



Australian International Islamic College

الكلية الإسلامية الدولية باستراليا

Access to Information Technology Resources Agreement

AIIC provides students with Information Technology resources for educational use. The resources provided include computers, printers, interactive whiteboards, data projectors, CD-ROM access and access to email and the internet.

Student use of the school unit's computers, networks, and Internet services is a privilege, not a right. Unacceptable use/activity may result in suspension or cancellation of privileges as well as additional disciplinary and/or legal action.

Students may use these facilities for educational and research purposes only, including for class work, for the preparation of assignments and for the development in skills using a computer. To use these resources, each student must agree to abide by the College's policy.

Students are able to gain access to the College's Internet system by signing an Access to Information Technology Resources Agreement. The form must be signed by both parents and the student. Students should be aware that in signing this agreement, they are agreeing to the following:

- Only software purchased or approved by the College, and installed by the College, can be used on College equipment. It is illegal to copy copyrighted software contrary to the Licence Agreement. No software or data on the College computer system may be copied. Printing from CD-ROM or downloading and printing from the internet is allowed for the purpose of school related study and research. Abuse or deliberate misuse of computer equipment will result in discipline by the Principal and may include being banned from using all College electronic facilities for up to one term.
- Deliberate attempts to seek or use material that is illegal or which would be regarded by reasonable persons as offensive is not permitted. The school administration has the final say in deciding what is or is not offensive in the school context, but will be guided by Section 85ZE of the Commonwealth Crimes Act which states that a person shall not knowingly or recklessly: 'Use telecommunication services supplied by a carrier in such a way as would be regarded by reasonable persons, as being in all circumstances, offensive.' **Use of the Internet in an offensive manner can result in criminal prosecution.**
- Students should be aware that all internet accesses are logged.
- If students are found misusing their access to the Internet, for example, sending chain letters or abusive letters or accessing offensive material they will be referred for disciplinary action and access to the network will be denied for a period specified by the Principal or the Principal's nominee.
- The College is particularly concerned that the College's internet is not used for bullying or harassing another student or person from outside. Students found using the College's system or any non-College electronic device, including mobile phones, for cyber bullying should expect severe disciplinary action, up to and including expulsion.
- Students are expected to respect the privacy and ownership of others' work at all times. This includes not plagiarising information they find on the internet and presenting it as their own work, or copying work of other students, with or without permission, which is held in students' computer files.
- The user is responsible for his/her actions and activities involving College computers, network, and Internet services and for his/her computer files, passwords, and accounts. Examples of unacceptable uses that are expressly prohibited include, but are not limited to the following:
- Any malicious use, disruption or harm to the College's computers, networks, and Internet services, including but not limited to hacking activities and creation/uploading of computer viruses; and Unauthorized Access to Chat Rooms/News Groups – Accessing chat rooms or news groups without specific authorization from the supervising teacher.
- No Expectation of Privacy
- The College retains control, custody, and supervision of all computers, networks, and Internet services owned or leased by the College. The College reserves the right to monitor all computer and Internet activity by students.
- Students have no expectations of privacy in their use of College computers, including e-mail and stored files.
- **Compensation for Losses, Costs and/or Damages**
- The student and/or the student's parent/guardian shall be responsible for compensating the College for any losses, costs or damages incurred by the Student.

I, _____ in Year _____
(Student's Full Name) (Year Level in 2019)

have been informed of the RULES (listed above) regarding appropriate use of the IT Resources. I agree to comply with these RULES. I understand any violation of these RULES could result in loss of this IT Resources or could result in my having responsibility of payment for repairs or replacement.

Student's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent's Signature: _____ Date: _____