

# Danbury Public Schools

## Acceptable Use Policy

### Parent Notification and Permission

I give my permission for \_\_\_\_\_ to participate in the use of the Internet, a worldwide telecommunications network, via the Danbury Public Schools computer systems. I realize that he/she will be able to access major networks throughout the world using the Internet. I understand that this access is designed and intended for educational purposes only. I also understand that he/she will receive instruction in the appropriate use of this resource.

I realize the Internet contains material that is inappropriate for school purposes. I support the school district's position that students are responsible for not accessing such material. Such unacceptable use of the network will result in the suspension of all privileges. I will not hold the Danbury Public Schools accountable for unsuitable materials, or information of any kind, acquired by him/her through Internet usage at school.

I accept responsibility for guidance on Internet use, including setting and conveying standards for my child to follow when selecting, sharing or exploring information or media.

I accept full responsibility for supervision if and when my child's use of E-Mail and the Internet is not in a school setting and I agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Danbury Public Schools, their agents and employees, for any misuse of access to networked information resources that my child commits. I certify that all information contained on this form is correct. I understand that once signed, this document is legally binding upon me.

From time to time, student work may be exhibited in a variety of ways, including publication on the school and/or district web site. Therefore, in addition to permission granted to my child:

I authorize Danbury Public Schools to use my child's picture. YES NO

I authorize Danbury Public Schools to use my child's work. YES NO

I authorize Danbury Public Schools to use my child's first name. YES NO

Additional information regarding acceptable uses of technology is available through the sources listed below.

Parent/Guardian Name \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

#### IMPORTANT

The Danbury Public Schools Acceptable Use Policy is available in its entirety in your child's school or you may request that a copy of the policy be sent home to you. You may also view the policy on the web site (<http://www.danbury.org/org/dhs/index.htm>). Students will not be authorized to use the Internet unless their parents or guardians sign the above permission slip and return it to their child's school. This permission remains in effect until the child leaves the school or until parents or guardians revoke permission in writing. Students in grades 6-12 must also sign the Student Contract.