

**St. Paul's Lutheran School**  
**Agreement for Acceptable Student Use of the Internet**

We have a policy for acceptable use of the Internet that will enhance your child's education through the use of the Internet. This policy appears on page 30 of the Parent Handbook.

It is our intent to make Internet access available to further educational goals and objectives as well as to apply technology in accordance with Christian principles. We believe the benefits to students from access to the Internet exceed any disadvantages. The vast majority of the information on the Internet has positive educational value. However, the information is constantly changing so it is impossible to predict with complete certainty what information students might locate. Internet access will be restricted to avoid exposure to adult material and undesirable topics, but as parents and teachers we must also teach students to be responsible consumers of information. Students will be encouraged in their classes to use the Internet in a responsible manner. Access to the Internet at St. Paul's is available only with direct teacher supervision, and it is for educational purposes only.

With this educational opportunity comes personal responsibility. Approved electronic activities must not contain profanity, obscene comments, sexually explicit material, or expressions of bigotry, racism, or hate. Messages should not contain personal information that you would not want a stranger to have. This would include any person's name, address, telephone numbers, credit card numbers, social security numbers or other personal information.

You and your child should read through the policy on page 30 of the Parent Handbook. Inappropriate use of the Internet will result in the loss of the privilege to use this educational tool.

Ultimately, parents and guardians of minor students are responsible for establishing and communicating the standard that their children should follow when using media and information sources. Please stress to your child the importance of following the policies in the handbook.

Please indicate your acceptance of the terms of this policy by completing the lower portion of this document. These signatures indicate that you have read the document and that your child agrees to adhere to the policies regarding Internet usage. **This form must be complete before students will be allowed to use the computers.**

Please feel free to contact St. Paul's Lutheran School if further clarification is needed.

Please use one form for your family.

As a user of the Internet at St. Paul's Lutheran School, I understand the policy listed on page 30 of the Parent Handbook. I realize that non-adherence to this policy can result in the loss of this privilege. Please sign and return to your homeroom teacher.		
<b>St. Paul's Lutheran School</b>		Starting Date:
Family Last Name Please Print	First Name(s)	Student Computer Access #
I agree to let my child(ren) use the Internet at St. Paul's Lutheran School    ___ YES    ___ NO		
Parent Signature	Teacher Signature	

# **St. Paul's Lutheran School**

## **Website and Publicity Permission Release**

A new website is currently being built for St. Paul's Lutheran Church, School and Kinder Place as a means for communicating information and for advertising our ministries. All material published to and downloaded from the site must be approved by the administration of St. Paul's prior to its publication on the Internet.

From time to time, the teachers and principal at St. Paul's may include examples of student work and photographs on our website and in printed publicity materials. All student work and pictures will be published anonymously with no student names being used, to maintain privacy. Since this website and the print materials are a public means of communicating information about our school, all parents/guardians at St. Paul's must annually sign and have filed with the school office a permission or exemption for publication of student pictures and work as per the guidelines described above.

SPLS acknowledges the blessings the Lord has bestowed on us through technology and we are committed to empowering our students and staff to use this gift in a way that is in keeping with our Christian faith. We pray that God will bless our efforts to use technology as a tool to enhance the learning environment and increase communication and productivity while maintaining the focus of our Christian community at St. Paul's.

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I give permission for my child's work to be published on the Internet at the SPL Church, School and Kinder Place website YES                      NO

I give permission for photographs of any member of my family to be published on the Internet at Saint Paul's website.                      Yes                      NO

I give permission for my child's photograph to be used in print materials for Saint Paul's Lutheran School.                      Yes                      No

I give permission for my family's names, address, phone and grade levels to be published in the SPL School Directory to be distributed to School families only.  
YES      NO

Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_