

# **GREAT MEADOWS REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT**

## **School District-Provided Technology Device Form**

*All students within the Great Meadows Regional School District will adhere to the rules, regulations, and procedures of DISTRICT POLICY #7523.*

### ***SCHOOL DISTRICT-PROVIDED TECHNOLOGY DEVICES TO PUPILS***

**I. TECHNOLOGY VALUES & RESPONSIBILITIES** The computer equipment, computer services, and Internet access are used to support the educational objectives of the Great Meadows Regional School District ("District"). Use of these technologies is a privilege and I am required to comply with District technology values & responsibilities. My signature below indicates that I promise to abide by this agreement.

The District is not responsible for the actions of individuals utilizing the network/computers who violate the District's technology values, responsibilities, policies and regulations. The District may modify these regulations at any time by publishing modified regulations on the network and elsewhere. The District reserves the right to monitor all activity on network/computer facilities/devices. I do not expect that web history, emails and files used on the District's computers/network/servers are private.

By signing below, I agree:

- A school district-provided technology device must be used only by the pupil for school district authorized use;
- Any school district-provided technology device loaned to a pupil must be returned to the school district in the condition it was initially provided to the pupil considering reasonable use and care by the pupil;
- The parent or pupil shall be responsible to reimburse the school district the cost of any technology device that is lost, damaged beyond reasonable use or beyond its value, abandoned, missing, stolen, or cannot be returned to the district in accordance with the terms of the School District Provided Technology Device Form;
- The parent and/or pupil shall be responsible for any loss or damage to the technology device in accordance with the terms of the School District Provided Technology Device Form;
- A pupil will be required to report any hardware or software problems in the operation of the device to the school district staff member, designated on the School District-Provided Technology Device Form, within two school days of the commencement of the problem;
- A pupil must report to the school district staff member designated on the School District Provided Technology Device Form within two school days in the event the technology device has been damaged or is missing;

- A parent or pupil is required to immediately file a police report in the event it is believed the technology device has been stolen. Within one school day after filing a police report, a parent or pupil shall complete the School District Provided Technology Device Loss Form and submit the completed Loss Form and a copy of the police report to the Principal or designee;
- A pupil shall be required to provide routine cleaning and care of the device in accordance with school district cleaning and care guidelines;

**II. ANTI-BIG BROTHER ACT** The Anti-Big Brother Act mandates that a school district furnishing a student with an electronic device equipped with recording capability must provide the student with “written or electronic notification that the electronic device may record or collect information on the student’s activity or the student’s use of the device if the device is equipped with a camera, global positioning system, or other feature capable of recording or collecting information on the student’s activity or use of the device.”

I am aware that all devices received from the District are capable of recording or collecting information about device activity and use. The District will not use any of the device’s capabilities in a manner that would violate my privacy rights or any individual residing with me. In addition, I am required to comply with all policies and procedures outlined in the District Responsible Use Policy.

**III. INTERNET** It is important that the Internet is used properly so that laws are not broken, others are not offended, and/or school rules are not violated. The District has taken all prudent actions to block and/or filter access to the Internet for the protection of students as mandated by the Child Internet Protection Act (CIPA).

I will immediately notify a staff member if anyone attempts to initiate any inappropriate personal contact with me, or my peers, while using the District’s Internet access.

I cannot expect privacy in any content stored or accessed through the District network. I understand that all Internet activity, including email and websites visited, is monitored and archived.

**IV. TECHNOLOGY SYSTEMS MANAGER** All issues, questions, or concerns regarding District-issued devices, network access, and technology should be directed to building principals or District Technology Coordinator, Michael Hann ([mhann@gmrdsd.com](mailto:mhann@gmrdsd.com)).

**PLEASE SIGN AND RETURN TO THE MAIN OFFICE**

**STUDENT SECTION:**

*As a user of technology, I understand that it is my responsibility to honor this Policy and uphold the District Technology Values both at school and at home. I understand that my actions can affect others and that I will be held accountable for my behavior. I will not engage in activities that are in violation of DISTRICT POLICY #7523*

*I have read and I understand the Responsible Use Policy and agree to follow these rules and guidelines when using technology.*

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name of Student

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student Signature

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

Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

**PARENT/GUARDIAN SECTION:**

*I hereby release the District and its personnel from any and all claims and damages of any nature arising from my child's use of, or inability to use, the District network responsibly. I understand that all use of District supplied technology is governed by DISTRICT POLICY #7523. I will instruct my child regarding the rules of use contained in this document. I understand that my child is subject to the same rules and agreements while not at school. I understand that the District encourages parents and guardians to supervise and monitor any online activity.*

*I acknowledge receipt of the Anti-Big Brother Act notification and I am aware that the devices my child uses in school are equipped with recording capabilities with the potential to monitor activity on said devices.*

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Print Name of Parent/Guardian

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Signature of Parent/Guardian