

MORRISVILLE BOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

**ACCEPTABLE USE POLICY**

The use of computers and technology in the Morrisville Borough School District is designed to have a positive impact on curriculum and instruction for all users. It is designed to enhance learning and provide access to educational resources beyond those that are available in any one school.

As a condition of my right to use Morrisville Borough School District Technology and Network, including use of and access to public networks such as the Internet, I understand, acknowledge and agree to the following:

1. That the use of Morrisville Borough School District Network, including use of and access to public networks, is a privilege which may be revoked by the district at any time for abusive conduct or violation of any conditions of use set forth in the attached policy. The district will be the sole arbiter of what constitutes abusive conduct or a violation of its policy. Individuals are expected to limit their use of this resource only for information directly related to the content of courses being studied or other approved topics.
2. That the Internet will not be used to obtain, view, download, or otherwise gain access to materials, which the district, at its sole discretion, believes may be inappropriate. The Internet will not be used for illegal activity; non-school related activities; transmitting offensive materials such as: hate mail, harassment, or discriminating remarks; other antisocial behavior; or obtaining obscene or pornographic material.
3. That intentionally seeking information, obtaining copies, modifying files, passwords, or other data belonging to other users is prohibited.
4. That I have received and read a copy of the Technology Resource Policy which governs and controls the use of and access to the Morrisville Borough School District Network and I agree that my use or my child/ward's use will be in conformity with the terms and conditions of the policy.
5. That I am aware that Morrisville Borough School District does not have complete control of the flow of information and/or types of information/data which may appear on the Internet or other public networks, nor can Morrisville Borough School District prevent users from accessing the full range of information available on the public networks.

6. That Morrisville Borough School District will not be liable for any direct or indirect, incidental or consequential damages that arise or result from information gained, used or obtained via the use of the Morrisville Borough School District Network, including access to the public network.
7. That the Morrisville Borough School District does not warrant that the Morrisville Borough School District Network will meet any specific use requirements or need of any user, or that any information received will be error free or uninterrupted, and Morrisville Borough School District shall not be liable for any direct, indirect, incidental or consequential damages, including, but not limited to, loss of data and information, sustained or incurred, in connection with the use, operation or inability to use the Morrisville Borough School District Network.
8. To abide by the rules and regulations of usage as may be promulgated from time to time by Morrisville Borough School District, including but not limited to, all conditions and provisions of the Technology Resource Policy which is attached hereto.
9. That the user shall be liable for and responsible for all damages to software and equipment caused by the user's carelessness, recklessness, negligence and/or deliberate or willful misconduct.
10. That the use of Morrisville Borough School District Network and/or equipment for fraudulent or illegal purposes, including, but not limited to, violations of copyright or communications law is strictly prohibited and may result in referral to appropriate local, state, or federal authorities.

In consideration for the privilege of using Morrisville Borough School District Network and having access to public networks, I expressly agree to release, acquit and forever discharge Morrisville Borough School District, its administrators, teachers, directors, and employees of and from any and all claims, demands, actions and causes of action of every kind whatsoever, including without limitation, liability for copyright violations which may hereinafter accrue on account of or in any way growing out of any and all known and unknown, foreseen and unforeseen uses of or inability to use the Morrisville Borough School District Network.

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(Signature of Student/User)

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(Signature of Parent/Guardian)

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