

Trussville City Schools Technology/Media Usage Agreement

To ensure that students receive a quality education and that employees are able to work in a professional and intellectually stimulating environment, it is the policy of the Trussville City Schools to provide all students and employees with access to a variety of technology resources. The creation of a large and varied technology environment demands that technology usage be conducted in legally and ethically appropriate ways consistent with the TCS Beliefs. In that regard, Trussville City Schools will need Parent/Guardian permission for students to continue computer access while at school. Students may not be allowed computer access until this form has been completed, signed, and returned. If you have specific questions regarding the policy, please contact the Technology Team Leader at your school. The primary goal of the technology environment is to support the educational and instructional endeavors of students and employees of the Trussville City Schools. Use of any and all technology resources is a privilege and not a right. The complete text of the Trussville City Schools' technology policy can be found in the Code of Conduct and on our website at: www.trussvillecityschools.com.

Computer Usage

_____ Yes, I hereby give and grant permission for my child to participate in the Technology Program of Trussville City Schools including computer and Internet usage. I further release Trussville City Schools from any damages. I do further certify that I am of full legal capacity to execute the forgoing authorization and release. I accept responsibility, knowing that this release is on file, to have it removed when and if I deem disadvantageous or inadvisable for my child to have computer and/or Internet access. I understand that this agreement will be binding during the entire school career of my child.

_____ No, I do not give permission for my child to have access to computers or Internet usage.

Media Usage

In addition, your child's school may wish, at any given point, to publish examples of student projects, group photographs, or student recognitions (honor rolls, scholarships, recognitions, student work, class projects, artwork, etc.) either on the TCS Website or for publication or broadcast without limitation at the school's discretion. A student's name and/or photograph may be featured on the school's website and/or by television stations or newspapers. **This does not include publication of a student's personal information (phone number, address, etc.).** The administrators of each school will be responsible for establishing, maintaining, and enforcing this policy at their schools.

_____ Yes, I hereby give and grant permission for my child to participate in publication of his/her picture, recognitions, and name by school and/or media that would reasonably and properly portray the program at school and/or education of the students. I further release Trussville City Schools from any damages. I do further certify that I am of full legal capacity to execute the forgoing authorization and release. I accept responsibility, knowing that this release is on file, to have it removed when and if I deem disadvantageous or inadvisable to have my child featured in such a manner. I understand that this agreement will be binding during the entire school career of my child.

_____ No, I do not give or grant permission for my child to participate in the publication of his/her picture, recognitions, and name by school and/or media.

Student Name (please print) _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____

Current School _____ Grade _____