



Franklin Township Public Schools

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The Board of Education recognizes as new technologies shift the manner in which information is accessed, communicated, and transferred; these changes will alter the nature of teaching and learning. Access to technology will allow students to explore databases, libraries, Internet sites, and bulletin boards while exchanging information with individuals throughout the world. The Board also recognizes technology allows students access to information sources that have not been pre-screened by educators using Board approved standards.

The Board has adopted [Policy 2361 Acceptable Use of Computer Networks/Computers and Resources](#) and the accompanying [Regulation 2361](#), to support access by students to information sources while reserving the right to limit use to materials appropriate for educational purposes. Further, the Board has adopted standards of conduct for the use of computer networks and declares unethical, unacceptable, or illegal behavior as just cause for taking disciplinary action, limiting or revoking network access privileges, and/or instituting legal action.

The Board provides access to computer networks/computers for educational purposes only. The Board retains the right to restrict or terminate student access to computer networks/computers at any time, for any reason. School district personnel will monitor networks and online activity to maintain the integrity of the networks, ensure their proper use, and ensure compliance with Federal and State laws that regulate Internet safety.

Students of the district may be given access to a technology device, for use in school and, in some cases, use outside of school, which may record or collect information on the student's activity or the student's use of the device. Students should have no expectation of confidentiality or privacy with respect to any usage of a district issued technology device, regardless of whether that use is for district-related or personal purposes, other than as specifically provided by law.

However, pursuant to [Policy 7523- School District Provided Technology Devices to Students](#), Franklin Township Public Schools will not use any of the capabilities of this device in a manner that would violate the privacy rights of the student or any individual residing with the student.

By checking the box via the Genesis Parent Access Portal for my child, I will be acknowledging receipt of the above noted Policies and Regulation and consenting to the use of the school districts' computer networks/computers and the Internet by my child. .

You may download a copy of this form and the referenced Policies and Regulation and/or print them for your records. A paper copy of these documents and this form may also be made available by contacting the main office of the school where your child attends.