

Wishkah Valley School District

2018-2019 Technology Acceptable Use Policy (AUP)

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Before access to the computer network is allowed, the following document must be read carefully, discussed thoughtfully, and signed by you and your parent or legal guardian. Violations may result in loss of access, as well as other disciplinary or legal actions.

Wishkah Valley School District is pleased to offer access to the school network and the internet to students, teachers, and staff for educational use. With this privilege come responsibilities requiring respectful, responsible, efficient, ethical and legal utilization of network resources. If a user violates any of these provisions and related district policies his or her access privilege will be terminated. This agreement will define the educational objectives and guidelines for use, as well as unacceptable uses which will lead to revocation of access and possible disciplinary and/or legal action.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

1. **Acceptable Use** - Access must be in support of education, research, and consistent with the educational objectives and policies of the District.
2. **Unacceptable Use** - Unacceptable use may include but not limited to music and video downloads, violations of copyright law, use of or creation of threatening/obscene material, cyberbullying, sharing of passwords, plagiarism, bringing software and music from home, distributing material protected by trade secret, use for commercial activities, political or campaign lobbying or information, illegal activities, tampering with, or vandalism of, programs, data, computers, or the system. ***THE ADMINISTRATION WILL DETERMINE WHAT IS UNACCEPTABLE USE, AND THEIR DECISION IS FINAL.***
3. **Internet Access and Email Usage** – Internet access and email usage is monitored and is not to be considered private. Network administrators will review files and communications to maintain system integrity and ensure that users are observing the terms and conditions of this contract in the spirit of responsible, respectful, efficient, ethical, and legal utilization of network resources for research and educational purposes, as is intended. All email correspondence, incoming and outgoing, is to be considered the property of Wishkah Valley School District. Student email use at school is restricted to school email accounts. For example, username@wishkah.org.

Acceptable Use Policy Student Agreement:

I, _____, (printed name), understand and will abide by the Wishkah Valley School District Acceptable Use Agreement. I agree that any violation of the regulations herein is unethical and may constitute a criminal offense. Should I commit any violation, legal and/or school disciplinary action may be taken. I also grant permission for the WVSD to use my photograph/video for publication on the WVSD website as well as publications that promote the school.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Parent:

As the parent or guardian of _____ (printed name of student), I have read the terms and conditions set forth in the Wishkah Valley Acceptable Use Agreement. I understand that this access is intended for educational purposes only. I recognize that it is impossible for the district to restrict access to all inappropriate materials, and I will not hold the district responsible for materials accessed or acquired on the network. I accept responsibility for guidance of Internet use — setting and conveying standards of use to my child. I accept full responsibility for my child's compliance. I hereby grant permission to the District to provide Internet and Network Access for my child.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

STUDENT PASSWORD: _____ (at least 8 characters letters and numbers)