

FOR STUDENTS UNDER AGE 13 ONLY
OPT OUT OF STUDENT USE OF ONLINE RESOURCES



ONLY if you wish to Opt-Out, complete one form for each child in your family. For questions regarding this form or to receive copies of the documents listed in this form, please call the District’s Technology Help Desk at 920-448-2148.

Student’s Legal Name (print): _____ **Date of Birth:** _____
School: _____

The Green Bay Area Public School District (“GBAPSD” or “District”) is committed to providing relevant and engaging learning opportunities. As part of this commitment, the District may utilize online resources that are operated by third parties, and not by the District. In order for students to use these resources, certain personal identifying information – generally the student’s name and email address – must be provided to the website company.

There are federal laws and regulations that protect the confidentiality of student information. One such law, the Children’s Online Privacy Protection Act (<http://gg.gg/COPPA-rule>), requires a website company to provide parental notification and obtain parental permission before they can allow a child under age 13 to register for an account with them and collect any of their personally identifiable information. The law also permits school districts such as ours to consent to the collection of personal information and create accounts on behalf of its students, thereby eliminating the need for individual parental consent given directly to the website company.

Please know that the District utilizes a screening process before approving apps and online resources for use in classrooms and that students are only directed to sites that are age and subject appropriate with no or minimal advertising. Students are supervised when using technology in the classroom and are expected to follow the Responsible Use Policy and Rule (Board Policy and Rule 363.2) related to the use of technology. The Policy and Rule can be found on the District’s website at: <http://gg.gg/GBAPSPolicy>.

A list of the possible online resources that may be used in our classrooms, together with links to their privacy policies and terms of service, is available on the District website at: Our District>Departments>Department of Technology (<http://gg.gg/gbaps-Technology>). If you have questions about the websites that are being used as part of your child’s curriculum, please contact your child’s teacher.

Parents/guardians of students under age 13 who wish to prohibit their student's use of third party online resources: Complete the form below and return it to your child’s school office by **September 22, 2020** or within fourteen days following your child’s enrollment in the District, whichever is later. If you choose to opt out below, it will only apply for the **2020-21** school year or until the District issues the subsequent opt out form, whichever is later (**September 22, 2020 through September 28, 2021**). Please note that opting out of the use of online resources does not opt a student out of required state assessments.

If this form is not returned, the District will consider that you consent to your child’s use of said online resources for educational use, you give permission for your child to register for accounts for these District-approved online resources, and you understand that your child’s access to these online resources is not private and their account may be monitored.

To DENY your child’s use of third party online resources, complete and return this form.

“Opt Out” of Use of Online Resources for students under age 13.

_____ **Choice T-D.** I DO NOT give my child permission to use District-approved online resources selected by my child’s teacher. I understand by completing this form, my child will not be allowed to access, participate, use or submit information utilizing any of the teacher selected online resources that may be used for classroom projects and demonstrative learning and may result in significantly limiting my child’s participation in District classes.

Stop! Only sign if you want to deny use of Online Resources for students under age 13.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date
