

**Visitation Inter-Parish School
Agreement for the Use of Computers and Telecommunications**

Parent/Guardian should sign this side of the form and list their child(ren)'s names. All students listed below should sign the "Student Consent Form" on the opposite side of this form.

PARENT CONSENT FORM

Visitation Inter-Parish School has chosen to permit student's access to computers and telecommunication resources to further its educational goals and objectives. Reasonable care has been taken to assure the appropriateness and educational quality of the material available through the use of educational software and telecommunications. However, parents and guardians are warned that Visitation Inter-Parish School and the Diocese of Jefferson City do not have total control of the information on the Internet. Parents and guardians are the primary authority responsible for imparting the standards of ethical and legal conduct their child or ward should follow. Therefore, Visitation Inter-Parish School supports and respects each family's right to decide whether or not their child may have access to this resource.

1. I am the parent/guardian of the below named student. I have read the DSP 6425 Student Internet, E-mail and Other Technology Use Policy, and I have either explained it to my child/ward ("student") or I have assured myself that the student understands it. I also understand my own and the student's responsibilities regarding computer hardware, software and Internet access at Visitation Inter-Parish School.

2. Check one:

I hereby consent to having the student have access to the computers and the educational software. I hereby (consent, do not consent) to having the student have access to the Internet and telecommunications. I also hereby indemnify and hold harmless the Diocese of Jefferson City and Visitation Inter-Parish School from any claim or loss resulting from any infraction by the student of the policy or any applicable law.

I do not consent to have my child have access to, or use of, the computers and telecommunication resources at Visitation Inter-Parish School.

Parent's/Guardian's signature

Date

Name of Parent/Guardian (Please print.)

Name of Student/Students (Please print.)

Street Address

City/State/Zip Code

Home Phone

Work Phone

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STUDENT CONSENT FORM

DSP 6425 Student Internet, E-mail and Other Technology Use

All schools allowing students to have access to the Internet, e-mail and other technology are to have a written policy regarding usage in their student and parent handbooks. This policy is to include at least the following:

1. Internet, e-mail and other technology access and use in school is a privilege, not a right.
2. The use is always to be consistent with Catholic teaching, doctrine, morality and values.
3. Users shall not use the Internet, e-mail or other technology for the purpose of transmitting or receiving illegal, illicit or obscene materials, or other materials in conflict with our Christian mission.
4. Users shall not use the Internet, e-mail or other technology for the purpose of violating copyright law. This includes, but is not limited to: copyrighted software, text, graphics or music. Such action will be considered theft and is in violation of Christian and legal standards.
5. Users shall not use the Internet, e-mail or other technology for the purpose of plagiarism.
6. Users shall not attempt to gain access to resources belonging to others. This includes, but is not limited to: passwords, e-mail, personal files, and restricted or secure Internet sites. This will also be considered theft and in violation of Christian and legal standards.
7. Users shall not use the Internet, email or other technology to transmit information about the school or the school-governed facilities, other than their own e-mail address. This includes, but is not limited to school personnel names and addresses.
8. The school reserves the right to review any materials (e-mail, files, other correspondence) sent or received via the Internet, e-mail or other technology for their appropriateness in light of legal, ethical and Christian standards.
9. Any violation of this policy is also considered a violation of the general school discipline code and is subject to school disciplinary action.
10. The privilege of the Internet, e-mail or other technology use can be suspended or revoked at any time.

I have read the above statement and understand its significance. I agree to voluntarily abide with all terms and conditions in it. I further understand that violation of this agreement would be unethical and might even constitute a criminal offense. Should I choose to violate this agreement, my privileges will be revoked and disciplinary action and/or appropriate legal action may be taken.

Student signature (All students listed on opposite side of this form should sign here.)

Name of student(s) (Please print.)

Name of Parent/Guardian (Please print.)

_____ Date