

Williston Public School District #1
Acceptable Use Policy for Technology Tools
Williston Middle School

Acceptable Use and Expectations

- Technology tools/devices are meant to be used for educational purposes only; school computers and devices are for school use.
- Users are given individual logins/accounts; they are expected to be responsible for these accounts and should not share their account information with any other user.
- All users must also comply with Edutech's Acceptable Use Policy, which can be found at http://www.edutech.nodak.edu/support/policies/acceptable_use/.

Unacceptable Use

- Any use of a school technology device that is not for educational purposes is unacceptable.
- School technology devices should not be used for personal use.
- School technology devices should not be used in a manner that will harm another person, either intentionally or unintentionally, or used to break the law.

Penalties

Access to technology tools/devices is a privilege, not a right.

- Users will be held financially responsible for any damages from misuse of WPSD's technology tools or any network device connected to it.
- Students' home and personal internet use can have an impact on the school and on other students. If a student's personal internet expression creates a likelihood of disruption of the school's operations, he or she may face school discipline and criminal penalties.
- Any user violating the provisions of this agreement, posted classroom rules, or district rules is subject to suspension or cancellation of technology privileges.
- WPSD reserves the right to deny, revoke, or suspend specific user's access to technology tools/devices.
- School and district administrators will make the final determination as to what constitutes unacceptable use and their decision is final.

WPSD reserves the right to change the Terms and Conditions of this policy at any time without written notice.

Student: I have read the Williston Public School District #1 Acceptable Use Agreement for Technology Tools. I understand and will abide by this policy. I agree to reimburse WPSD or any other technology tool user, system, or network for any losses, costs, or damages (including reasonable attorney fees) arising from my misconduct or breach of any provision of this policy.

Student Name (Please Print): _____

Student Signature: _____

Parent or Guardian: As the parent or guardian of this student, I have read and discussed with my student the Williston Public School District #1 Acceptable Use Policy for Technology Tools. I understand this access is designed for educational purposes; however, I also recognize it is impossible for the PROVIDER (or WPSD) to restrict access to all controversial materials. I will not hold WPSD responsible for materials acquired by my child on the network. I hereby give permission for my child to have access to technology tools and the internet.

Parent/Guardian Name (Please Print): _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Date: _____