



RAVENSTHORPE DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL
INTERNET / EMAIL USER AGREEMENT
Agreement to be signed by the student and parent.

Student Agreement

I agree to use the Internet and email at our school in a responsible manner for purposes stated by my teacher.

If I find myself in unsuitable locations I will immediately click on the home or back button and inform my teacher.

When I use technology, both at school and at home I have responsibilities and rules to follow. I agree to:

- be a safe user whenever and wherever I use that technology.
- be responsible whenever and wherever I use technology and support others by being respectful in how I talk to and work with them and never write or participate in online bullying. This includes forwarding messages and supporting others in harmful, inappropriate or hurtful online behaviour.
- report to an adult if I feel unsafe or uncomfortable online or see a friend being unsafe or being made to feel uncomfortable by others.

When at school I agree to:

- behave in the manner outlined in the schools' Code of Conduct when online
- keep myself and my friends safe by not giving out personal details including full names, telephone numbers, addresses and images and protecting my password
- use the technology at school for learning, use the equipment properly and not interfere with the work or data of another student
- not bring or download unauthorised programs or files
- not go looking for rude or offensive sites
- use an 'online name' and avatar when sharing my work online.
- remember that the content on the web is someone's property and ask my teacher / parent to help me get permission if I want to use information or pictures
- think carefully about what I read on the Internet, question if it is from a reliable source and use the information to help me answer any questions (I should not copy and paste the information as my answer).
- talk to my teacher or another adult if:
 - I need help online
 - I am not sure what I should be doing on the internet
 - I come across sites which are not suitable
 - someone writes something I do not like, or makes me and my friends feel uncomfortable, or asks me to provide information that I know is private
 - I feel that the welfare of other students at the school are being threatened.

Mobile phones, iPods or other mobile devices are not to be brought to school, or on excursions.

Mobile devices brought to school are to be handed into the school office on arrival.

I acknowledge and agree to follow these rules. I understand that my access to the Internet will be renegotiated if I do not act responsibly.

Student Name:.....

Student Signature:.....

<p>Parent Agreement</p> <p>I agree to my child using the Internet at school for educational purposes in accordance with the Student Agreement above.</p> <p>I understand the school will provide adequate supervision and that steps have been taken to minimise risk of exposure to unsuitable material.</p> <p>Mobile phones and other mobile devices will be held at the office for parents to collect if a student chooses to bring them to school.</p> <p>I do/do not consent to my child having their first name published on the school's Internet site.</p> <p>I do/do not consent to my child having their picture published on the school's Internet site.</p> <p>I do/do not consent to my child corresponding with others, using email.</p> <p>Parent/Guardian Signature: _____</p> <p>Parent/Guardian Name: _____</p>
