

USD #381 Spearville/Windhorst
Acceptable Use of Computers and Networks:
User Agreement
Student

Students shall have no expectation of privacy when using district internet access, e-mail or other official communication and/or technology systems. Internet access and E-mail messages shall be used only to conduct approved educational purposes. All students must use appropriate language and purpose when accessing data and in all communications. Students are expected to conduct themselves in an ethical manner and to use the system according to these guidelines or other guidelines approved by the teachers and/or administrators.

Any e-mail, computer, and/or computer application or information in district computers or computer systems is subject to monitoring by the staff and/or administration. Students are responsible for technology assigned and/or used by them. The district retains the right to duplicate any information in the system or on any hard drive. All information in the system and/or on any hard drive is subject to search and seizure; students can expect no right to privacy. This includes information created by students in a computer system or on any individual computer. Students who violate district computer policies are subject to disciplinary action up to and including suspension and/or expulsion.

I will abide by the district guidelines and conditions for the use of the facilities and equipment of USD #381 Spearville/Windhorst Public Schools and access to the Internet. I further understand any violation of the district guidelines is unethical and may constitute a criminal offense. Should I commit any violation, my access privileges will be revoked. Disciplinary action, up to and including suspension and/or expulsion, denial of network privileges and/or appropriate legal action may be taken.

In order to make sure that all members of the Spearville/Windhorst community understand and agree to these rules of conduct, USD #381 requires you as a user to sign the following statement:

“I agree not to hold USD #381 Spearville/Windhorst public schools, nor any of its employees, nor any of the institutions or networks providing access to networks, responsible for the performance of the system or the content or costs or any material accessed through it.

I have read the terms and conditions for USD #381 Spearville/Windhorst public schools’ facilities use and Internet access. I understand that this free access is designed for educational purposes. However, I also recognize that it is impossible to restrict access to all controversial materials, and I will not hold USD #381 Spearville/Windhorst public schools responsible for materials acquired or sent via the network.”

DATE: _____

Student Name: _____

Signature: _____

Parent Signature: _____

This form will be retained on file by USD #381 Spearville/Windhorst for the duration of applicable computer/network/Internet use.