

# *Internet Code*

## Children's Rules for Responsible Internet Use

### *Black Firs Primary School*

The School has computers, iPads and tablet devices with internet access to help our learning. These rules will help keep us safe and help us be fair to others.

#### **Using the computers:**

- I will only access the computer system with the login and password I have been given;
- I will not access other people's files;
- I will not bring in USB sticks, disk-drives, CDs, DVDs & memory-sticks from outside school and try to use them on the School computers without permission.

#### **Using the internet:**

- I will ask permission from a teacher before using the internet;
- I will report any unpleasant material to my teacher immediately because this will help protect other students and myself;
- I understand that the School may check my computer files and may monitor the internet sites I visit;
- I will not complete and send forms without permission from my teacher;
- I will not give my full name, my home address or telephone number when completing forms.

#### **Using e-mail:**

- I will ask permission from a teacher before checking the e-mail;
- I will immediately report any unpleasant messages sent to me because this would help protect other students and myself;
- I understand that e-mail messages I receive or send may be read by others;
- The messages I send will be polite and responsible;
- I will only e-mail people I know, or my teacher has approved;
- I will only send an e-mail when it has been checked by a teacher;
- I will not give my full name, my home address or telephone number;
- I will not use e-mail to arrange to meet someone outside school hours.

#### **Using virtual learning; *Black Firs 3<sup>rd</sup> place*:**

- I understand that blogs & messages I receive or send may be read by others;
- The messages I post will be polite, responsible, appropriate and not slander others;
- I will immediately report any unpleasant messages sent to me
- I will not include any personal contact information about *anyone* in messages I post;
- If I break these rules, then they my messages will be sent to my teacher to be checked before they are posted
- I will never submit or upload photographs of children with their names attached.