

## Internet Use Policy

These Terms and Conditions for use of the Scholar Network and Internet govern scholars' access to the Internet and Technology Resources at school. These terms may be updated from time to time by ACE Prep Academy and will be posted on the ACE Prep Website. Notification of an update will be made by ClassTag.

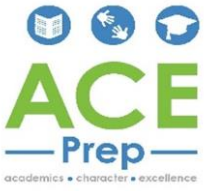
***Use of the Internet is a privilege, not a right. ACE Prep Academy's Internet connection is provided for educational and school purposes only. Unauthorized or inappropriate use will result in a cancellation of this privilege.***

ACE Prep has implemented technology protection measures that are designed to protect against (e.g., block or filter) Internet access to visual displays, depictions, and materials that are obscene, pornographic, or harmful to minors. ACE Prep Academy also monitors the online activity of scholars in an effort to restrict access to child pornography and other material that is obscene, objectionable, inappropriate, or otherwise potentially harmful to minors. Nevertheless, no such efforts are 100% perfect, and parents/guardians are advised there is a risk that determined users may be able to gain access to information, communication, and/or services on the Internet that is not authorized for educational purposes or that they or parents/guardians may find inappropriate offensive or objectionable. Parents/Guardians assume this risk by consenting to allow their scholars to participate in the use of the Internet through ACE Prep Academy's computers and scholar internet network. Scholars accessing the Internet through the school's Technology Resources assume personal responsibility and liability, both civil and criminal, for unauthorized or inappropriate use of the Internet.

Scholars have no expectation of privacy in their use of ACE Prep Academy's Technology Resources. ACE Prep Academy has the right, at any time, to access, monitor, review, inspect, read, copy, store, quarantine, or delete any directories, files, and messages stored on or sent or accessed using ACE Prep Academy's Technology Resources. Messages relating to or in support of illegal activities will be reported to the appropriate authorities.

Unacceptable Use. Unacceptable use of ACE Prep Academy's Technology Resources is prohibited. Scholars shall not use the Technology Resources including access to the internet, intranet, collaboration tools, bulk communication tools, social media, or email to use, upload, post, mail, display, store, or otherwise transmit in any manner any content, communication or information that violates the Policy.

Scholars have a duty to protect the security, integrity, and confidentiality of Technology Resources. Scholars must immediately notify a teacher or other school staff if they have identified a security problem or are aware of any unauthorized access, use, abuse, misuse, injury, degradation, theft, or destruction of the Technology Resources, or an unacceptable use as set forth above or in the Policy. Scholars should promptly report to a teacher or other school staff member any communication they receive that is inappropriate or makes them feel uncomfortable. If a scholar is harassed, intimidated, bullied, or threatened through the use of a school Chromebook, or



personal technology, and/or mobile device, he/she should contact the school administration. Further, ACE Prep Academy reserves the right, but not the obligation, to legally access any personal technology device of scholars brought onto ACE Prep Academy's property or at ACE Prep Academy events containing ACE Prep Academy programs or scholar data (such as, but not limited to, images, files, etc.) to ensure compliance with the Policy and other ACE Prep Academy policies, to protect school district resources, or to obtain information/data that ACE Prep Academy reasonably believes involves criminal activity. ACE Prep Academy makes no warranties of any kind regarding scholars' use of the Technology Resources. In no event shall ACE Prep Academy be liable to the scholar or parent/guardian for any damages whether direct, indirect, special, or consequential, arising out of the use of the Technology Resources.

As a scholar, I have read, or as the parent/guardian of this scholar, I have read the Scholar Technology Acceptable Use and Safety Policy and have discussed them with my child. I understand that scholar access to the Internet is designed for educational purposes and that ACE Prep Academy has taken reasonable precautions to restrict and/or control scholar access to material on the Internet that is obscene, objectionable, inappropriate, and/or harmful to minors. However, I recognize that it is impossible for ACE Prep Academy to restrict access to all objectionable and/or controversial materials that may be found on the Internet. Additionally, I accept responsibility for communicating to my child guidance concerning his/her acceptable use of the Internet, i.e., setting and conveying standards for my daughter/son to follow when selecting, sharing, and exploring information and resources on the Internet. Abuse of these privileges may result in one or more of the following consequences:

1. Suspension or cancellation of use or access privileges to Technology Resources.
2. Discipline under appropriate school policies, up to and including suspension of the scholar.
3. Payments for damages or repairs (As outlined in the Technology Agreement)
4. Liability under applicable civil or criminal laws.

**Acknowledgment and Consent:**

The Terms must be acknowledged and consented to by signing below and returning this document to the school administration in order for your scholar to be permitted access to the Student Network or use school Technology Resources.

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Name of Scholar (Please Print) Grade

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Parent/Guardian Signature Date

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Parent/Guardian (Please Print)