ICT Acceptable Use Agreement

Information and Communication Technologies (ICT's) includes the use of computers, the school network, the Internet, and digital/video cameras.

At Pleasant Grove School computers are used to enhance teaching and learning in several ways: for communicating with other people, for publishing students' work, for research and learning basic skills.

The rules we follow at Pleasant Grove School when using computers are:

<u>General Use</u>

You may not alter **any** settings on an assigned laptop, this includes personalizing the desktop.

You may not download **anything** to the local drive.

You may not install **anything** on a school system, even if Windows allows it.

You may not open a command prompt, nor any interactive shell (powershell, BASH etc.)

You may not open any administrator tools, even if allowed to by Windows.

Attempts to circumvent the school's content filtering system or account security will result in disciplinary action.

Laptops are expensive, you will be held responsible for damage caused by neglect, or an accident that you could have prevented. **Replacement cost for a laptop is around $450.00.**

You are expected to handle it with care and prevent it from being damaged. Students will receive a warning slip if computer is dropped.

Your assigned system must be returned in the same condition that you received it.

I have read the above rules and agree to follow them.

Student Signature: _____ Date:_____

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____