

Acceptable Use KS2



Acceptable Use Policy_Permission KS2

(see also Online Safety, Acceptable Use & GDPR)

Parent/Carer

Technology has transformed learning, entertainment and communication for individuals and for all organisations that work with young people. However, the use of technology can also bring risks. All users 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 whilst using ICT (especially the internet).
- School ICT systems and users are protected from accidental or deliberate misuse that could put the security of the systems and users at risk
- Parents and carers are aware of the importance of online safety and are involved in the education and guidance of young people with regard to their online behaviour.
- This policy is informed by Keeping Children Safe in Education (2025), DfE Filtering and Monitoring Standards (2023), and UK GDPR/Data Protection Act 2018.

The school will try to ensure that pupils will have good access to ICT to enhance their learning and will, in return, expect them to agree to be responsible users.

As the parent/carers of the child named below, I give my permission for my son/daughter to have access to the internet and to ICT systems at school.

My son/daughter and I have signed the Acceptable Use Agreement overleaf and my son/daughter has received, or will receive, online safety education to help them understand the importance of safe and responsible use of ICT - both in and out of school.

I understand that the school will take every reasonable precaution, including monitoring and filtering systems, to ensure that young people will be safeguarded when they use the internet and ICT systems

I understand that my son's/daughter's activity on the ICT systems will be monitored and that the school will contact me if they have concerns about any possible breaches of the Acceptable Use Agreement. **I acknowledge that if my child does not follow this agreement, appropriate action will be taken in line with the school's Behaviour Policy and Online Safety Policy**

I will encourage my child to adopt safe use of the internet and digital technologies at home and will inform the school if I have concerns over my child's online safety.

I support Blakedown CE Primary School in this important aspect of the school's work

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Policy Number 1.10.1.1

Child's Name:		Class:
Parent's Name:		
Parent's signature:		
Date:		

Parents/Carers - please read and discuss with your child:

For my own personal safety:

- I understand that my use of technology (especially when I use the internet) will be supervised and monitored;
- I will keep my password safe and will not use anyone else's (even with their permission);
- I will keep my own personal information safe as well as that of others;
- I will tell a trusted adult (such as a teacher or safeguarding lead in school) if anything makes me feel uncomfortable or upset when I see it online.

For the safety of others:

- I will not interfere with the way that others use their technology;
- I will be polite and responsible when I communicate with others and not send unkind or hurtful messages;
- I will not take or share images or videos of anyone without their permission or that could embarrass or harm others.

For the safety of the school:

- I will not try to access anything illegal;
- I will not download anything that I do not have the right to use;
- I will only use my own personal device if I have permission and use it within the agreed rules;
- I will not deliberately bypass any systems designed to keep the school safe;
- I will tell a responsible person if I find any damage or faults with technology, however this may have happened;
- I will not attempt to install programmes of any type on the devices belonging to the school without permission;
- I will only use social networking, gaming and chat through the sites the school allows.

I understand that while I am a member at Blakedown CE Primary School, I must use technology in a responsible way.

I understand that I am responsible for my actions and the consequences.

I have read and understood the above and agree to follow these guidelines.

My Name: (Child)		Class:
Child's Signature:		Date:
Parent's Name & Signature:		

