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THE ROLE OF CATHOLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS IN E-LEARNING

Students are expected to participate in the learning of the teacher's lessons as if they were within their school's walls.

Students using technology platforms are expected to adhere to the guidelines set forth in the **Technology Acceptable Use Procedures.** In general, students should:

- Use respectful behavior and language at all times;

- Stick to appropriate topic discussions;

- Send only appropriate video transmissions;

- Use only appropriate icon, emoji, and avatar submissions;

- Wear appropriate clothing if attending meetings via video;

- Be honest and use academic integrity by not plagiarizing or copying others' work; and

- Not falsify information about oneself or impersonate others online.

Technology Acceptable Use Procedures

St. Patricia School provides technology resources to its students and staff for educational purposes. The goal in providing these resources is to promote educational excellence by facilitating resources sharing, innovation and communication with the support and supervision of parents/guardians, teachers, and support staff. The use of these technology resources is a privilege, not a right. Access to computers provides the potential availability of material that may not be considered of educational value in the context of the school setting. Appropriate behavior, as it relates to the use of computers, is no different from behavior expectations in all other aspects of the learning and instructional program. All users are expected to use the computers and computer networks in a responsible and ethical manner. This document is intended to clarify these expectations as they apply to computer and network usage in schools. St. Patricia School procedures are as follows:

- prevent user access or transmission over its computers and computer network of inappropriate material via internet, electronic mail, or other forms of direct electronic communications;

- prevent unauthorized access and other unlawful online activity;

- prevent unauthorized online disclosure, use, or dissemination of personal identification information of minors; and including but not limited to the intranet, Internet access, fax, email, stand-alone computer

and telephone;

- comply with the provision of the Children's Internet Protection Act {Pub.L.No.106-554 and 47 USC 254 (h)} Use of the technology resources that are prohibited include, but are not limited to:

- violating student rights to privacy/confidentiality or unauthorized disclosure, use, and dissemination of personal identification information;

- attempting any unauthorized access, including hacking of any computer system;

- downloading unacceptable materials;

- re-posting personal communication without the author's prior consent;

- violating copyright law;

- using school technology resources for financial gain, credit card fraud, electronic forgery, other illegal activity and political purposes;

- downloading, installing or storing software on a school computer without the approval of appropriate school personal;

- changing or attempting to alter any configuration, program or password on any computer or system;

- using a school computer without knowledge/approval of school personnel responsible for the computer;

- using inappropriate language, pictures, and gestures in any form on the Internet;

- using the Internet for entertainment or limited self-discovery function;

- using the Internet for unauthorized, purchases.