

## Mission Statement of the SJRCS One-to-One Computing Initiative

St. John Regional Catholic School is committed to preparing students to be literate, responsible citizens in a technological society. The one-to-one computing program will allow our students to learn in a technology-rich instructional environment to become effective users and communicators of information in order to function as a productive citizen of the twenty-first century.

# Student/Parent iPad Agreement

The integration of the iPad into the classroom is very exciting and, if utilized correctly, will create stimulating new opportunities for our students. Because of the relative freedom students have in acquiring media and content on their iPads, this document will serve as a contract between the school, student, and parent in order to ensure a safe and productive technological atmosphere.

#### **Terms of iPad Use**

Parents/Guardians will be informed of the date and time of a mandatory orientation meeting. The one-to-one computing program and the Student/Parent iPad Agreement will be explained. The parent/guardian and student must sign the agreement in order for the student to be issued an iPad.

#### A. Terms of Loan

- 1. SJRCS will issue an iPad to 8<sup>th</sup> grade students upon compliance with the following:
  - Completion of Parent/Guardian Orientation Meeting
  - Submission of signed Student/Parent iPad Agreement

Title to the iPad and its contents remain with SJRCS at all times. A student's right of possession and use is limited to and conditioned upon full and complete compliance with the following school policies:

- Acceptable Use Policy for Computers
- Technology guidelines as outlined in the Parent/Student Handbook
- 2. Students may be subject to loss of privilege, disciplinary action, legal action and/or financial responsibility for the \$490 iPad and cover in the event of intentional damage and/or violation of policies and guidelines.

#### B. General Care

- 1. Heavy objects should never be placed or stacked on top of the iPad. This includes books, musical instruments, sports equipment, etc.
- 2. Any inappropriate or careless use of the iPad should be reported to the teacher immediately.
- 3. Do not do anything to the iPad that will permanently alter it in any way.
- 4. Use both hands when carrying the iPad.
- 5. Willful and deliberate damages or neglect of the iPads will cause SJRCS to charge the student/parent replacement and repair costs based on the fair market value, which is currently \$490.
- 6. Do not write, draw, paint, place stickers/labels or otherwise deface your iPad or iPad case. Remember, the iPad and the iPad case are the property of SJRCS.
- 7. Do not eat or drink while using the iPad.
- 8. Students may only carry one iPad at a time, and must return it to the designated "home base" during lunch, "specials" (if not needed), and the end of the day.
- 9. Each student is responsible for their iPad.

# **Terms of Use**

- 1. The student is required to use the iPad exclusively for the work associated with class. If a student is found perusing the Internet, utilizing any form of social networking, checking email, engaging unrelated media, or doing anything that is not directly related to class, the iPad will be confiscated until the student meets with an administrator who will decide disciplinary action.
- 2. If at any time, a student is found to be accessing inappropriate media on their iPad, the teacher reserves the right to confiscate the iPad and turn it in to a school administrator. The parents of the student will be contacted immediately and appropriate disciplinary action will ensue.

## The following are **always prohibited**:

- Pornographic, obscene, or vulgar content
- Downloading, uploading, sending, or importing inappropriate content
- Illegal use or transfer of copyrighted materials to any school owned device

<u>CYBER BULLYING</u> is bullying which is carried out through an Internet service such as email, chat room, discussion group, or instant messaging. It may also include inappropriate use or distribution of images, videos or audios of another person. Any form of cyber bullying will not be tolerated under any circumstances. Students will not access chat rooms or social networking sites and will not give out any personal details over the Internet. Students will be respectful of others when using iPads or any other electronic communication device at school.

#### Student Pledge for iPad Use

- 1. I will follow all of the rules as stated in the Parent/Student Handbook and the SJRCS Acceptable Use Policy.
- 2. I agree that any inappropriate use of the iPad will result in disciplinary actions that may include the loss of iPad use and school suspension. Inappropriate use includes but is not limited to:
  - a. Visiting inappropriate websites
  - b. Possessing inappropriate pictures or media files
  - c. Cheating
  - d. Installing unapproved applications
  - e. Deleting installed applications
  - f. Installing a Passcode for the iPad
  - g. Changing the background
  - h. Deleting or changing another student's work in any application
- 3. I will take good care of the iPad assigned to me.
- 4. I will only touch the iPad assigned to me.
- 5. I will only use the iPad in a classroom under the supervision of a teacher.
- 6. I will not take pictures or videos unless instructed by a teacher.
- 7. I will keep food and beverages away from my iPad.
- 8. I will use my iPad in ways that are appropriate, meet school expectations, and are educational.
- 9. I will not deface any part of the iPad or case.
- 10. I understand that the iPad is the property of St. John Regional Catholic School.

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Date	Student Name (Print)	Student Signature	
 Date		Parent Signature	