#### A ROMAN CATHOLIC SCHOOL



# Saint Rocco School

#### Sharing the Love of the Heart of Christ!

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### TECHNOLOGY USE AGREEMENT

Dear Parent/Student,

Please read this document carefully before signing the agreement.

Technology resources are available to students and teachers at St. Rocco School. These resources include access to computers in the technology labs, I Pads, chrome books, and use of the Internet. These resources are valuable to both students and faculty members. Our goal is to promote educational excellence in our school by facilitating resource sharing, innovation, and communication.

The purpose of this agreement is to ensure that the use of all technology resources is consistent with our mission and educational goals. Students must adhere to all technology guidelines as outlined below. Any violations may result in the suspension or loss of technology privileges.

To gain access to the Internet, all students must first obtain parental permission. The signature(s) at the end of this document is (are) legally binding and indicate(s) the party (parties) who signed has (have) read the terms and conditions carefully and understand(s) their significance including without limitations the disclaimer of liability by St. Rocco School.

#### Computer and Internet – Terms and Conditions

- 1) Students are responsible for good behavior on all school technology and the school computer networks. All school rules for behavior and communication apply.
- 2) Students are required to notify the homeroom teacher if for any reason their chrome book is not in good working order. Under no circumstance should a student borrow or use another student's chrome book.
- 3) The network is provided for students to support their academic work. Inappropriate use will result in a suspension or cancellation of Internet and/or computer privileges.
- 4) Users are not permitted to use the computer for commercial purposes, advertising, or political lobbying and campaigning unless given written permission by the principal.
- 5) Users are not permitted to transmit, receive, submit, or publish any material that is libelous, defamatory, inaccurate, abusive, obscene, profane, sexually oriented, threatening, offensive, illegal, or contrary to the mission of St. Rocco School.
- 6) Tampering with computer resources, whether it is physical or electronic, is not permitted. Damaging computers, chrome books, computer systems, or computer networks intentionally will result in cancellation of privileges and the costs incurred for repair.
- 7) Plagiarism in any form will not be tolerated and appropriate action will be taken. Users must respect all copyright and other laws that protect software owners, artists, and writers.
- 8) Security on any computer system is a high priority. If there is a security problem involving one of the school's computers, network, or Internet connection, the classroom teacher should be notified. Using other

students' password or trespassing in someone's folder, work, or files is unacceptable. Attempts to gain unauthorized access, including "hacking" and other lawful activities may result in cancellation of user privileges.

- 9) St. Rocco School assumes no responsibility or liability for any damages a user may suffer. This includes loss of data resulting from delays, non-deliveries, missed deliveries, or service interruptions caused by its own negligence, errors, or omissions. Use of any information obtained via the Internet is at your own risk. We specifically deny any responsibility for the accuracy or quality of information obtained through its service.
- 10) Those who operate the system may review files and messages to maintain system integrity and insure that students are using the system responsibly. Messages relating to or in support of illegal activities will be referred to the appropriate authorities. Administration and faculty may review and share student files and messages for educational purposes.
- 11) Students are not to use school technology resources in any way that is not permitted by the classroom teacher. The use of school technology is for educational purposes only. Unauthorized disclosure, use, and dissemination of anyone's personal identification information is prohibited.
- 12) Using inappropriate language, pictures or gestures as well as downloading unacceptable materials is strictly prohibited.
- 13) Students may be disciplined for inappropriate or harassing conduct even when not at school or using school property. Cyber bullying will not be tolerated by St. Rocco students whether in or out of school. Any violations may result in a loss of computer access, as well as other disciplinary or legal action. Users are subject to all local, state, and federal laws.

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### TECHNOLOGY USE ~ Signature Sheet

#### STUDENT SECTION

I have read and understand the school's Technology Use Agreement. I agree to follow the rules contained in this Agreement. I understand that if I violate the rules, my computer privileges can be terminated and I may face other disciplinary measures.

User Name (Please print)	Grade
Date	
PARENT OR GUARDIAN SECTION	
As the parent or legal guardian of the above student, I have read a Use Agreement and consent and authorize my child to access the school's technology resources are to be used for educational purp financial responsibility for damages incurred by my child's misuse technology resources.	Internet. I understand that the loses. I agree to accept any
Parent/Guardian Signature	
Date	
Parent/Guardian Name	
Home Address	Phone

**CHRIST** is the reason for this school. ~in our minds, on our lips, and always in our hearts~