

# ICT Acceptable Use - Student Policy



## Proverbs 18:15


**An intelligent heart acquires knowledge and the ear of the wise seeks knowledge.**

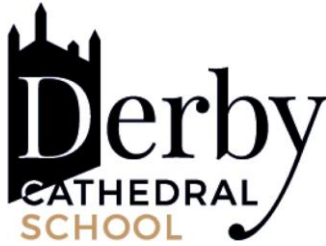
**The Governors are committed to supporting the school in its endeavours and to ensuring that this policy is achieved in the light of its vision,**

Derby Cathedral School is a community that welcomes students, families and visitors of all faiths and none. The diversity and richness of such a family brings depth and a vibrancy to our core. Underpinning and permeating our community are fundamental Christian values, of which we are proud. In line with the teachings of the Church of England we ask; "for individuals to be the best they can be".

We ask that all stakeholders of Derby Cathedral School uphold this philosophy through  
their ACTIONS,  
their ASPIRATIONS,  
and their ACHIEVEMENTS.

Through our curriculum, our enrichment opportunities, our pastoral House programme, our guidance and our role modelling, we aim to enable all members of our community to fulfill and exceed their potential.

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## ICT Acceptable Usage Agreement – Students

I understand that access to the computers, including the Internet, from Derby Cathedral School must be for educational research or learning, and I agree to the following:

- I will access the network using only my own username and password.
- I will not reveal my password to other people or seek to access other people's work.
- I will use the Internet for constructive educational purposes.
- I will not use the Internet for playing games.
- I am responsible for monitoring and rejecting inappropriate materials accessed.
- I will not access any websites, newsgroups, links that may be considered offensive in the judgement of the Headteacher (or delegate) because of pornographic, racist, violent, illegal, illicit or other content.
- I will not access social networking sites during the school day.
- I will not use a proxy (remote) server to access otherwise banned sites.
- I accept responsibility to keep copyrighted material from entering school. I will not download software, games, music, graphics, videos or text materials that are copyrighted.
- I will not bring portable storage equipment from home to put programs onto the computer.
- The messages I send or information I upload will be always be polite and sensible.
- If I see anything I am unhappy with or I receive a message I do not like, I will not respond to it but I will tell a teacher/responsible adult.
- I will not attempt to access the network with an unauthorised device e.g. mobile phone.
- I will respect the ICT equipment and report any problems to a member of staff.
- I will ensure laptops/netbooks etc are returned to the charging cabinets when not in use.
- I understand that ICT Support is monitoring access to email and Internet usage on a regular basis.
- I understand that access to the Internet or ICT facilities may be withdrawn if I violate this agreement.
- I will not print unnecessary non-school related material using the school facilities.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_