

Independence Bible School's
STUDENT INTERNET USE / ACCESS PERMISSION FORM
Please complete the following information and return it to your school. PLEASE PRINT!

PERSONAL INFORMATION (One per family – list children's names)

Student's Full Name:

Date of Birth:

School Grade:

STUDENT/PARENT AGREEMENT

I understand that internet access is designed solely for educational purposes, and that it is intended that these resources are used only for educational purposes. Independence Bible School has taken reasonable precautions to supervise internet usage by students by installing filters on the network and, in the case of elementary students, white-listed the website they will be using. I have read and understand the **Guidelines for Telecommunications Use** (see reverse side of this form).

PARENTAL CONSENT – (Required if student is less than 18 years of age.)

As a parent or guardian, I recognize that it is impossible for the district to control access by the students to all information or materials available on the internet; it is likewise impossible to limit disclosure of information related to school internet websites or publications by the larger internet public, although Independence Bible School has made every effort to filter internet access. I will not hold the school responsible for materials acquired, contact made, or for any limit on the educational privacy of my child as a result of the disclosure of information on the internet. I accept full responsibility for supervision of my child outside the school setting.

BASIC INTERNET ACCESS

I hereby consent for my child to utilize the school internet services, and for disclosure of the following information when related to an activity or an academic assignment within Independence Bible School, in accordance with the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act, 20 USC §1232g:

Check yes or no to indicate whether permission is given or not:

yes___ no___ Basic Internet Access - permission for my child to utilize the school internet services

I certify that the information contained on this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. (Students over 18 years of age may sign for themselves.)

Parent/Guardian Signature Date

Parent/Guardian Full Name (please print):

Parent/Guardian Work Phone: Home Phone:

Student Signature Date

FOR SCHOOL USE ONLY: Date Authorization Granted:

By Whom:

Independence Bible School: Guidelines for Telecommunications Use

1. Activities must support education and school operations consistent with the educational goals and policies of Independence Bible School.

The use of the Internet and automated systems (mainframe, network, or workstation-based) is not a right, but a privilege, and inappropriate use will result in cancellation of that privilege. School administrators will decide what is inappropriate use based upon guidelines, standards, policies and prudent judgment.

User accounts shall be assigned or closed at the direction of the site or program administrator. It is the site administrators' responsibility to have a signed access use form on file for all users at that site prior to access authorization.

Parents are responsible for contacting their child's school regarding updates or changes to the permissions indicated on the original Internet/Access Use Form.

2. The person in whose name an account is issued is responsible for its proper use.

Unacceptable uses of the network include:

- violating student or staff rights to privacy;
- using profane, obscene or offensive language, graphics or other forms of communication
- use of school system technology resources in support of private or personal businesses; (business partners or interagency agreement agencies may be an exception)
- misuse or sharing of passwords
- sharing or using personally identifiable information or individually owned or copyrighted material (this includes pictures, artwork, & products) without the author's (or parent/ guardian's) prior consent;

3. Persons using Independence Bible School's Internet or automated systems connections must be properly authorized.

The signed Internet Use/Access Permission form is to be completed when the student registers or re-registers when transferring back to the school. The signed forms must be maintained on file at the school where the form was first completed.

Parents are responsible for contacting their child's school regarding updates or changes. Any change in permissions must be made in writing using an updated, signed Internet/Access Use Form. The school is responsible for updating the student electronic record and maintaining the updated Internet Use/Permission form on file at the school site.

4. Any breach in security where confidential records may have been accessed or secure information altered is a very serious problem and must be reported to the school administrator.

This is necessary to secure systems which may be at risk, and to track access records to resolve any access or data change problem. The site or program administrator will be notified of suspected access or distribution violations. It will be the responsibility of the administrator to follow up in investigating such reports and taking appropriate action..

5. Use of another individual's account (password) is a security violation. Attempts to log on as another user will result in cancellation of privileges and notification of the responsible administrators.

Any user identified as a security risk or having a history of problems with other computer systems may be denied access to all or part of the network.