

**FAITH CHRISTIAN ACADEMY  
COMPUTER/INTERNET USAGE AGREEMENT**

Access to the Internet is a wonderful opportunity to educationally interact with the world at large. The opportunity brings with it a number of responsibilities. In order to use the internet services available at FCA, you must read the following information and sign the computer/internet agreement that follows.

1. The use of any FCA computer/chromebook which provides access to the Internet is a privilege which may be revoked by instructors, staff, or administrators at any time for abusive or inappropriate conduct. Such conduct would include, but is not limited to, the placing of unlawful information on or through the computer, system, accessing another person's files or e-mail, and the use of obscene, abusive, or otherwise objectionable language or images in either public or private files or messages.
2. FCA reserves the right to inspect any material stored in files to which users have access. Users of the computers/Internet will not use their account to obtain, view, download, or otherwise gain access to potentially objectionable materials. This includes text materials, video images, or sound files that may be considered objectionable.
3. FCA's Internet access is provided for educational purposes under the direction of the staff, with staff present any time students use the internet.
4. Student accounts are to be used for **FCA academic assignments only**. Gaming, social media, chats, and other non academic activities are not permitted while on student accounts, **whether in or out of school**.
5. Rules and regulations of system usage will be added and posted from time to time by the faculty/administrators. Users of computers/Internet are subject to these rules and regulations.
6. Deletion, examination, copying, or modification of files and/or data belonging to other users without their prior consent is prohibited.
7. Any unauthorized, deliberate action which damages or disrupts a computing system (including the willful introduction of computer "viruses" or other disruptive/destructive programs), alters its normal performance, or causes it to malfunction is prohibited. Intentional attempts to "crash" network systems or programs are punishable disciplinary offenses.
8. Students shall not add our physical location to be a part of any online games.
9. At designated times students will be permitted to bring personal technology devices to school for certain lessons/activities. All internet rules above apply to those devices when at school. FCA is not liable or responsible for loss or damage to students' personal devices.
10. I give permission for my child to use Faith Christian Academy computing systems, Google Classroom, and FCA approved digital applications while enrolled at Faith Christian Academy. (Students don't usually use until 3<sup>rd</sup> grade; however, teachers sometimes use apps through the internet for them).

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I have read the Faith Christian Academy Computer/Internet Usage Agreement, understand it, and agree to adhere to the principles and procedures listed within. I also understand that additional rules and regulations may be added from time to time and that they become a part of this agreement. Should I break this agreement, I understand that I may lose all computer/Internet privileges and further disciplinary action(s) may be required.

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Student Signature

Date

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Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

\*INDICATES PARENT HAS ATTEMPTED TO EXPLAIN THE POLICY  
IN TERMS THEIR CHILD UNDERSTANDS, &/ OR CHILD HAS READ