

Norton City Schools
Middle School and High School Technology Acceptable Use Agreement

The District network is to be used in a responsible, efficient, ethical, and legal manner. In order for students to use the District network and the Internet, students and their guardian must first read (Technology Acceptable Use Form found here: <http://www.nortonschools.org/FormsEnrollmentRegistration.aspx>), understand, and sign the following Acceptable Use Policy annually by September 30 of current school year. The School District reserves the right to refuse access to the District network.

Students

- I will use technology resources in a responsible, ethical, and legal manner. I will use technology resources only for school related purposes.
- I will not access, modify, or destroy other user's data. I will not knowingly spread a computer virus, impersonate another user, violate copyright laws, install or use unauthorized software, damage or destroy resources, or intentionally offend, harass, or intimidate others.
- *I will be a good digital citizen.* I will access the Internet only under appropriate supervision. I will only view sites that directly pertain to school-related assignments. I will not use school technology resources to create, distribute, download, or view sexually explicit, illegal, or inappropriate content. I will not plagiarize from the Internet. I will distribute copyrighted material only if I have the owners' written permission. I will immediately inform a staff member if I encounter material that is sexually explicit, illegal, or inappropriate.
- I will not use technology resources to engage in any commercial activity including the purchase of goods and services. I will not give out personal information (full name, address, phone number).
- I will not use data access other than that provided by the school district.
- I will use technology resources responsibly. I will not give out my passwords. I will not disrupt network usage by others. I will not monopolize technology resources, use print excessively, or use an excessive amount of data storage space.
- I will immediately notify a staff member or administrator if I am the subject of harassment while using technology resources or if I witness inappropriate use of technology resources.
- I have read, understand, and agree to abide by the Norton City Schools Acceptable Use Policy.

Student's Signature: _____

Date: _____

Please print student's first and last name: _____

School Building: _____ Grade: _____

Parents

- I have read the Norton City School's Technology Acceptable Use Policy.
- I have explained to my child what is expected.
- I understand that the teacher may be integrating educational technology resources in the classroom.
- I understand that Norton City Schools is not responsible for any lost or damaged data created by my child and additional charges on personal data plans are not the school's responsibility.

I give my child permission to use the technology resources according to the regulations set forth in that policy.

I **DO NOT** give my child permission to use the technology resources.

Parent's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Please return signature page to student's school or teacher.