Dear Parents/Guardians

Please have yourself and your child complete the form below and return to the school as soon as possible.

Student

I understand that the Internet can connect me to useful information stored on computers around the world.

While I have access to the Internet:

I will use it only for educational purposes.

I will not look for anything that is illegal, dangerous or offensive.

If I accidentally come across something that is illegal, dangerous or offensive, I will:

- clean any offensive pictures or information from my screen; and
- immediately, quietly, inform my teacher.

I will not use the Internet to annoy or offend anyone else.

I understand that if the school decides I have broken these rules, appropriate action will be taken. This may include loss of my Internet access for some time.

_______________________(Student’s name)  

_______________________(Student’s signature)  

____________(Date)

Parent or Guardian

I understand that the Internet can provide students with valuable learning experiences.

I also understand that it gives access to information on computers around the world; that the school cannot control what is on those computers; and that a very small part of that information can be illegal, dangerous or offensive.

I accept that, while teachers will always exercise their duty of care, protection against exposure to harmful information should depend finally upon responsible use by students.

I believe____________________(Name of student) understands this responsibility, and I hereby give my permission for him/her to access the Internet under the school rules. I understand that students breaking these rules will be subject to appropriate action by the school. This may include loss of Internet access for some time.

Important Note: In giving my permission for my child to have access to the internet I understand that access will continue until my child leaves Fairview Heights State School. I understand that:

I will not be asked to complete Internet Usage Forms at the start of each year and my child’s access will automatically continue, and

I will need to contact the school office if I wish to discontinue permission for my child to access the internet whilst at school.

______________________________  (Parent or guardian’s name)  

______________________________  (Parent or guardian’s signature)  

____________(Date)