



Internet Acceptable Use Agreement

Georgia Preparatory School is networked, and is a provider of technologies that allow students and staff members to share information, access data or information outside of the school, and access the internet or the information super highway. We believe the system-wide network of the internet is necessary and greatly enhances educational opportunities.

The regulations described as the acceptable and use procedures for Georgia Preparatory School are as follows:

1. All use of school system internet must be for educational purposes.
2. Students and staff members should not use connectivity for personal, commercial, or political reasons.
3. Any illegal use of internet is strictly prohibited.
 - Accessing, sending, creating, or posting communications that are:
 - * Damaging to another person's reputation
 - * Abusive
 - * Obscene
 - * Sexually orientated
 - * Threatening or demeaning to another person's race or gender
 - * Contrary to school policy
 - * Harassing
 - * Illegal
 - Posting plagiarized works
 - Posting anonymous or forged emails
 - Attempting to read, alter, delete, or copy email messages of other users
 - Giving out personal information
 - Sharing user name and passwords with others
4. Students and staff members are expected to abide by general acceptance rules of network etiquette:
 - Be polite, no abusive messages to others
 - Use appropriate language, no vulgarity
 - Do not reveal personal information; address, phone number, of colleagues
 - Do not use network to disrupt others
 - Emails are guaranteed private; be careful what you say
 - All communications and information should be assumed to be private property
 - Statements offered by you are considered your opinion and not those necessarily of Georgia Preparatory School or its views
5. The use of the internet is a privilege, not a right, and inappropriate use will result in cancellation of those privileges.