

Diocese Schools Internet Use Policy

Holy Rosary Catholic School Internet – Acceptable Use Policy

Use of the Internet is a privilege, not a right; inappropriate use will result in a cancellation of this privilege. When using a computer at Holy Rosary Catholic School, you agree to the following policy:

Responsible and ethical uses of the Internet resources include the following:

- Using the electronic information resources at Holy Rosary Catholic School in a responsible manner, consistent with the educational and informational purpose for which they are provided.
- Not using the Internet for any unauthorized, unethical, or illegal purpose.
- Respecting the privacy of others by not misrepresenting oneself as another user.
- Not attempting to modify or gain access to files, passwords, or data belonging to others.
- Not seeking unauthorized access to any computer system or damaging or altering software components of any network or database.
- Not sending receiving or displaying text or graphics which may reasonably be construed as obscene.
- Not making any changes to the setup or configuration of the software or hardware.

Internet User Agreement

Holy Rosary Catholic School users will not participate in unauthorized chat groups, forums or other non-school related collaboration sites while on school computers.

Any student found to be disclosing disseminating, or using personal identification information of a minor in an unauthorized manner will be reported to the appropriate law enforcement agencies. This person will also be prohibited from further use of computers while attending Holy Rosary Catholic School.

Misuse or abuse of the computer or the Internet access will result in the suspension of computer privilege.

If unacceptable use occurs after fair warning by staff, a student's Internet privileges will be taken away. The following minimum guidelines will be used:

First offense	2 week suspension of computer privileges
Second offense	4 week suspension of computer privileges; parent\guardian notified
Third offense	Loss of computer privileges for a period of time determined by the student's teacher, parent \ guardian, and \or the school principal.

Disclaimer: Holy Rosary Catholic School is not responsible for the validity or reliability of the information found on the Internet. Users are cautioned that the accuracy, completeness, and timeliness of information found on the Internet vary widely.

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Grade of Student: _____

Parental/Guardian Consent Form

Please keep the **Internet – Acceptable Use Policy** for future reference and return this page of the agreement to the school office. This agreement must be signed by both the applicant and, the parent\ guardian before access to the Internet will be granted.

I have read the rules concerning Internet Access and agree to abide by them. I understand that failure to comply with any of the rules may result in the suspension or termination of Internet access privileges, depending on the severity of the offense. Legal action may take place in the case of breach of file security or where action violates local, state or federal rules, laws or regulations. I will not hold Holy Rosary Catholic School or the Roman Catholic Diocese of Boise responsible for anything arising from my child's utilization of the Internet at the school.

Name of student (please print) _____

Signature of student _____

Date _____

The parent or guardian of a user under the age of 18 must complete the following:

I have read the rules concerning Internet access. I understand that my child's failure to comply with any of the rules may result in the suspension or termination of Internet access privileges, depending on the severity of the offense. Legal action may take place in the case of breach of file security or where action violates local, state or federal rules, laws or regulations.

I hereby grant Holy Rosary School permission to provide Internet access to my child as part of their learning experience. I will not hold Holy Rosary Catholic School or the Roman Catholic Diocese of Boise responsible for anything arising from my child's utilization of the Internet or email at the school.

Parent \ guardian name (please print) _____

Signature of parent\guardian _____

Date _____