

**CAMPUS TECHNOLOGY POLICY**  
**VALLEY LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL**  
2014-2015

Each student will agree to the following guidelines for acceptable use of technology at Valley Lutheran High School. These policies are in effect at all times on the Valley Lutheran High School network, including on campus computers, on school owned iPads, and on personally owned iPads and other computers and devices used on the campus Wifi network.

1. Use of the computers and Internet is for academic purposes only. Visiting social networking sites such as Facebook, Google Plus, or Twitter is prohibited.
2. Playing of streaming audio and video services (including but not limited to iTunes Radio, Pandora, and Netflix) is not permitted during school hours. Exception: Playing Youtube videos is permitted during school hours only if required for a school assignment.
3. Do not submit, publish, display or retrieve/download any inappropriate matter including material that is disruptive, defamatory, abusive, obscene, profane, gang-related, sexually threatening, racially offensive or illegal.
4. Do not attempt to harm or modify any computer hardware, software, or configuration, nor attempt to gain unauthorized access to our network system or data, destroy software, interfere with system security, or circumvent internet firewalls or filtering.
5. Do not attempt to install software on any computer without permission of the network administrator.
6. Do not attempt to use any other user's computer password, even if permission has been granted by that user. Never share your password with anyone.
7. Notify appropriate personnel if there is any reason to believe that someone has obtained unauthorized access to our school's system.
8. Do not use the network in a way that would disrupt or disturb the learning process of others.
9. Do not use any interactive chat functions on the Internet, including but not limited to Snapchat, iMessage and AOL Instant Messenger.
10. Playing multi-player Internet games, including but not limited to many games at Yahoo! Games, is not permitted.
11. Understand that e-mail and other files on networks should not be considered absolutely secure or private.
12. Be extremely cautious if you reveal home addresses or personal phone numbers over the Internet.
13. Abide by all copyright regulations, thereby refraining from illegally copying copyrighted software.
14. **Remember that activities not permitted by the above rules are not permitted regardless of if those activities are possible with the Valley Lutheran High School firewalls and filtering software. Attempting to circumvent Valley Lutheran High School firewalls and filtering software by any means is prohibited.**

The use of computers is a privilege at Valley Lutheran High School. Any action by a user determined to be inappropriate by a staff or faculty member is subject to consequences.

I understand and will abide by the above terms and conditions of this Technology Policy, and will use computer and electronic resources for educational purposes only. I also understand that any violation of this agreement is unethical and may constitute a criminal offense and may result in civil liability to me, and to my parents or guardians if I am under age 18. Should I commit any violation, I am subject to consequences of the school and state and federal law.

Student Name (PRINT) \_\_\_\_\_

Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

## iPad Care and Use Agreement Form – 2014-2015

Student Name (Print) \_\_\_\_\_ Grade 9 10 11 12

I understand that I am being issued an iPad for use during the school year by Valley Lutheran High School.

I agree to abide by all of the guidelines and policies listed in the iPad Care and Use Handbook, and the Campus Technology Policy.

I agree to take proper care of my iPad to prevent damage, loss, or theft, and understand and agree that in the event of damage, loss, or theft, I will be held responsible for the cost of repairs or replacement, up to a maximum of \$500.

Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_