

## Gardner Public Schools

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### Acceptable Use Consent and Waiver Form

**This form is for applicants under 18 years of age**

By signing this Consent and Waiver form, I, and my parent(s) or guardian(s) agree to abide by all rules that are listed in the Gardner Public Schools Acceptable Use Policy.

I and my parent(s) or guardian(s) are aware that the primary purpose of the Gardner Public Schools' Internet connection is educational. The Gardner Public Schools believes that the benefits to educators and students from access to the Internet, in the form of information resources and opportunities for collaboration, far exceed any disadvantages of access.

I and my parent(s) or guardian(s) are aware that the use of the Internet is a privilege, not a right. Further, my parent(s) or guardian(s) and I are aware that the Gardner Public Schools does not have control of the information on the Internet, although the district attempts to provide prudent and available barriers. Some sites accessible via the Internet may contain material that is illegal, defamatory, inaccurate or potentially offensive to some people. The intent of the Gardner Public Schools is to make Internet access available to further its educational goals and objectives.

I and my parent(s) or guardian(s) agree to accept all financial and legal liabilities that may result from my use of the Gardner Public Schools' Internet connection.

I and my parent(s) or guardian(s) have read the Gardner Public Schools Acceptable Use Policy.

I and my parent(s) or guardian(s) release the Gardner Public Schools and all other organizations related to the Gardner Public Schools' Internet connection from any liability or damages that may result from the use of the Internet connection. In addition, I and my parent(s) or guardian(s) accept full responsibility and liability for the results of my personal actions with regard to use of the system/network and the Internet and release the Gardner Public Schools from any liability or injury relating to the consequences of my use of the Internet. [IJNDB-RE]

Student Signature	Student Name <i>please print</i>
Parent/Guardian Signature	Date signed
School:	Grade:

---- Please do not write below this line ----

Username:	Password:
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Instructions: Sign, date, and return one copy of this form to the school office. Sign, date, and keep the other copy of the form. You must return the signed and dated form before you will get a password to use district computers.  
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