

Congregation Beth Israel Religious School Campus Network Acceptable Use Policy for Students

Congregation Beth Israel Religious School Computer Network is established for the educational and professional use of the students, faculty, and staff. The network includes computers and peripheral devices located throughout the campus in computer labs, libraries, classrooms, and offices connected to each other and the Internet. Religious School students have access to this network and are expected to be responsible users following the guidelines set out by this policy.

The rules we will follow in Religious School while using the computer:

- I will not give out personal information such as my address, telephone number, or the name and location of my school without my parent/teacher permission.
- I will not damage computer equipment or software.
- I will not use chat rooms or instant messaging.
- I will not use bad language, scare or try to harm anyone through my actions online.
- I will tell my teacher right away if I find something that worries or scares me.
- I will not try to access or alter files or systems that I know I do not have access to.
- I will not intentionally seek information on, obtain copies of, or modify files, other data or passwords belonging to other users.
- I will not look at or search for materials on the Internet that are obscene, offensive, or are connected with gambling.
- I will use the Internet stations in a responsible manner, respecting the rights of other users.
- I will not violate copyright laws.

Please Note: Social Networking has become a very important tool in our communicating society and as such is evolving every day. As a consequence, it is difficult to establish rules, regulations, and guidelines when the social networking environment is so fluid. The policy of the Religious School is to prohibit exposure of students in the public social network system when possible. Parents/guardians have the right to do as they wish with their own child(ren)'s entrees on the web. However, parents may not display other Religious School students on any personal social media sites without written permission from the Religious School and/or parents of the students.

Your signature on the Religious School registration form indicates that you have reviewed this policy with your child, and you agree to abide by it. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Joan Gelfond, Technology Director.