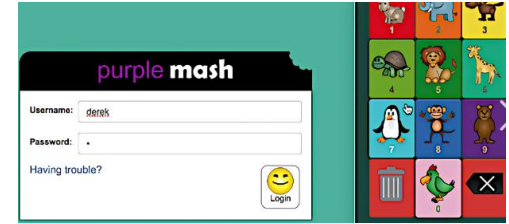




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Children's Acceptable Internet Use Policy

Digital technologies have become integral to the lives of children and young people, both within school and outside school. These technologies are powerful tools which open up new opportunities for everyone. These technologies can stimulate discussion, promote creativity and stimulate awareness of context to promote effective learning. Young people should have an entitlement to safe internet access at all times. This acceptable use policy is intended to ensure:

- That children will be responsible users and stay safe whilst using the internet and other digital technologies for educational, personal and recreational use.
- That school systems and users are protected from accidental or deliberate misuse that could put the security of systems at risk.
- That children will have good access to digital technologies to enhance their learning and in return, we expect the children to agree to be responsible users.

I understand that I must use the school systems in a responsible way, to ensure that there is no risk to my safety or to the safety and security of the systems and other users.

This policy will help me to be safe.

- I will keep to the rules to help me stay safe; this will make me a responsible user.
- I will take care of the equipment that we have in school.

For my safety:

- I will not tell anyone my password.
- I understand that my use of technology (especially when I use the internet) will be supervised and monitored.
- I will remember not to speak to strangers when I use the internet.
- When I am on the internet I will not tell anyone personal information about myself or other people.
- I will tell an adult straight away if anything that makes me feel uncomfortable.

I will consider other people when on the internet:

- I will be polite and responsible when I communicate with others online.
- I will not take or share pictures of anyone if they do not want me to.

I will look after school equipment:

- I will only use the equipment that the teacher says I should use.
- I will tell an adult if the equipment is broken or not working.
- I will only open emails and attachments when my teacher says it is ok to do so.
- I will not alter computer settings on purpose.

When I use the internet:

- I will only go on the websites that my teacher has told me to use.
- I should remember that information on the internet may not be true.
- If something pops up that I am unsure about I will tell an adult.

Artificial intelligence AI can make pictures and information—but not everything we see is real.

- I will question what I see: “Does this look right?” or “Could this be fake?”
- I will always ask an adult if I’m not sure about something I see.

I know I have to be sensible, both in and out of school:

- If I break the rules I know that I might not be allowed to use the school resources.

Class.....

Date.....

