

**RESPONSIBLE USE OF THE INTERNET**

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| <b>Child's Name</b> |  | <b>Year Group</b> |  |
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All pupils now have access to the Internet during lessons. The Internet is via a filtered and protected system that restricts access to 'safe' Internet content. No filter system is 100% effective for all circumstances and therefore staff and pupils understand how to report any content that is a cause for concern.

Please read the 'Rules for Internet use' then sign to allow your child to have Internet access. If we do not gain a signature, the pupil will not be granted Internet access at this school.

**Rules for Internet Use**

- I will only use the system with my own login and password
- I will use the computer only as directed by staff in school
- I will not bring in memory devices from outside of school
- I will ask permission from a member of staff before using the Internet
- I will only email people I know or my teacher has approved
- The messages I send will be polite and responsible
- I understand cyber-bullying is as unacceptable as any other type of bullying
- I will not give my home address or telephone number or arrange to meet someone
- I will report any unsuitable material or message sent to me. I understand my report will be confidential and would help protect other children and myself
- I understand the school may check my computer files and monitor the Internet sites I visit.

**PUPIL**

- I understand that my parents/ carers will be informed if I misuse the Internet
- I have read the 'Rules of Internet use' and agree to it
- If I do not understand any part of the rules and how they apply to me, I will ask a member of staff

Signed: ..... Date: .....

*(Parents of children in Reception and Y1 may sign on behalf of their child confirming they have discussed these rules at an appropriate level)*

**PARENT/CARER**

- I have read and understand the Rules for Internet Use
- I give permission for my child to use the internet
- I understand if he/she fails to follow the Rules for Internet Use, sanctions may apply, including having their account suspended and not being able to use the internet in future.

Signed: ..... Date: .....