



Good Foundations Academy

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GFA Computer Use Agreement

Students are provided school computers for the purpose of learning or to show evidence of learning. School computers are any digital device provided to the students to address digital assignments or activities. Internet resources are a valuable part of a student's education. School computer use and internet access is a privilege, which may be authorized to students as well as be withdrawn from students. Students are expected to be aware of and abide by the following:

1. Student Personal safety
 - a. Personal contact information may not be entered on internet sites open to all public access. This includes student address, phone numbers, and email addresses.
2. Internet Use
 - a. Students may use school internet access, including email only for teacher-directed educational activities.
 - b. Students may use school internet access only when authorized and only when supervised.
3. Prohibited Computer Uses
 - a. Students are strictly prohibited
 - i. To access or create files or materials without authorization regardless of content,
 - ii. To access or create offensive, profane, or pornographic files,
 - iii. To use internet games, multi-user domains, IRC's or web chat, or social media,
 - iv. To plagiarize works or violate copyrights or trademarks,
 - v. To use keystrokes or programming that alters, or interferes with, the purpose for the intended digital or computer-based activity.
 - vi. To damage, alter, or modify software or hardware,
 - vii. To attempt to bypass computer security.
4. Expectation of Privacy
 - a. Students have no expectation of privacy in files, documents, etc., that have been created in, entered in, stored in, downloaded from, or used on school equipment.
5. Disciplinary Action
 - a. Any use of a school computer by a student that goes against the teacher's or GFA's intended purpose constitutes a breach of the *GFA Computer Use Agreement*. Disciplinary actions will be taken to meet the specific concerns related to violations of this agreement (e.g.: loss of access to computers, suspensions, law enforcement involvement, etc.)

For further information, please, contact your student's teacher or school administration.

We have read and discussed the above computer agreement and agree to follow the rules.

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