

Responsible Use of Technology for Chinook School Division

The Chinook School Division supports opportunities for students and staff members to access and produce information through the acceptable use of technology in the pursuit of student learning and staff professional development.

The Board is committed to the belief that: "Technology is used effectively to strengthen programs for learners."

Terms and Conditions:

- 1. Students access to and use of Technology is monitored and is provide primarily for the students to meet curricular goals.
- 2. Students will be instructed on the appropriate and responsible use of technology (computers, Internet, software, etc.). While some sources of information may be blocked, students are responsible for their actions and behaviour.
- 3. Classroom standards of behaviour are expected when students are utilizing computers and other technologies. Independent use may be granted to users who act in a considerate and responsible manner
- 4. The Chinook School Division will make efforts to prevent student from accessing material via the Internet that is defamatory, inaccurate, illegal or offensive. This may not always be possible.
- 5. Printing from computers will be monitored by teachers to ensure the appropriate use of resources.
- 6. Technology will be used within the boundaries of copyright compliance.
- 7. Technology personnel and teachers may review files, work, and communication of students at any time to ensure they are being used in an appropriate manner.
- 8. Access to technology is a privilege not a right. Any breech of the Acceptable Use Policy by students may results in a temporary or permanent suspension of their Technology privileges.