

TURTLE MOUNTAIN SCHOOL DIVISION

PARENTAL PERMISSION FORM

INTERNET ACCESS

To the parent:

Schools in Turtle Mountain School Division are now providing access to the Internet for students. In Turtle Mountain School division, computers and the Internet are used to support learning and to enhance instruction. However, with connections to computers and people all over the world also comes availability of materials that may not be considered to be of an appropriate educational value.

The principal and instructional staff will take all reasonable steps as per the Computer Use Policy to ensure that students are not allowed to access inappropriate materials. On a global network, it is impossible to restrict access to controversial materials. In order for your son/daughter to access the Internet, the following form will need to be completed and returned to your school.

Part A – To be completed by the parent(s):

I understand that the Internet, a global computer network, may contain material which is inappropriate for student use. I also understand that the school will attempt, wherever possible, to supervise students while utilizing the Internet in order to ensure that they do not access such inappropriate materials. However, I also understand that it is impossible for students to be supervised at all times and that it is the responsibility of myself and my son/daughter to avoid inappropriate use of Internet access. By placing my signature on this permission form, it is my understanding that my son/daughter will abide by the guidelines set by the school for appropriate use of the Internet.

Parent's Name (please print)

Parent's Signature

Date

Part B – To be completed by the student:

By placing my signature on this permission form, I am confirming that I will abide by the use of the Internet access provided by Turtle Mountain School Division.

Student's Name (please print)

Student's Signature

Date

This authorization will remain in effect until terminated by written notice by the parent.

Consequences for inappropriate Internet use:

Please understand if you child is a party to inappropriate use of the Internet, the following consequences will apply:

1. On the first offense, the parties involved will receive one month suspension of all computer privileges.
2. On the second offense, the parties involved will lose their computer privileges for the remainder of the year.