## **Student Technology Use & Internet Safety Contract**

Student Name (Please Print)	School	Grade	Date	

Use of the Internet has potential dangers. The Voorhees Township School District is in compliance with the Children's Internet Protection Act by taking such measures as having a firewall in place that blocks and filters Internet sites that are obscene, contain pornography, or contain material deemed by local standards to be inappropriate or harmful to minors. Voorhees Township School District reserves the right to monitor email, chat rooms, and electronic communications such as instant messaging, hacking, unauthorized disclosure of minors' personal information, and monitoring the online activities of minors. This document reflects the Voorhees Township School District's Acceptable Use of Computer Network/Computers and Resources Policy (Policy 2361).

## **Rules for Using School Technology Tools**

- 1. I will only use the computer for school work.
- 2. I cannot use my personal e-mail account at school.
- 3. I will not use chat rooms.
- 4. I will not give out my password or use anyone else's password. If I see that someone else has used my password, I will tell my teacher immediately.
- 5. I will not damage or change any of the hardware or software on any school computer.
- 6. I understand my teacher can look at any of my work, including any saved work.
- 7. I will not download anything from the Internet without my teacher's permission.
- 8. I will not look at or copy other people's saved work.
- 9. I will only use polite language on the Internet.
- 10. If I find an Internet site that I believe is inappropriate, or that makes me uncomfortable, I will turn off my monitor and tell my teacher immediately.
- 11. I will cite sources and give credit to authors during my research.
- 12. I will never give out any personal information such as my name, address, telephone number, school address, parent's name, parent's employer or work address, or picture while on the Internet.
- 13. I will never respond to any messages that are rude or offensive in any way and I will show my teacher right away.
- 14. I will never meet in person with anyone I have first "met" online.
- 15. I will not use my personal cell phone (as a phone) or handheld device to access the Internet, trade text messages or digital images while at school.

## Consequences

While this list is not intended to be exclusive, if a user is found in violation of the Voorhees Township School District's Acceptable Use Policy, the consequences imposed could be:

- Temporary or permanent taking away of computer access and network privileges
- School suspension or expulsion
- Legal action and prosecution by the authorities

I promise to follow these rules (Student Signature Required)	Date	
I ☐ grant permission / I ☐ DO NOT grant permission for my child to have supervised access to the Internet for educational purposes	Date	
(Parent Selection & Signature Required)		