Pupils online safety agreement

For my own personal safety - everywhere!

- I will ask permission from a member of staff before using devices at school
- I am aware of "stranger danger" and know that not everyone online is who they say they are
- I will tell a trusted adult about anything online which makes me feel uncomfortable
- I will not try to bypass the system to reach websites the school has blocked
- I understand that the school may check my files and may monitor my activity
- When in school I will only contact people with my teachers permission



- I will be very careful when sharing pictures or video of myself or my friends.
- I know that many apps have privacy settings which allow my data to be shared and I will check these settings with a trusted adult

To keep the system safe

- I will only use my own login and password, which I will keep secret
- I will not access other people's files
- I will not play games on a school computer unless my teacher has given me permission
- I will not install software on school computers
- I will not use the system for games, gambling or shopping.



Responsibility to others

- The messages I send will be polite and responsible
- I will not share images or video of other people without their permission
- I understand that the school may take action against me if I am involved in incidents of inappropriate behaviour wherever their location. If the activities are illegal this may be reported to the police



Personal Devices

- The school cannot accept responsibility for loss or damage to personal devices
- It is not permitted for pupils to use Mobile Phones during the school day. Phones should be
- Other devices (e.g. Games consoles, cameras) should only be brought into school with permission from a teacher.



We understand that your child is too young to give informed consent on his/her own; however, we feel it is good practice to involve them as much as possible in the decision making process, and believe a shared commitment is the most successful way to achieve this.

Pupils online safety contract	
Please complete, sign and return to the school secretary	
Pupil:	Form:
Pupil's Agreement I have read and I understand the pupils online safety agreement, and will abide by the rules which are designed to keep both myself and the school safe	
Signed:	Date:
Parent's Consent I have read and understood the online safety agreement and give permission for my son / daughter to access the Internet at school, and will encourage them to abide by these rules. Children will receive advice on online safety at school, advice for parents is available at www.thinkuknow.org.uk/parents or by contacting the school. I understand that the school will take reasonable precautions to ensure pupils cannot access inappropriate materials. The school will help children to learn about staying safe online, but recognises that the primary responsibility for online safety at home lies with parents / carers. The school will seek to work with families to help them to encourage children to adopt safe use of the digital technologies at home. I will follow the school's guidance on taking and sharing images and video at school events.	
Signed:	Date:
Please print name:	