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## E-safety Parent Agreement

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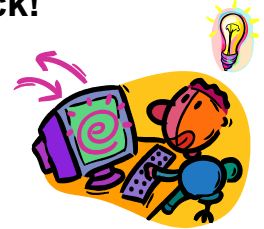
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## Keeping pupils safe: stop, think, before you click!



Parent / guardian name: \_\_\_\_\_

Pupil name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

As the parent or legal guardian of the above pupil(s), I grant permission for my daughter or son to have access to use the Internet, SWGfL e-mail and other ICT facilities at school.

I know that my daughter or son has signed an e-safety agreement form and that they have seen a copy of the 'rules for responsible ICT use'.

I accept that ultimately the school cannot be held responsible for the nature and content of materials accessed through the Internet and mobile technologies, but I understand that the school will take every reasonable precaution to keep pupils safe and to prevent pupils from accessing inappropriate materials. These steps include using an educationally filtered service, restricted access email, employing appropriate teaching practice and teaching e-safety skills to pupils.

I understand that the school can check my child's computer files, and the Internet sites they visit, and that if they have concerns about their e-safety or e-behaviour that they will contact me.

I will support the school by promoting safe use of the Internet and digital technology at home and will inform the school if I have any concerns over my child's e-safety.

Parent/guardian signature: \_\_\_\_\_

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

SWGfL is an acronym for South West Grid for Learning. They are a not-for-profit charity who provide internet and its protection to the school.

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**Use of digital images - photography and video:** I also agree to the school using photographs of my child or including them in video material, as described in the document 'Use of digital and video images'. I have read and understood this document. I understand that images will only be used to support learning activities or in publicity that reasonably promotes the work of the school, and for no other purpose.

**Parent/guardian signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_

To comply with the Data Protection Act 1998, we are requesting your permission before we photograph or make recordings of your daughter / son.

We follow the following rules for any external use of digital images:

We only allow children and their names to be used with the consent of parents/carers

If showcasing digital video work to an external audience, we take care to ensure that pupils aren't referred to by name on the video, and that pupils' full names aren't given in credits at the end of the film without parental/carer permission.

We only use carefully selected images to portray all members of our school community in a positive light.

Images are down loaded on to the school network and removed from the camera when the down load is completed.

Examples of how digital photography and video may be used include:

- Your child being photographed (by the classroom teacher, teaching assistant or another child) as part of a learning activity;  
e.g. photographing children at work and then sharing the pictures on the Interactive whiteboard in the classroom allowing the children to see their work and make improvements.
  - Your child's image for presentation purposes around the school;  
e.g. in school wall displays and PowerPoint® presentations to capture images around the school or in the local area as part of a project or lesson.
  - Your child's image being used in a presentation about the school and its work in order to share its good practice and celebrate its achievements, which is shown to other parents, schools or educators;  
e.g. within a CDROM / DVD or a document sharing good practice; in our school prospectus or on our school website. Occasionally, your child could appear in the
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media if a newspaper photographer or television film crew attend an event but you will always be asked for permission before we allow your child's image to be used.

Note: If we, or you, actually wanted your child's image linked to their name we would contact you separately for permission, e.g. if your child won a national competition and wanted to be named in local or government literature.

Further information for parents and children on e-Safety can be found at:  
[www.thinkuknow.co.uk](http://www.thinkuknow.co.uk)

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