Chatswood Hills State School
Internet Access Agreement

Student Agreement

I understand that the Internet can connect me to much useful information stored on computers around the world.

While I have access to the Internet:

- I will use it only for educational purposes.
- I will be courteous and use appropriate language.
- I will not look for anything that is illegal, dangerous or offensive.
- If I accidentally come across something that is illegal, dangerous, I will:
  (a) clear any offensive pictures or information from my screen and
  (b) immediately, quietly inform my teacher.
- I will not reveal home addresses or phone numbers- mine or anyone else's.
- I will not use the Internet to annoy or offend anyone else.
- I will not download material that is copyright.
- I will respect the expensive equipment provided for my use by not vandalising, disrupting or harming equipment.
- I will respect the privacy of others.
- I will not claim the work of others as my own. (This is plagiarism.)

I understand that if the school decides I have broken these rules, appropriate action will be taken. This may include loss of my Internet access, implementation of student behaviour management plan and/or contacting my parents.

Student's Name: ..............................  Student's Group: ..............................

Student's Signature: ..............................  Date: ..............................

Parent/Guardian Agreement

I understand that the school provides my child with access to the school’s network (including the internet) for valuable learning experiences. In regards to internet access, I understand that this will give my child access to information on computers from around the world; that the school cannot control what is on those computers; and that a small part of that information can be illegal, dangerous or offensive.

I accept that, while teachers will always exercise their duty of care, protection against exposure to harmful information should depend finally upon responsible use by students/my child. Additionally, I will ensure that my child understands and adheres to the school’s appropriate behaviour requirements and will not engage in inappropriate use of the school’s ICT network.

I believe ........................................... (name of student) understands this responsibility and I hereby give permission for him/her to access and use the school’s ICT network (including the internet) under the school’s rules. I understand that students breaking these rules will be subject to appropriate action by the school. This may include loss of access and usage of the school’s ICT network for some time. This may include loss of access and usage of the school’s ICT network for some time.

Parent/Guardian’s Name: ...........................................

Signature: ..............................................  Date: ..............................