



EMMANUEL AND
GRACE COLLEGE
Associated Sixth Form

COMPUTER NETWORK ACCEPTABLE USE POLICY

The College computer network exists to enhance learning and improve communication and administration. Sixth Form students should access the network understanding that they are fully accountable for their actions. Students, like staff, must understand that all network activity is monitored, and action will be taken should inappropriate activity be detected. Just as we expect high standards of conduct and behaviour in and around College, the same principles apply with the network. Students are responsible for what they search for, view and save while using the College network.

Serious breach of the Computer Network Acceptable Use Policy may result in permanent exclusion.

Students must adhere to the following:

- Utilise the computer network solely for activities that relate to College.
- Ensure that instant messages and direct messages relate solely to College activities.
- Ensure that online activity is work-related. Students must not search for, view or save material that is sexually explicit, violent or promotes hatred towards others as well as any other material that has been deemed unsuitable for their age.
- Avoid streaming media unless permission has been given by a member of staff.
- Avoid uploading any files that may cause harm to the network.
- Avoid using Virtual Private Networks (VPNs) or Internet Protocol (IP) spoofing software.
- Connect only to ESF-BOYD with your network username and password.