



FOUNTAINS

PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Pupil Acceptable Use Policy Agreement 2023-2024

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Parent / Carer & Pupil Acceptable Use Policy Agreement

Digital technologies have become integral to the lives of children and young people, both within schools and outside school. These technologies provide powerful tools, which open up new opportunities for everyone. They can stimulate discussion, promote creativity and stimulate awareness of context to promote effective learning. Young people should have an entitlement to safe internet access at all times.

This Acceptable Use Policy is intended to ensure:

- that young people will be responsible users and stay safe while using the internet and other communications technologies for educational, personal and recreational use.
- that school systems and users are protected from accidental or deliberate misuse that could put the security of the systems and users at risk.
- that parents and carers are aware of the importance of online safety and are involved in the education and guidance of young people with regard to their on-line behaviour.

The school will try to ensure that students/pupils will have good access to digital technologies to enhance their learning and will, in return, expect the students/pupils to agree to be responsible users.

Parents/ Carers are requested to sign the permission form below to show their support of the school in this important aspect of the school's work.

Some Parents/Carers will also be requested to sign the Pupil Acceptable Use Agreement on behalf of their child, if they are unable to do so themselves.

Parent/Carer Acceptable Use Agreement

Parent / Carers Name

Pupil Name:



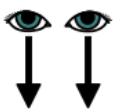
As the parent / carer of the above pupil I give permission for my son / daughter to have access to the internet and to ICT systems at school.



I know that my son / daughter has discussed and signed (where appropriate) an Acceptable Use Agreement and has received, or will receive, online safety education to help them understand the importance of safe use of technology and the internet – both in and out of school.



I understand that the school will take every reasonable precaution, including monitoring and filtering systems, to ensure that young people will be safe when they use the internet and systems. I also understand that the school cannot ultimately be held responsible for the nature and content of materials accessed on the internet and using mobile technologies.



I understand that my son's / daughter's activity on the school systems will be monitored and that the school will contact me if they have concerns about any possible breaches of the Acceptable Use Policy.



I will encourage my child to adopt safe use of the internet and digital technologies at home and will inform the school if I have concerns over my child's online safety.



I understand that if I have concerns regarding my child in school I am encouraged to speak to the school directly, rather than raising these concerns on social media.

For further information please refer www.fountainsprimaryschool.co.uk

Signed:	
Date:	

The information on this form will be processed, stored and retained in accordance with the General Data Protection Regulation (EU). You are free to alter or withdraw consent at any time. To do this please download and complete a new consent form from the 'Parent' areas of the school website and return it to the school office.

Pupil Acceptable Use Agreement

Parent / Carers Name

Pupil Name:

This is how we stay safe when we use computers:



I will ask a teacher or suitable adult if I want to use the computers or tablet



I will only use activities that a teacher or suitable adult has told or allowed me to use



I will take care of the computer and other equipment



I will ask for help from a teacher or suitable adult if I am not sure what to do or if I think I have done something wrong



I will tell a teacher or suitable adult if I see something that upsets me on the screen



I know that if I break the rules I might not be allowed to use a computer / tablet

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