



## **AGREEMENT FOR APPROPRIATE USE OF THE INTERNET AND SCHOOL NETWORK**

You are being given access to the school's electronic communications system. Through this system, you will be able to communicate with other schools, colleges, organizations and people around the world through the internet and the school's network. You will have access to hundreds of databases, libraries and computer services all over the world. With this educational opportunity comes responsibility. Inappropriate system use will result in the loss of privilege to use this educational tool. Please note that the internet is a network of many types of communication and information networks. It is possible that you may run across some material you (or your parents) might find objectionable.

While the school will take reasonable steps to restrict access to such material, it is not possible to absolutely prevent such access. It will be your responsibility to follow the rules for appropriate use.

### **RULES FOR APPROPRIATE USE**

- You will be assigned an individual account and are responsible for not sharing the password for that account with others.
- The account is to be used for identified educational purposes only.
- You will be held responsible at all times for the proper use of your account, and the school may suspend or revoke your access if you violate the rules.
- You will be held responsible for any postings to a social networking site that would materially disrupt classwork, involve substantial disorder, or interfere with the rights of others.

### **INAPPROPRIATE USES**

- Using the system for illegal purposes
- Borrowing someone else's account without permission
- Posting personal information about yourself or others (such as address or phone numbers)
- Downloading or using copyrighted information without permission from the copyright holder
- Posting messages or accessing materials that are abusive, obscene, sexually oriented, threatening, harassing, damaging to another's reputation, or illegal.
- Wasting school resources through improper use of the computer system
- Gaining unauthorized access to restricted information or resources

### **CONSEQUENCES FOR INAPPROPRIATE USE**

- Suspension of access to the system
- Revocation of computer system account or other disciplinary or legal action, in accordance with Kazoo School Conduct policies and applicable laws.

**Section J: Appropriate Use Policy - Student Agreement**

The Kazoo School’s computers and facilities are intended to support and enhance the educational and administrative work of the school; therefore, their use should be consistent with Kazoo School’s educational goals.

User cooperation is expected at all times; supervising faculty and administrators reserve the right to examine e-mail and/or any file stored or created using the school’s network or resources. I understand that my computer is not a privilege and that the school will monitor my activity on the school network. Users are reminded that the use of the school’s computers and systems is a privilege that may be revoked temporarily or permanently if abused.

I have read and fully understand the conditions and terms of this Appropriate Use Policy (AUP). I agree to be a responsible user of the Kazoo School computer system.

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Student Names (Printed)

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Grade Level

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Student Signature

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Date

**Section K: Appropriate Use Policy - Parent Agreement**

I have read and fully understand the conditions and terms of the Appropriate Use Policy (AUP). I agree to be responsible for my child’s use of the Kazoo School computer system when my child is accessing the system.

I hereby consent to Kazoo School, to access my child’s electronic communications of the system, as it deems necessary for compliance with this agreement and any applicable laws.

I hereby release Kazoo School from any and all claims and damages of any nature arising out of my child’s use of, or inability to use, the system, including, but not limited to claims that may arise from unauthorized use of the system.

I understand it is impossible to restrict my child’s access to the potentially controversial materials. I agree not to hold Kazoo School responsible for any information or materials acquired by my child on the system.

I fully understand that if my child’s Kazoo School account is suspended, terminated or revoked, Kazoo School will not refund any tuition, use fee, or portion thereof. I further understand and agree that I am fully responsible for any financial obligations arising from my child’s use or unauthorized use of the system to purchase products or services.

I hereby give my permission to use an account for my child.

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Parent/Guardian Name (Printed)

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Parent/Guardian Signature

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Date