

**Harney County  
School District 3**

Code: **IIBGA-AR(2)**  
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**Computer/Internet Guidelines**

Computers are to be used for educational purposes only. Internet access is available only to those who have a signed parent approval letter on file. The Internet Access Approval space in the Harney County School District Agenda must be signed by an instructor in order for students to access the Internet on a library computer. Computer use in the library will be monitored. Students are not to be in the computer classrooms without a teacher present.

1. Access to Chat Rooms of any kind is not permitted.
2. Games are not permitted on any computer.
3. No downloading of programs is permitted.
4. E-mail, when applicable to education, will be allowed.
5. No Internet based E-mail accounts allowed (Hotmail, Yahoo, etc.)
6. No adding or deleting programs or changing computer settings.

Harney County School District has a “zero tolerance” for computer use that in any way involves violence or pornography. Internet privileges and computer access will be revoked for the remainder of the school year and/or student suspension or possible expulsion could result from any student who is involved with any site relating to violence or pornography. Violations of law will be reported to law enforcement officials.

**Consequences of Computer Misconduct**

**First Infraction of Computer Misuse:** (not related to violence or pornography) Conference with student, teacher and parent (teacher initiates parent/student conference). Behavior referral written and given to Principal or Assistant Principal.

**Second Infraction of Computer Misuse:** (not related to violence or pornography) Internet privileges revoked for remainder of the school year. Conference with student, administrator, and parent (administrator initiates parent/student conference). Possible suspension or detention time.

**Computer use at Harney County School District is a privilege  
and we expect students to act responsibly.**

1. No food or drinks are allowed in computer labs or in the library.
2. Any debt acquired by using the Internet will be the responsibility of the student user.
3. Any student who causes damage to or vandalizes any computer or computer equipment will be responsible for the cost of replacement and/or repair.

**Student:** I have read and understand these guidelines and I agree to abide by these provisions.

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Student Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

- I give my permission for my student to use the district’s computer/internet.
- I do not give my permission for my student to use the district’s computer/internet.

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Signature of Parent/Guardian

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Date