

San Bruno Park School District
STUDENT INTERNET USE AGREEMENT
PRIMARY GRADES

The school district believes in the educational value of the Internet, including electronic mail, and believes that it can extend and enrich student learning. The goal in providing this service is to provide greater access to information and improve communication.

The smooth operation of the Internet depends upon the proper conduct of the user who must follow strict guidelines. These rules are provided here so that you are aware of your responsibilities.

In general, this requires proper and legal use of the network. If a student does not follow the rules, future use may be denied and you will be subject to disciplinary or legal action.

Internet Contract: Terms and Conditions

1. **Acceptable Use** - The use of the Internet must be for education and match the purpose of the class activity. You will be responsible for using the Internet properly and reporting any misuse.
2. **Unacceptable Use** – Use or sending of any material that is a violation of state or federal laws is prohibited. This includes use of sexual language, obscene material, and threatening or harassing others.
3. **Privileges** - The use of the Internet is a privilege, and unacceptable use will result in cancellation of those privileges.
4. **Network Etiquette** - You are expected to follow the generally accepted rules of network etiquette. These include (but are not limited to) the following:
 - a. Be polite, courteous, and respectful in all communications
 - b. Use appropriate language at all times
 - c. Do not reveal the address or phone number of other students
 - d. Report improper e-mail messages to the teacher
 - e. Do not use the network in such a way that it disrupts other users
 - f. Respect others' privacy; use of the Internet is a personal activity
5. **Security** - Do not use another student's Internet address. School officials may review computer use to ensure users are acting responsibly.
6. **Vandalism** - Vandalism is any attempt to harm or destroy the data of another user or information that is connected to the system. This includes the creation of computer viruses.
7. **Responsibility** - The District will not be responsible for any damages a user may suffer, including loss of data. Use of any information obtained through the Internet is at your own risk.
8. **Consequences for Misuse** - Any student violating these rules is subject to loss of Internet privileges and other disciplinary or legal action.

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EDUCATIONAL INTERNET USE: CONTRACT AGREEMENT

Student Section of Contract

I understand that the school district will provide me access to the Internet for educational purposes. I agree that I will use the Internet only for those purposes. Internet access is a privilege, not a right. I understand that my access will be withheld if I abuse the privilege, violate the District's Internet Use Policy, violate the rules of network etiquette, or engage in any prohibited activity. This includes use of sexual language, obscene material, or threatening or harassing others. I understand that if I commit any violation of the Student Internet Use Agreement, I may be subject to disciplinary or legal action.

Student Name (please print) _____

Student Signature: _____

Date: _____

Parent /Guardian Section of Contract

As the parent or guardian of this student, I have read the terms and conditions for Internet access. I understand that this access is designed for educational purposes. I also recognize it is impossible for the District to restrict access to all controversial materials, and I will not hold the District responsible for materials acquired by my child on the Internet.

Misuse can come in many forms, but can be viewed as any electronic messages sent or received that indicate or suggest sexual content, obscene material, or use of inappropriate language. I understand that pornography, racism, sexism, and threatening or harassing others is expressly forbidden. I hereby give my permission for my child to have access to the school Internet and accept responsibility for setting and conveying standards for my child to follow when using school Internet services.

Parent/Guardian (please print) _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____