

**Parent/Guardian Opt Out Declaration for Usage of Technology and Internet Resources**

Student access to the Internet in Colorado Springs School District 11 (the District) as an educational resource is automatic unless a parent or guardian notifies the school in writing as required by Colorado Springs School District 11 Board of Education (the Board) Policy IMBB, Exemptions from Required Instruction. This Opt Out Declaration may be used for that parent/guardian notification.

The District adopts the approach of helping students become responsible users of digital media and provides specific learning experiences in appropriate online behavior, safety and privacy, and cyberbullying to address Children’s Internet Protection Act (CIPA). With this educational opportunity comes personal responsibility. To ensure that users are acting responsibly, all users must realize that any user’s files and messages may be reviewed by authorized personnel. While the District will take reasonable steps to restrict access by minors to harmful material including the use of an Internet content filter, it is impossible to guarantee that such access cannot or will not be gained. The District shall not be responsible for ensuring the availability of the District’s technology resources or the accuracy, age appropriateness, or usability of any information found on the Internet.

If you choose for your student to not have access to Instructional Technology and Internet Resources in the District, your student will be required to use alternative resources.

I do not allow my student to have Internet access for school year\_\_\_\_\_.

I do not allow my student to have email access for school year\_\_\_\_\_.

Student’s Name (please print) \_\_\_\_\_

Student’s Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Student ID Number \_\_\_\_\_

School \_\_\_\_\_ Grade Level \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian’s Name (please print) \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian’s Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date Signed \_\_\_\_\_