

### STUDENT INTERNET & MOBILE DEVICE AGREEMENT

# **Purpose**

This agreement outlines the expectations, responsibilities, and acceptable use of mobile devices and internet access for students at GLOBAL. By signing, students confirm their understanding of the school's E-Safety Policy and agree to uphold a professional, respectful digital presence at all times.

# Acceptable Use Guidelines

### 1. Use Devices Responsibly

- Only use mobile devices in lessons if and when instructed to do so by a teacher and for learning purposes (e.g. researching, photographing work for your portfolio).
- Keep mobile phones and personal devices **out of view** during lessons unless permission is granted, although they are not required to be switched off.
- Avoid recording or photographing anyone else without consent.

#### 2. Stay Safe Online

- Only access approved websites and apps during school hours.
- Do not share personal information (full name, phone number, address, etc.) online.
- Never arrange to meet anyone you've only interacted with online. If somebody suggests this to you then you should immediately notify a member of staff.

#### 3. Communicate Respectfully

- Always use appropriate language when messaging or posting online, whether inside or outside school.
- Cyberbullying of any kind is strictly prohibited and will be treated as a serious offence.

### 4. Use School Systems Appropriately

 Do not download unauthorised apps, software, or media onto any schoolowned devices, or any personal devices which are specifically and exclusively used for learning.



## 2Your Responsibilities

- **Be Alert**: If you see something online that is worrying, inappropriate, or makes you feel uncomfortable, report it immediately to a staff member.
- **Be Accountable**: Understand that the school may monitor device use to keep everyone safe. Inappropriate use may result in loss of privileges or further disciplinary action.
- **Be Respectful**: Treat all digital tools and platforms as extensions of the classroom—professional behaviour applies both online and offline.

# Agreement

I understand and agree to follow the guidelines above and the expectations outlined in the school's E-safety Policy. I understand that failing to meet these expectations may lead to disciplinary action, including restricted access to devices, parent contact, or other sanctions as appropriate.