

# Internet Access Agreement

## Student

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

While I have access to the Internet:

- 1) I will use it only for educational purposes
- 2) I will not look for anything that is illegal, dangerous or offensive
- 3) If I accidentally come across something that is illegal, dangerous or offensive, I will:
  - a. clear any offensive pictures or information from my screen, and
  - b. immediately, quietly, inform my teacher.
- 4) I will not reveal home addresses or phone numbers - mine or anyone else's.
- 5) I will not use the Internet to annoy or offend anyone else.
- 6) 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 for some time.

## Parent / Guardian

I understand that the Internet can provide students with valuable learning experiences. I also understand that it gives access to information on computers around the world, that the school cannot control what is on those computers, and that a very 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.

I believe that my son / daughter understands this responsibility, and I hereby give my permission for him/her to access the Internet under the school rules. I understand that students breaking these rules will be subject to appropriate action by the school. This may include loss of Internet access for some time.

*This Policy applies to students' use of public online services for teaching and learning purposes, including:*

- a) *Intranet, Internet and email services within Education Queensland, including those managed by external providers, and*
- b) *all Education Queensland officers who utilise, support or manage these services for teaching and learning.*

*Persons requiring any further information are invited to contact the Senior Education Officer, Learning Technology, Information Management Branch, P.O. Box 33, Brisbane Albert Street Qld 4002, tel (07) 3237 0919, fax (07) 3237 0101*