Ashmore State School

An Independent Public School

Working together to ensure that every day in every classroom, every student is learning and achieving.

Dear Parent/Carers,

The use of web based educational resources has risen steadily over the last decade and is increasingly being used by teachers across Queensland to improve student learning outcomes. As a result the Department of Education and Training requires that parents and carers of all students who wish to have access to these programs <u>MUST </u>sign the attached consent form and return it to the classroom teacher. Once the form is returned and if relevant fees are paid **(Literacy Planet and Mathletics)** your child will have full access to these programs at school. This consent form covers a family.

Our school and teachers make decisions about the best technology to meet the needs of our students. Sometimes it is beneficial for students to utilise services provided by third party web based providers.

Ashmore State School utilises third party web based service provider/s listed below to aid students learning. For your student to use the service the teacher will need to register them as a user. Registering with these providers requires student personal information to be disclosed to the provider of the service. In the case of the services outlined below they are private companies that are hosted onshore in Australia and outside of Australia. Outside of Australia means that data that is entered to register for these sites will be stored on servers that are not based in Australia and therefore are not bound by Queensland's privacy laws. Registration may include disclosing the following information about your student:

- Student Name,
- Age,
- Year group,
- Class Teacher and
- Student email

We need your permission for the registration and use of these sites by your student.

Note: It is not compulsory for you to provide this consent – If you decide not to provide consent, this will not adversely affect academic achievement, or any relationships with teachers or the school.

Before you complete this consent form it is important that you understand the reasons that these websites collect this information, what will be done with it, who else may have access to it and where the data is stored. This information can be found in the hyperlinks below referring to each website's terms and conditions and/or privacy policy.

Please read these and ensure that you understand the implications of using this service before giving your consent. If you have any queries around the storage of student's information, please feel free to contact your child's teacher.

Below are the third party web based service providers:

Name of Provider: Seesaw

Type of Service: The purpose of this website is to capture student work in a digital 'portfolio'. This product enables:
1. Teachers to organise students into class groups, set assignments and appointments, and track student work.
2. Students to document learning activities at school with photos, video and text content in a portfolio format.
3. Students' work can be shared with classmates or parents, and enables teacher and parent communication.

Website: http://web.seesaw.me

Terms of Use: https://app.seesaw.me/about/terms

Privacy Policy: https://app.seesaw.me/about/privacy

File Storage: Cloud based servers in the USA.

Name of Provider: Literacy Planet

Type of Service: The purpose of this website is to allow students to learn and play interactive games to improve in English literacy. Students can participate in quests, play games and compete in competitions. Teachers can assign work, monitor students' progress and grade students.

Website: http://www.literacyplanet.com

Terms of Use: http://www.literacyplanet.com/terms_of_use

Privacy Policy: http://www.literacyplanet.com/privacy_policy

File Storage: Cloud based servers in Australia

Name of Provider: Mathletics

Type of Service: **T**he purpose of this website is to promote and provide access to a product *designed to develop a students mathematic ability*.

Website: www.mathletics.com.au and http://www.3plearning.com/au/ (parent website)

Terms of Use: www.3plearning.com/terms-conditions

Privacy Policy: www.3plearning.com/privacy-policy

File Storage: Cloud based servers in USA

Name of Provider: Aurasma

Type of Service: Purpose of use: The purpose of this website is to allow users to create or view augmented reality experiences that combine the physical and digital environments.
The viewing of augmented reality is via a mobile device.

Website: http://aurasma.com

Terms of Use: https://static.aurasma.com/beta/content/terms/terms.html

Privacy Policy: https://static.aurasma.com/beta/content/terms/aurasma-privacy-policy.html

File Storage: Cloud based servers in USA.

Name of Provider: Code.org

Type of Service: The purpose of this website is to learn drag and drop programming through tutorials and exercises.

Website: https://code.org/ and https://code.org/educate/applab

Terms of Use: https://code.org/tos

Privacy Policy: https://code.org/privacy

File Storage: Cloud based servers in USA

Name of Provider: Scratch

Type of Service: The purpose of this website is to allow users to create stories, videos, animations or games via the 'Scratch' programing language. Users can leave comments in other users' projects and participate in discussions and forums.

Website: http://scratch.mit.edu

Terms of Use: https://scratch.mit.edu/terms_of_use

Privacy Policy: https://scratch.mit.edu/privacy_policy

File Storage: Cloud based servers in USA

Name of Provider: ClassDojo

Type of Service: The purpose of this website is to help teachers improve student behaviour and engagement while keeping parents and caregivers in the loop.

Website: http://www.classdojo.com

Terms of Use: https://www.classdojo.com/en-gb/privacy

Privacy Policy: https://www.classdojo.com/en-gb/terms

File Storage: Cloud based servers in USA

Name of Provider: StudyLadder

Type of Service: The purpose of this website is to provide students with an online learning platform for all subjects

Website: https://www.studyladder.com.au

Terms of Use and Privacy: https://www.studyladder.com.au/about/privacy

File Storage: Cloud based servers in USA

Name of Provider: Plickers

Type of Service: The purpose of this website is to help teachers collect real-time formative assessment data without the need for student devices.

Website: http://www.plickers.com

Terms of Use: https://www.plickers.com/terms

Privacy Policy: https://www.plickers.com/privacy

File Storage: Cloud based servers in USA

Name of Provider: Vocabulary Spelling City

Type of Service: Purpose of use: The purpose of this website is to allow teachers to create word lists to help students improve spelling, vocabulary and grammar. It has audio components that assist students to pronounce and comprehend words in a sentence. Schools that purchase premium have functionalities such as creating own students list, student activity tracking tool with scores and progress for each activity and vocabulary tests.

Website: http://www.spellingcity.com/

Terms of Use: https://www.spellingcity.com/terms-and-conditions.html

Privacy Policy: https://www.spellingcity.com/privacy-policy.html

File Storage: This service stores information in the United States of America (USA)

Name of Provider: PM Benchmark

Type of Service: The purpose of this website is to promote and provide access to the software or App Store app, PC Benchmark. This software:
1 provides access to prepared reading material designed to enable the learning process.
2 enables teachers to monitor and analyse the progress of students reading ability.

Website: http://cengage.com.au/primary/browse-series/pm/pm-benchmark

Terms of Use: https://cengage.com.au/corporate-home/help/using-this-site/terms-and-conditions

Privacy Policy: https://cengage.com.au/privacy

File Storage: This App Store service stores information in the United States of America (USA).

Name of Provider: Epic

Type of Service: The purpose of this website is to provide an online library with the ability to track students' progress.

Website: https://www.getepic.com/educators

Privacy Policy: https://www.getepic.com/privacy

Terms of Use: https://www.getepic.com/privacy

File Storage: This service stores information in the United States of America (USA)

Name of Provider: Sphero

Type of Service: The purpose of this website is to provide a hub to create, contribute and learn with programming skills for Sphero robots.

Website: http://edu.sphero.com/

Privacy Policy: http://www.sphero.com/privacy

Terms of Use: http://www.sphero.com/terms

File Storage: This service stores information in the United States of America (USA)

Name of Provider: Acer Online Assessment and Reporting (OARS)

Type of Service: ACER is a recognised international leader in the development and provision of high quality assessment and reporting tools and services for schools, universities, and TAFE institutes. Educators can purchase and administer online assessments including PAT Maths, Reading, Spelling, Vocabulary, Grammar and Punctuation, Science through this service.

Website: https://oars.acer.edu.au

Privacy Policy https://www.acer.org/privacy

Terms of Use: https://oars.acer.edu.au/terms-conditions

File Storage: Onshore (in Australia)

Privacy Notice

The Department of Education and Training is collecting your personal information on this form in order to obtain consent for disclosure of a student's personal information to facilitate registration and use of third party web based software identified on the form. The information will be used and disclosed by authorised school employees for the purposes outlined on the form.

Student personal information collected on this may also be used or disclosed to third parties where authorised or required by law. This information will be stored securely. If you wish to access or correct any of the personal student information on this form or discuss how it has been dealt with, please contact your student's school in the first instance.

Please return this page to your child's teacher as soon as possible.

Student's name: _____

Year level: _____

Ashmore State School utilises third party web based service provider/s listed below to aid students learning. These sites are approved by Education Queensland and have had the required risk assessments, to ensure all guidelines are met.

Please **circle your choice** (or cross out which does not apply) to your child's information being provided to each of the third party providers for the provision of an educational service.

Seesaw	Do Consent	Do Not Consent
Literacy Planet	Do Consent	Do Not Consent
Mathletics	Do Consent	Do Not Consent
Aurasma	Do Consent	Do Not Consent
Code.Org	Do Consent	Do Not Consent
Scratch	Do Consent	Do Not Consent
Class Dojo	Do Consent	Do Not Consent
Study Ladder	Do Consent	Do Not Consent
Plickers	Do Consent	Do Not Consent
Vocabulary Spelling City	Do Consent	Do Not Consent
PM Benchmark	Do Consent	Do Not Consent
Epic!	Do Consent	Do Not Consent
Sphero	Do Consent	Do Not Consent
Acer Online Assessment	Do Consent	Do Not Consent

As a parent or guardian of this student, I have read the terms of use and privacy policy of each of the websites listed. I understand that my student's personal information will be provided to these third party software providers for the purpose of my student's registration and use of the software programs and that this information may be stored outside of Australia.

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Parent/Guardian's Name   Parent/Guardian's Signature   Date