

Dear Parents/Guardians,

St. Catherine School uses Google Apps for Education in the 3rd-8th grade classrooms. Google Apps for Education is a suite of free, web-based programs that allow our students to create, share and store documents, spreadsheets, and presentations.

Please review and return this page to school as soon as possible.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact your child's teacher.

Student Name: _____

Parent/guardian: _____

_____ I give permission for my child to use Google K-12 Apps for Education. By doing so, I agree to enforce acceptable use when my child is off School property.

Parent Signature

Date

Google Apps for Education runs on an Internet domain purchased and owned by the school and is intended for educational use only. Your student's teachers will be using Google Apps for lessons, assignments, and communication.

Google Apps for Education is also available at home, the library, or anywhere with Internet access. School staff will monitor student use of Apps when students are at school. Parents are responsible for monitoring their child's use of Apps when accessing programs from home. Students are responsible for their own behavior and for following school rules at all times. Student safety is our highest priority.

Acceptable Use (Privacy and Safety) Apps for Education is for educational use only.

Privacy - School staff, administrators, and parents all have access to student accounts for monitoring purposes. We have asked students to share their login information with their parents. Continue to have conversations around technology with your child and together we will keep our children safe and help them to become technology literate. Students have no expectation of privacy on the Apps system.

Safety - Students are responsible for the use of their individual accounts and should take precautions to prevent others from being able to use their account. Under no conditions should a user provide his/her password to another person (other than parent or teacher).