

INTERNET RULES FOR STUDENTS AT BOYDEN-HULL

Be aware that each student must abide by the rules to protect their continued privilege of using the Internet and the BH computer network. The following shall be in effect:

- 1.) All students shall have this form on file, a permission form signed by their parent. The new students will be inserviced on the operation of the network, and will be asking their parents to sign their permission form.
- 2.) For Internet safety, Boyden-Hull implements district-wide Internet content filtering without access to student or staff bypass. The filtering protects against access to visual depictions that are obscene, child pornography, or anything the school district deems harmful to minors. (FCC Rule Section 54.250 (c) (1) (i), (ii) and (v))
- 3.) Students should not have any expectations of privacy or confidentiality in the context of electronic communications or other computer files sent, received, or stored in their directory on the Boyden-Hull school computer system. No personal e-mail is allowed.
- 3.) For personal safety and security of students, e-mail, chat rooms and other forms of direct electronic communication are not allowed except with express permission and under the supervision of Boyden-Hull faculty/staff. Relative to the Internet, students may not use or include any information that could identify themselves, other students or staff. The school accepts no liability for students who may receive material or have contacts through the Internet connection that are essentially prohibited by our policies or law. (FCC Rule Section 54.250 (c) (1) (iv))
- 4.) The Internet and network ID or password that the student is given, is provided only for THAT student's personal use. They should not share it, nor use another student's ID or password, regardless of how the password was obtained or found out. If a student suspects someone else is using their password, the student needs to immediately talk to the technology coordinator to get their password changed. A student using another password shall be severely disciplined.
- 5.) Students must follow the copyright law! They may not copy and forward, copy and download, or copy and upload to the network or server, any copyrighted material without the permission of the original author, or of their teacher, Principal or Tech Coordinator. This includes text and/or music. Copyrighted material is ANYTHING WRITTEN BY SOMEONE ELSE! Students shall not access another student's work to either see it, change it, or corrupt it in any way.
- 6.) Students will not use the district Internet/Intranet for any unlawful activities by minors. Hacking of our computer system or anyone else's computer system is NOT okay! The releasing of viruses, worms, or programs that will, or could damage the system, or disrupt the normal operation of the computer system is prohibited. (FCC Rule Section 54.250 (c) (1) (iii))
- 7.) Students may not use the network to conduct personal business or solicit sales.
- 8.) ALL Internet sites containing sexually explicit material (those showing female or male nudity, for example), are off limits to students. Active attempts to go to these sites will result in immediate loss of network and Internet privileges.
- 9.) Violation of the rules will result in a conference with the Principal and could result in the student's removal from the Boyden-Hull computer network for a certain period of time. Repeated infractions will result in further hearings, a note home to their parents and possible removal from the network for the remainder of the school year.

All students must have a signed permission sheet turned in to the Principal's office. **(1-form per family-list all students in grades 7-12)**

Student Name (Please Print) Grade

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Student Name (Please Print) Grade

Parent Signature

Date