

RSD 13 Information for Parents/Guardians Regarding District Technology and Your Child – SY 2011-12

Student Privacy

A goal of Regional School District 13 is to ensure the safety and privacy of our students and staff while using our district computers and networks. With this goal in mind, the information below is provided to parents/guardians.

The Student Handbook contains the Technology Acceptable Use Policy describing the student's opportunities and responsibilities while using District computers and networks.

Student Use of Technology: During this school year your child may engage in technology-based classroom projects and activities.

As part of classroom activities:

- your child's work may be displayed on Regional School District 13 webpages.
- your child may participate in school-related audio or video conferences with students and/or adults. Examples include projects involving "experts" such as authors, scientists, etc. or collaborative projects with students in other schools.

Guidelines for School Websites: A goal of Regional School District 13 is to ensure the safety and privacy of our students and staff. To assist us in achieving this goal, publication of student information and work on District webpages is restricted.

- Web publication of student photos (individual or group), video, voice and student work is permitted with first names used as appropriate.
- No personal information, such as home address or phone number, will be published on District webpages.
- U.S. copyright law protects your child's work. However, the District has no responsibility to, nor will it enforce U.S. copyright law pertaining to a student's work.

You must inform your child's building principal in writing no later than September 9, 2011 if you do not want your child to access the Internet while at school AND/OR if you do not want your child's photo/work to appear on a school webpage.