

MEDICINE LODGE LINCOLN LIBRARY

INTERNET PERMISSION LETTER

The Lincoln Library is pleased to be able to offer access to the Internet for library patrons. To gain access to the internet, all students must obtain parental permission and must sign and return this form to the Lincoln Library.

Access to the internet will enable students to explore thousands of websites. Families should be warned that some material accessible via the internet may contain items that are illegal, defamatory, inaccurate or potentially offensive to some people.

While our intent is to make internet access available to enhance educational goals and objectives, students may find ways to access other materials as well. We believe that the benefits to students from access to the internet, in the form of information resources and opportunities for collaboration, exceed any disadvantages. But ultimately, parents and guardians are responsible for setting and conveying the standards that their children should follow when using media and information sources. To that end, The Medicine Lodge Lincoln Library supports and respects each family's right to decide whether or not to apply for access.

Individual users of the computer network are responsible for their behavior and communication over the network. It is presumed that users will comply with library standards and will honor the agreement they have signed. Beyond the clarification of such standards, the Medicine Lodge Lincoln Library is not responsible for restricting, monitoring or controlling the communications of individuals utilizing the network.

As outlined by the Medicine Lodge Lincoln Library Board policy and procedures on student rights and responsibilities, the following are **NOT** PERMITTED:

Sending or displaying offensive messages or pictures.

Using obscene language

Damaging computers, computer systems or computer networks

Violating copyright laws

Violations may result in a loss of access as well as other disciplinary or legal action.

First Violation will result with student being banned from Internet for one month.

Second Violation will result with student banned from Internet indefinitely.