

RESPONSIBLE USE POLICY (RUP)
Rescue Union School District
Use of Network & Technology Resources

Please Note:

The first two pages of this agreement are for students in Grades TK-2
The last two pages are for students in Grades 3-5

GRADES TK - 2 STUDENT AGREEMENT:

RUSD TECHNOLOGY VISION STATEMENT

The Rescue Union School District (RUSD) envisions students and personnel utilizing technology effectively to succeed in a complex and information-rich world. RUSD provides a student-focused educational setting in which technology is a vehicle for integrating standards-based curriculum, problem solving, communication and collaboration. Our students will leave the District prepared to confront the challenges of their ever-changing world.

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We encourage parent/guardians to **take this opportunity to discuss Internet safety** with your child and provide them with expectations that will guide them in using the District network and the Internet responsible and safely. **Internet safety resources** may be found on the District website at <http://www.rescueusd.org/Resources/Parent-Resources/Other-Resources/index.html> .

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When using the District and school’s network which includes all computers, electronic devices, technology resources and the resources and the Internet... **I, THE STUDENT, PROMISE TO FOLLOW THESE RULES:**

1. I promise to use all computer equipment carefully and safely.
2. I promise to only use the programs and websites that my teacher tells me to use.
3. I promise not to share my password.
4. I promise to ask for help if I don’t know what to do.
5. I promise to tell my teacher or a trusted adult if I read or see something on the computer that is upsetting or not appropriate.
6. I promise to print only when my teacher tells me to print.
7. I promise to always be respectful and kind to others when using the computer.
8. I understand that if I break any of my promises, I may not be able to use the computer or the Internet.

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PARENT / GUARDIAN AGREEMENT FOR GRADES TK-2:

In consideration of the Rescue Union School District permitting my child to access the School District's Network and through it the Internet... **I, THE PARENT/GUARDIAN, AGREE TO THE FOLLOWING:**

- **Along with my child, I have read and discussed Board Policy and Administrative Regulation 6163.4, Student Use of Technology**, located at the end of this document or as posted on the Internet at <http://www.rescueusd.org/Technology>.
- It is the intent of the District to keep students safe when using the District network and its technology resources. To protect your child:
 - ✓ Internet access throughout the District is filtered and inappropriate content is blocked to the extent possible. District filtering is stringent and includes, but is not limited to, filtering child pornography, obscene and illegal material, alcohol, tobacco, cheating, weapons, cults, hate discrimination, and other material that has no educational value.
 - ✓ Staff will supervise, monitor and direct student Internet usage.
 - ✓ Staff will teach students how to use the resources appropriately.
 - ✓ Students are to let the teacher or an adult know if they see anything inappropriate on the Internet.
 - ✓ Secure, filtered email may be provided to students for collaboration with their teacher, students, and approved adults, such as Intel PC Pals, when given access by their school/teacher.
- I understand that regardless of the precautions taken by the District, there is a chance that my student may be exposed to material or communication that I may find offensive, but agree that this is an acceptable risk given the positive educational benefits expected of the District Network and Internet access program.
- I agree to indemnify, defend and hold harmless the Rescue Union School District and its officers, employees and representatives, from and against any and all claims for damage or injury caused by or related to my child's willful and/or intentional violations of the provisions of this agreement.
- I hereby agree to release the Rescue Union School District and its officers, employees and representatives from any claims regarding injury to my child, including claims for negligence, however caused, arising from or in connection with my child's use of the District's Network, electronic mail, and the Internet.
- I understand that acceptance of this agreement will remain in effect for this school year. I may rescind this permission at any time in writing.

To Electronically Accept or Deny the Terms of the RUSD Responsible Use Agreement:

1. In the Documents Section:
 - Click on "I have read. He leido."
2. In the Authorizations and Prohibitions Section:
 - By selecting **Allow/Accept**, the student and the parent/guardian are agreeing to the statements, rules and conditions of the RUSD Responsible Use Policy for Students.
 - By selecting **Deny/Decline**, the student will not be allowed to use the District Network, technology resources, nor access electronic mail and the Internet.
3. Should I wish to rescind permission, you must notify the school in writing.

Should you have additional questions, please contact your child's teacher or principal.
Or contact Sheila Simmons, the Director of Media and Technology Services, at (530) 672-4805.

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GRADES 3 - 5 STUDENT AGREEMENT:

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9. I will use all computer equipment carefully and safely.
10. I will use the computer, the Internet and e-mail for school work only.
11. I will use the programs and websites that my teacher has approved.
12. I will not share my password or use another person’s password.
13. I will not damage or tamper with the hardware, software or the network.
14. I will obey copyright and privacy laws as instructed by my teacher.
15. I will tell my teacher if I read or see something on the computer that is upsetting or inappropriate.
16. I will not view, send or display inappropriate messages or pictures.
17. I will print only when my teacher tells me to print.
18. I will always be respectful and kind to others when I use the computer.
19. I will not access, create, store or send material that may be harmful to others.
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