



UTAH COUNTY ACADEMY OF SCIENCES CC Form B – Student Computer Use Agreement

Each school year, each student and his/her parent/legal guardian will be required to sign this "Student Computer Use Agreement." This Agreement is for the 2022 - 2023 school year.

Computer use is a valuable resource for a student's education. Student use of the school's computer system is a privilege and not a right, which may be authorized as well as withdrawn. Although student use of the school's computer system at school will be supervised by school staff, the school cannot guarantee that students will not gain access to inappropriate material. The school encourages parents/legal guardians to have a discussion with their students about values and how those beliefs should guide student activities while using the school's computers, networks, and Internet access. Use of the school's computers, networks, and Internet access is subject to the terms and conditions of Policy #CC - Computer and Internet Use Policy. Students have a responsibility to insure the following:

1. Student Personal Safety:

- a. When using the school's Internet access, students should not disclose personal information such as home addresses, home telephone numbers, social security numbers, etc.
- b. Students may use school Internet access for teacher-directed educational activities and limited personal use as defined in policy #CC.
- c. Students may use school Internet access only when authorized.
- d. Student may use the school Internet access only when the school is open and supervision is present.

2. Prohibited Activities:

- a. Students shall not use the school's computer system to engage in any illegal activities, such as harassment, discrimination, defamation, threatening or violent communications and behavior, infringement of copyright or trademark laws, offering for sale, purchase, or use of any prohibited or illegal substances, etc.
- b. Students shall not damage or disrupt the school's computer system.
- c. Students shall not gain, or attempt to gain, unauthorized access to other computers or the school's computer system.
- d. Students shall not plagiarize works or violate copyright or trademark laws.

3. Inappropriate Conduct:

The following are prohibited in public, private, or posted messages or files:

- a. Any inappropriate communications with other students or anyone else that is obscene, profane, lewd, vulgar, belligerent, inflammatory, or threatening.
- b. Potentially damaging, dangerous, or disruptive material.
- c. Personal or generalized attacks or harassment.
- d. False or defamatory information.

4. Inappropriate Access to Material:

- a. The school's computer system shall not be used to access material that is obscene, pornographic, sexually explicit, sexually suggestive, harmful, or otherwise inappropriate.
 - b. Inadvertent inappropriate access should be reported promptly to the student's teacher or administrator.
5. **No Expectation of Privacy:**
 Students have no expectation of privacy in files, disks, documents, etc., which have been created in, entered in, stored in, downloaded from, or used on the school's computer system.
6. **Violations and Discipline:**
- a. In the event that a student introduces a virus to the school network system, the cost of repairing the network may be charged to that student.
 - b. In the event there is an allegation that a student has violated Policy #CC, the student will receive notice of the alleged violation and have an opportunity to present an explanation.
 - c. In the event of a violation of Policy #CC, appropriate disciplinary action will be taken in accordance with established Board of Trustees policies and administrative procedures, including losing computer use privileges, suspension, and expulsion.

I acknowledge that I have read and understood the terms and conditions of this Agreement, Policy #CC - Computer and Internet Use Policy, and hereby agree to abide by and comply with all of the said terms and conditions.

STUDENT PRINT

DATE

STUDENT SIGNATURE

As the parent/legal guardian of this student, I have read and understood the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement, Policy #CC – Computer and Internet Use Policy, and hereby grant my permission for this student to use the school's computers, networks, and Internet access.

PARENT PRINT

DATE

PARENT SIGNATURE