



## JUNIOR/SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT RESPONSIBLE USE AGREEMENT

The Holy Spirit Roman Catholic Separate Regional Division provides supervised access to technology and the Internet for students in order to enhance teaching and learning.

The Holy Spirit Roman Catholic Separate Regional Division provides ongoing student instruction that develops digital citizenship over time. Technology is one of the tools that students will use to develop the competencies they will need to be successful in life and work in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century. These competencies include, but are not limited to: creativity and innovation; critical thinking, problem solving and inquiry; communication and collaboration; self directed learning and 21<sup>st</sup> Century literacy. Information and Communication Technology is an integral part of the curriculum across subjects and grades to varying degrees.

Each student is assigned a personal network login and email account. The Holy Spirit Roman Catholic Separate Regional Division reserves the right to review any material on user accounts. Inappropriate use could result in cancellation of network privileges and may result in additional disciplinary or legal actions.

This Responsible Use Agreement is required for student use of any digital device in any Holy Spirit Roman Catholic Separate Regional Division school. The Agreement will be reviewed each school year with students and teachers together and will provide a springboard for teaching and learning around topics such as Internet safety, digital citizenship and ethical use of technology.

### **I agree to the following:**

- I will use digital devices in school for learning.
- I will use technology/Internet only with permission.
- I will use only my own personal login and keep my password private.
- I will use all technology resources in school responsibly, respecting the learning environment.
- I will use my Holy Spirit Account for school related activities.
- I will demonstrate digital citizenship in all online communication, including social networking.
- I will keep my personal information private.

**I understand that the Holy Spirit Catholic School Division has access to information about every web page I visit, electronic communication I send and file I create using the school network. I am aware that this information may be monitored and viewed by my teachers or other Division personnel. I understand that this limits privacy as it pertains to the use of the technology that is assigned to me and the information that is stored on school-provided (local and web-based) file storage spaces.**

**Student Name (please print):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature (may be printed):** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

As a **parent or guardian** of this student, I have read the Responsible Use Agreement and I understand that technology at school is for educational purposes only. I understand that student access to the Internet is supervised and that the staff and students will do their utmost to ensure students arrive at appropriate sites.

I have reviewed this Responsible Use Policy with my child. I agree to support the school in ensuring my child uses technology responsibly as outlined above.

**Parent/Guardian Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_