Mt. Pleasant Public Schools

Acceptable Use Policy *(AUP)* for District Technology Systems

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The use of district networks including the Internet is a privilege and may be revoked at any time for any reason. District staff may also randomly review log file and documents stored on district networks for appropriateness. In exchange for the use of district provided Internet/network access and resources, I, the undersigned, understand and agree to the following:

1. I will not attempt to delete, modify or gain access to files, passwords, or any data belonging to others.
2. I will not deliberately disrupt, sabotage or vandalize the operation of district networks or data systems through abuse of hardware or software.
3. I will respect the privacy of others by not misrepresenting myself as another user and I will only login with my own account(s) and password(s) and I will never share my account or password with anyone else.
4. I will not reveal identifying information about myself or other people to unknown contacts online without written consent of a parent or guardian.
5. I will never knowingly violate copyrights or licensing of software, data, documents, audio or video files.
6. I will not use the Internet/network for malicious uses such as displaying, sending or receiving any text, graphics, or sound, which may reasonably be construed as objectionable such as discriminatory hate mail, defamatory, inaccurate, abusive, obscene, profane, pornographic, harassment, bullying, threatening, racially offensive or unlawful statements.
7. I will not use the district networks and/or data systems for illegal or unethical purposes or for personal gain such as political lobbying, selling or renting personal items, graphic design or programming services or commercial advertising unrelated to the school district.
8. I understand that designated district staff may log all computer usage and review any user files stored in network folders using automated network robot programs or viewed individually when required.
9. I recognize that it is impossible to restrict access to all controversial materials and I will not hold the school district responsible for any such material acquired through district networks or district data systems.

Mt. Pleasant Public Schools will make determinations on whether specific uses of the Internet/network are consistent with the acceptable use policy. Violations of the guidelines will result in staff intervention or other disciplinary measures including but not limited to loss of all network access.

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Please sign and return this portion to your media center or building AUP agent.

For the privilege of using the district and/or network resources and having access to district networks, I hereby agree to abide by all rules and regulations listed in the Mt. Pleasant Public Schools Acceptable Use Policy.

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Print name of student | Student ID# | Year of graduation

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Signature of student | Date

As the student's parent or legal guardian, I agree to the provisions of this document.

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Signature of parent/guardian | Date

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