

Use of the Seattle Public Schools network is a privilege. You must read and agree to follow the network rules below to use your network account.

Seattle Public Schools makes available to students access to computers and the Internet. Through the Internet students may have access to databases, Web sites, and sometimes email. Students might also publish online. Students are expected to use computers and the Internet responsibly and for school related purposes only.

Use of the Seattle Public Schools network is a privilege. Violations of conditions of use may result in that privilege being taken away in whole or in part by school district personnel. All other related student policies are applicable and other consequences including suspension or expulsion may follow. Please review the "Student Rights and Responsibilities" pamphlet.

As a condition of my right to use the Seattle Public Schools Internet service, I understand and agree with the following:

I will use computing resources responsibly

- I will use the Internet and other computer resources for academic activities only.
- I will only play educational games authorized by my teacher, instructor, or librarian.
- I will follow the guidelines for printing set by my teacher or school.
- I will only save material in my folder appropriate for educational use.
- I will not transmit or deliberately access obscene, indecent, harassing, defamatory, or otherwise offensive material in any form.

I will use computing resources safely

- I will not give out my name, picture, address, e-mail, or any other personally identifying information online.
- I will only access chat rooms, bulletin boards, blogs, or post to an Internet site with explicit teacher permission.
- I will not share my password with others.

I will use computing resources respectfully

- I will not deliberately attempt to harm or destroy data on any system on the network or internet.
- I will not damage computer equipment or alter computer settings.
- I will not alter other students' files.

I will use computing resources in a manner that respects the intellectual property of others.

- I will not install, store, or distribute unauthorized software or materials.
- I will turn in work that I have created myself. If I borrow or copy material from other sources, I will properly cite those sources.

I understand that:

- I am responsible for what is done on my computer account.
- School district personnel have the right to review any material sent, mailed, or accessed through a District computer or District provided network account. School district personnel have the right to inspect all material stored on a District computer. By accepting these terms and conditions, students waive any right to privacy or confidentiality to material that was created, sent, accessed, or stored using a District computer or District provided network account.
- District personnel can edit or remove any material that it believes may be unlawful, obscene, indecent, harassing, or otherwise objectionable.
- The district does not promise that the functions of the internet service will meet any specific requirements you may have, or that the Internet service will be error-free or uninterrupted.
- I cannot use computing resources to violate district policies, federal and state laws.
- District administrators have the final say on what constitutes a violation of internet policies. Those violations include but are not limited to all bulleted points in this agreement.