## **Hankinson Public School**

## **Acceptable Use Policy - Grades K-6**

As a part of my schoolwork, my school gives me the use of computers and storage space on the server for my work. I understand that the use of school devices is a privilege. My behavior and language should follow the same rules I follow in my class and in my school. To help myself and others, I agree to the following promises:

- **1**. I will use the computers only to do schoolwork, as explained to me by my teacher and not for any other reason. I will not use a school computer for personal or illegal purposes.
- 2. I will use the Internet only in ways the teacher has approved.
- **3**. I will keep my password secret. My password is my own, and I will not ask for or use anyone else's password.
- **4.** I will keep my information private online. I will not share my address, telephone number, or any other personal information about myself or anyone else.
- 5. I will not upload, link, or embed an image of myself or others to unsecure, public sites.
- **6**. I will only use approved electronic resources including games. Any websites that have inappropriate or objectionable content are not allowed at all.
- 7. I will be polite and considerate when I use the computer. I will be respectful and nice to others I interact with, and I will not swear or be rude.
- **8**. I will use the computer in a positive, supportive way. I will not bully or threaten schoolmates, teachers, or other anyone else.
- **9**. I will respect others' race, religion, or sex, and I will not engage with things online that say bad or mean things about it.
- 10. I will always handle computers with great care.
- 11. I will respect copyright rules and give credit for anyone else's work.
- **12**. If I have or see a problem online, I will tell the teacher, parent, or other trusted adult. If the problem is an inappropriate image, I will turn off the screen and immediately get help.
- 13. I will not block or interfere with school or school system communications.
- **14**. My computer use is not private; my teacher may look at my work to be sure that I am following these rules, and if I am not, there will be consequences which may include not being able to use the computer.
- **15**. I know that anything I say or do with technology outside of school can have in-school consequences if it interferes with other students' education or otherwise breaks school rules.

I have read and understand the rules stated in the policy. I understand if I break any of these rules, I may lose the privilege of using school computers and may have other consequences.			
Student Name	Student Signature		Date
Parent/Guardian Name (please print)	Parent/Guardian Sig	nature	Date
This form must be signed and returned to the office before students can use any school device.			
Publication Consent			
The school may publish content throughout the school year with students' names or images. School publications include but are not limited to:			
• Teacher websites			
<ul> <li>The Hankinson Public School website</li> <li>Hankinson Public School social media pages (Facebook, Twitter, YouTube, etc.)</li> <li>Yearbooks</li> </ul>			
My child's <b>name</b> may be listed in school p	ublications:	YES	NO
My child's <b>picture</b> may be placed in schoo	l publications:	YES	NO

Date

Parent/Guardian Signature