John Willcock College

Student Computer Network Agreement 2013

The student computer network at John Willcock College is available for student use to enhance learning. Internet access is provided and encouraged. All students have the opportunity to use the computer facilities. However, students have a responsibility to use the computers in an appropriate manner.

This contract establishes rules for the student and secures a commitment for best use practices.

I acknowledge that I will abide by the following requirements. I understand that should I misuse the student computer network consequences (e.g. access restrictions) will be applied.

1. Students using the student computer network at John Willcock College must:
   • log on under their own name and password
   • use the student computer network for school projects and approved pursuits
   • report malfunctions or difficulties with the computer to their supervising teacher
   • use the computer for appropriate purposes as determined by the supervising teacher
   • understand that their saved files will be deleted at the end of the year
   • learn how to use the system efficiently to minimise disruption to other users
   • monitor and limit the number of files saved to their allocated space on the network server
   • ensure that the computer equipment is appropriately cared for

2. Students using the student computer network at John Willcock College must not:
   • load, create or save any program (unless specifically directed to by teachers e.g. computing)
   • play any form of game other than that specified by a teacher
   • access, alter or use information in other student’s files
   • alter any settings on the computer
   • have food or drink in the areas that contain computing equipment

3. Students should use the internet only with the approval and guidance of a teacher. This means students:
   • must not use the internet to access violent or pornographic publishing or other sites deemed inappropriate by the College
   • must not access chat lines, conversation sites or other sites that link students to unauthorised individuals outside of the College community
   • must not download any programs from the internet (including screen savers or wallpaper)
   • should make any search as quick and efficient as possible
   • should only use the student computer network for school projects and approved pursuits
   • must not use the college’s internet facilities for any unlawful purposes e.g. hacking

4. Section 85ZE of the Commonwealth Crimes Act, states that a person shall not knowingly or recklessly:
   a Use a telecommunication service supplied by a carrier to menace or harass another person; or
   b Use a telecommunication service supplied by a carrier in such a way as would be regarded by reasonable persons as being, in all circumstances, offensive.

NOTE:
Students will not be allowed to access student computer network without signed parent/guardian permission.
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STUDENT NAME: _________________________________  FORM: __________
(Block Letters)

I have read and understood the Student Computer Network Agreement. I understand there will be consequences that may affect my learning if I do not adhere to the agreement.

STUDENT SIGNATURE: _________________________________________

PARENT/GUARDIAN AGREEMENT:
I approve of my son/daughter using the John Willcock College Student Computer Network under the above conditions and acknowledge the importance of abiding by the agreement.

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE: _________________________________________

DATE: _________________________________________

PHOTOGRAPH PERMISSION
I hereby give permission for John Willcock College to publish name/photograph/work of my child participating in school activities, in publications which include our College newsletters, year books, school promotional brochures, local and other newspapers and on our College website (johnwillcock.wa.edu.au) or the Department of Education publications and websites.

Name of Student____________________________________________________________________________

School Year ____________________

Name of Parent/Guardian______________________________________________________________________
(Please Print)

Signature__________________________________________________________________Date_____________

NOTE: Students will not be allowed to access the student computer network without this signed parent/guardian permission sheet.