at ICRS, even if this was posted off-campus or from technology not owned by ICRS, school disciplinary and/or legal action will be taken.

Parent Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date     \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_