



USAG Wiesbaden CYS Youth Technology Lab (YTL) Internet/Wi-Fi Acceptable Use Policy (AUP) and Parent Permission Form



Youth Name (Print): _____

1. The USAG Wiesbaden Youth Center provides filtered access to the Internet via a WiFi network. Youth are allowed to utilize the WiFi network after providing written parent/guardian permission to the Youth Center.
2. Youth who have provided signed parent or legal guardian permission forms agree to comply with all provisions of this policy, to include random and select monitoring. In addition, all users must complete a Basic Computer Skills Test and an Internet Use Test.
3. Access to the Youth Center wireless network is a privilege, not a right, and is expected to be used appropriately at all times.
 - a. All youth using the CYS Youth Technology Lab and/or accessing WiFi must abide by all YTL rules.
 - b. WiFi access codes issued by Youth Center staff must be kept confidential.
 - c. Youth must be respectful. Abusive and/or inappropriate messages should never be sent to anyone.
 - d. Cyber-bullying is considered harassment. Cyber-bullying is the use of any electronic communication device to convey a message in any form (text, image, audio, or video) that intimidates, harasses, or is otherwise intended to harm, insult, or humiliate another in a deliberate, repeated, or hostile and unwanted manner. Youth will refrain from using personal communication devices or CYS property to cyber-bully one another. Cyber-bullying may include but is not limited to:
 1. Spreading information or pictures to embarrass.
 2. Heated, unequal arguments online that include making rude, insulting or vulgar remarks.
 3. Isolating an individual from his or her peer group.
 4. Using someone else's screen name and pretending to be that person.
 5. Forwarding information or pictures meant to be private.
 - e. Users must abide by copyright laws. CYS accepts no responsibility for any illegally downloaded or inappropriately used software or other copyrighted material (e.g. audio, video, graphics/images, printed documents, etc.) installed on personal devices while using the CYS network.
 - f. Youth must keep all personal information private. Personal information should not be shared with others via the Internet.



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g. Defamatory, inappropriate, abusive, obscene, profane, sexually oriented, threatening, racially offensive, illegal material, or information that encourages the use of controlled substances or the use of the system for the purpose of inciting crime should not be accessed.

h. Vandalism of the network and/or equipment (i.e. creating or purposely uploading an infected file) is prohibited.

i. Youth must report to an adult any material posted online that makes them worried that someone else might be in danger or might cause harm to others.

Youth User:

By signing below, I acknowledge that I have read, understand, and will abide by the USAG Wiesbaden CY5 Youth Technology Lab Internet/WiFi Acceptable Use Policy for accessing a government network using my personal communication device(s) or handheld device provided by CY5 and will use the Internet in a manner that is safe and responsible. I understand that any violation of the AUP may be unethical and illegal. If I commit any violation, my access privileges may be revoked and disciplinary action and/or appropriate legal action may be taken.

Name of Youth: _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian:

As the parent or guardian of (name of youth) _____, I have read the USAG Wiesbaden CY5 Youth Technology Lab Internet/WiFi Acceptable Use Policy. I understand that CY5 has taken all reasonable precautions to ensure safe access to the Internet. A filter is being utilized to limit access to questionable material. I also recognize that it is impossible for CY5 to restrict access to all controversial materials, and I will not hold CY5 responsible for materials acquired on the network. I hereby give permission for (name of youth) _____ to access the Internet.

Parent/Guardian Name: _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____