



Homebush Boys HS

Computer and Internet Code of Behaviour

Rights

1. I have the right to use the school computer network and internet facilities for classroom assignments.
2. I have the right to privacy for my password and my work, however, I understand that staff will supervise me to ensure that I am on task.
3. I have the right to use a workstation that is well maintained and not vandalised.
4. I have the right to use school approved portable media.
5. I have the right to be safe and not confronted by rude, obscene or dangerous material.

Responsibilities

1. I have the responsibility to maintain the computer facilities as the school community has set them up for use.
2. I have the responsibility to report any problems with hardware or set up immediately to a teacher / supervisor.
3. I have the responsibility to respect the privacy of other people's passwords and under no conditions reveal my password to other students.
4. I have the responsibility to observe all copyright laws in my use of software and the internet. I will avoid plagiarism and acknowledge all sources.
5. I have the responsibility to use appropriate language (netiquette).
6. I have the responsibility to report any sites containing offensive or inappropriate material.
7. I have the responsibility to ensure my own personal safety and that of others by not revealing the personal details of myself or any other person on the internet.
8. I have the responsibility to ensure that I use the computers appropriately and I will not congregate around workstations that are used by other students.

Consequences

Breaches of the *Code of Behaviour* will result in the loss of privileges, including access to the School Computer Network and Internet. Other actions may be required as specified in the School's *Code of Conduct*.