



## ICT Acceptable Use Agreement for Younger Pupils (Nursery – Y3)

### School Policy

***“Every child has the right to reliable information from the media. This should be information that children can understand. Governments must help protect children from materials that could harm them.”***

**United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child  
Article 17.**

Digital technologies have become vital to the lives of children and young people, both within schools and outside school. These technologies are powerful tools, which allow children to be creative, promote discussion and independence. Young people should have an entitlement to safe internet access at all times.

### **This Acceptable Use Agreement is intended to ensure:**

- That young people will be responsible users and stay safe while using the internet and other digital technologies for educational and personal use.
- That pupils will have good access to digital technologies to enhance their learning.
- That, in return, pupils will agree to be responsible users.
- That school systems are protected from accidental or deliberate misuse.



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**This is how we stay safe when we use technology in school:**

- I will ask a teacher or suitable adult if I want to use the computers / iPads / tablets.
- I will only use activities that a teacher or suitable adult has told or allowed me to use.
- I will take care of the computer and other equipment.
- I will ask for help from a teacher or suitable adult if I am not sure what to do or if I think I have done something wrong.
- I will tell a teacher or suitable adult if I see something that upsets me on the screen.
- I know that if I break the rules I might not be allowed to use a computer / iPad / tablet.
- If I bring my own device (phone, tablet etc.) I will hand it to a member of staff for safe-keeping until the end of the school day.

**Please sign this form and return to school.**

Pupil name .....

Year Group .....

Pupil signature (if appropriate) .....

Parent / Carer signature .....