

BUTLER PUBLIC SCHOOLS

BHS Student Network / Electronic Device User Agreement and Parent Permission Form

Parents / Guardians: This Computer Use Agreement is also available through the Principals office and online at <http://www.butlerboe.org>. Please read this with your child so that he/she may understand it. You and your child should sign the bottom of the form and return it to school as soon as possible. Students in the middle and high school will not be permitted to use the Internet unless this document is signed and on file in the main office.

Student Agreement

In the digital age, we all have many opportunities. With these opportunities comes responsibility. Below is a list of guidelines that you are asked to follow at all times while on campus. These guidelines apply to the following areas: computer, internet, network services, cell phones, and internet activities such as blogging, posting, and video conferencing. The network is provided for students to conduct research and complete assignments. Students are responsible for good behavior throughout the campus and school day and this includes acting considerate and responsible while using electronic devices of all kinds. Access is a privilege – not a right. All files on computers are like lockers: network administrators may review files and communications to insure that users are using the system responsibly.

While using the Electronic Communication Tools:

- I will use technology tools (computer, internet, cell phones, email, chat) appropriately and as I have permission from my teacher throughout the school day.
- I will take care of the computer that I am using by following the directions from my teacher. I will not damage, modify computers, computer systems, computer networks or trespass in others folders, or files.
- I will follow directions and only use the Internet sites that my teacher has directed me to use.
- I will not use other web sites to bypass local site restriction policies.
- I will protect myself and my friends by NEVER giving my name, phone number, picture or address or that of my friends to anyone online. I will never post names, phone numbers, pictures or videos of others without their express permission.
- I understand I am expected to uphold the standards of academic honesty as outlined in Butler BOE Policy # 5701 Academic Honesty and will not use technology to engage in cheating, plagiarism, or falsifications.
- I will not use any technology device to harass, intimidate, threaten anyone, nor disrupt the orderly operation of the school in accordance with Butler BOE Policy # 5512.02 Cyber-bullying. If I am being bullied, or harassed, I will tell my parent, counselor or other school official.

This document is in accordance with the following policies:

- CHILDREN’S INTERNET PROTECTION ACT (Pub. L. 106-554).
- Butler BOE Policy #5512 Harassment, Intimidation, Bullying and Hazing.
- Butler BOE Policy #5512.02 Cyber-bullying.
- Butler BOE Policy #5701 Academic Honesty.

To use campus technology resources, all students must sign and return this form, and those under 18 must obtain parental permission.

Student Agreement

As a user of Butler High School’s computer network, I have read and hereby agree to comply with the statements and expectations in this document and to honor all relevant laws and restrictions.

I understand that this policy encompasses use of all communication devices while on campus.

I understand that by violating any of the rules above, I am subject to school disciplinary action up to and including the loss of using computer technology on campus.

I understand that some materials on the Internet may be objectionable, but I accept responsibility for using good judgment when selecting, sharing or exploring information and media. When I am not sure of the appropriateness of information, I will seek out guidance from my teachers, guidance counselors and parents.

Name (Printed): _____

Date Signed: _____ Grade: _____

Student Signature: _____

Parent / Guardian Agreement

All students are provided with access to district computer resources. I grant permission for my child to use district computer resources as outlined in this document and to honor all laws and restrictions. I understand that this policy encompasses use of all communication devices while on campus. I understand that some materials on the Internet may be objectionable, but I accept responsibility for guidance of Internet use – setting and conveying standards for my daughter or son to follow when selecting, sharing or exploring information and media.

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____