

Student Network Responsibility Contract – 2023-2024

Network access will not be allowed until this document is signed and dated by parent and student and returned to the school site secretary.

Please read the following carefully before signing this document.

Sierra-Plumas Joint Unified School District's technology network(s) provide access to the internet and various Local Area Networks (LANS). The internet is an electronic information and communications "highway" connecting millions of computers and devices world-wide and millions of individual people. Sierra-Plumas Joint Unified School District telecommunications (internet) systems shall be used for specific education purposes and are not intended for indiscriminate use by the general public.

As an educational-based system the following activities are not permitted:

- 1. Criminal speech – such as threats to the President, instructions on breaking into computer systems, child pornography, drug dealing, purchase of alcohol, gang activities, or any other activity that would not be legal if done in person, or by any other means of communication.**
- 2. Inappropriate speech in an educational setting, or that which violates District rules/policies.**
- 3. Inappropriate language – obscene, profane, lewd, rude, disrespectful, threatening, or inflammatory language, harassment; personal attacks; including prejudicial or discriminatory attacks; or false or defamatory material about a person or organization.**
- 4. Intentional visitation of inappropriate, unapproved, pornographic and/or illegal websites.**
- 5. Information that, if acted upon, could cause damage or present a danger or disruption.**
- 6. Privacy and personal safety violations – revealing personal contact information about self and/or others.**
- 7. Abuse of resources – chain letters, "spamming". Spamming is sending an annoying or unnecessary message to a large number of people.**
- 8. Infringement of copyright or plagiarism.**
- 9. Use District equipment, software or network access to sell products or services for personal gain or profit.**
- 10. Compromising security and/or operating integrity of the system prohibited. No personal equipment will be connected to any District technology equipment. Circumventing the web filter is not allowed.**
- 11. The use of online chat or ICQ services unless as a condition of class participation.**
- 12. Any computer use is subject to monitoring or analysis at any time to maintain adherence to this policy.**
- 13. Email: The use of email will be restricted to staff and administrative personnel. Student use will only be provided for coursework and or school projects and provided at the discrimination of the local site administrator and policy.**

I UNDERSTAND #1-13 ABOVE. I UNDERSTAND THAT ACCOUNTS AND PASSWORDS ARE ASSIGNED TO INDIVIDUAL STUDENTS. I UNDERSTAND THAT IF I GIVE ANOTHER STUDENT MY PASSWORD OR ALLOW ANOTHER STUDENT ACCESS TO MY ACCOUNT, I AND THE OTHER STUDENT WILL LOSE ALL RIGHTS TO SCHOOL DISTRICT COMPUTERS.

Print Name of Student

Student Signature

Date

I have read the above definition and prohibitions and agree to discuss them with my child. I also agree that I will not hold the Sierra-Plumas Joint Unified School District responsible for student violation of this agreement or home usage of the Internet.

Print Parent/Guardian Name

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date