

# **Hawridge & Cholesbury C of E School**



## **Pupils' Internet Code of Practice**

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## **Internet at school and home**

- I will only use the Internet when supervised by an adult.
- I will never tell anyone I meet on the internet my home address, my telephone number or my school's name, unless my teacher specifically gives me permission.
- I will never send anyone my picture without permission from my teacher/parents/carers.
- I will never give my password to anyone, even my best friend and I will log off when I have finished using the computer.
- I will never arrange to meet anyone in person without first agreeing it with my parents/teacher/carers and getting them to come along to the first meeting.
- I will never hang around in an Internet chat room if someone says or writes something which makes me feel uncomfortable or worried, and I will always report it to a teacher or parent.
- I will never respond to unpleasant, suggestive or bullying e-mails or bulletin boards and I will always report it to a teacher or parent/carers.
- I will not look for bad language or distasteful images while I'm online and I will report bad language or distasteful images to a teacher or parent if I come across them accidentally.
- I will always be myself and will not pretend to be anyone or anything I am not.
- I know that my teacher and the Internet service provider will check the sites I have visited.
- I understand that I can only access sites and material relevant to my work in school and that I will not be able to use the Internet if I deliberately look at unsuitable material.
- I understand that I will not be able to use the Internet if I deliberately hack into the school's or other systems.
- I know that the posting of anonymous messages and the forwarding of chain messages is not allowed.
- I know that the contents of my e-mail messages will be monitored by the Network Manager.
- I may not download software from the Internet (including screen savers, games, video clips, audio clips, \*.exe files).
- I know that information on the Internet may not always be reliable and sources may need checking and that websites may be sponsored by advertisers.
- I will not use e-mail to send or encourage material which is pornographic, illegal, offensive or annoying or invades another person's privacy.

## **Home learning (during times of school closure)**

### Video material provided by the school

- I will not share, download, copy or record video or still image material provided by the teacher/ school unless I have express, written permission to do so.
- I will not alter still or video images provided to me by the teacher in any way.

**Interactive lessons**

- I will only take part in interactive lessons in a shared space in my home i.e. kitchen, dining room or sitting room and NOT my bedroom.
- I will be fully dressed in appropriate clothing, covering my shoulders etc. and will not wear clothing with inappropriate logos or slogans etc.
- All members of my household will be aware that I am taking part in an interactive lesson and, will be dressed and behave appropriately i.e. no swearing, arguing or abusive behaviour/ language.
- I will behave respectfully towards others taking turns to speak, allowing others to speak and ensuring that my comments are positive and helpful.
- I will not record interactive lessons without express, written permission from the school and will not attempt to change the content or delivery style of the lesson in any way.

I understand that if I breach any of the above, there will be serious consequences in line with schools behaviour policy and I may lose the right to access interactive lessons or other materials in the future.

Pupil's Name.....

I have read the Pupil Code of Practice and I have discussed it with my son/daughter/ward. We agree to support the school's policy on the use of the Internet.

Signed (Parent/Guardian/Carer) .....

Print Name.....

Date .....