



This Internet Access Agreement sets out the responsibilities of the student and parents or carers with regard to the use of ICT facilities at **Belmont State School**. Further information is available on the school webpage in the document Acceptable Use of the Department's Information, Communication and Technology ICT Network and Systems.

This agreement form must be completed and returned to the school office before students will be permitted to use any school computer and will be updated annually.

Student:

I understand that the school's ICT network provides me with access to a range of essential learning tools, including the internet. I understand that the internet can connect me to useful information stored on computers around the world.

While I have access to the school's ICT network:

- I will use it only for educational purposes
- I will not undertake or look for anything that is illegal, dangerous or offensive
- I will not reveal my password or allow anyone else to use my school account.

Specifically in relation to internet usage should any offensive pictures or information appear on my screen:

- I will close the window and immediately quietly inform my teacher
- or at home tell my parents/guardians.

If I receive any inappropriate emails at school:

- I will tell my teacher
- or at home tell my parents/guardians

When using e-mail or the internet I will not:

- reveal names, home addresses or phone numbers – mine or that of any other person;
- use the school's ICT network (including the internet) to annoy or offend anyone else.

I understand that if the school decides I have broken the rules for using its ICT network, appropriate action will be taken, which may include loss of access to the network (including the internet) for a period of time.

Student Name: _____ Class: _____ Student Signature: (If in Year 4 or higher) _____ Date: _____

Parent or Guardian:

I understand that the school provides my child with access to the school's ICT network (including the internet) for valuable learning experiences. In regards to internet access, I understand that this will give my child access to information on computers from around the world; that the school can not control what is on those computers; and that a small part of that information can be illegal, dangerous or offensive.

I accept that, while teachers will always exercise their duty of care, protection against exposure to harmful information should depend finally upon responsible use by students/my child. Additionally, I will ensure that my child understands and adheres to the school's appropriate behaviour requirements and will not engage in inappropriate use of the school's ICT network. Furthermore I will advise the school if any inappropriate material is received by my student child that may have come from the school or from other students

I believe _____ (name of student) understands this responsibility, and I hereby give my permission for him/her to access and use the school's ICT network (including the internet) under the school rules. I understand that students breaking these rules will be subject to appropriate action by the school. This may include loss of access and usage of the school's ICT network for some time.

Parent/Guardian Name: _____ Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date: _____

OFFICE USE ONLY	VALID FOR YEAR		DATE INPUT		INITIAL	
------------------------	----------------	--	------------	--	---------	--