Pleasant Valley High School
Computer Use Policy

<u>Student Rules and Responsibilities:</u>

1. No one may use another person's login or password to enter, copy, alter, or tamper with computer files and setup.
2. Students are not allowed to use computers for anything other than schoolwork. ***The use of e-mail, instant messages, chat rooms, and non–educational games is <u>not</u> permitted, unless explicitly approved by the instructor <u>and</u> Administration.***
3. Students my not bring, download, or install unauthorized software. All copyright laws are to be strictly followed.
4. No student may tamper with the setup of school computers, intentionally introduce a software virus, or take equipment that has not been assigned to him/her. This includes: NO downloading files or programs from the Internet or changing the appearance of a computer screen or desktop in any way.
5. No one may abuse hardware or software or use technology for any malicious purpose.
6. Food, drinks, chewing gum, or eating candy around the computer equipment is strictly prohibited.
7. Anyone witnessing the violation of any of the above provisions is expected to report the violation to the appropriate teacher or administrator.

<u>Breaking any of these rules may lead to loss of computer privileges at Pleasant Valley High School, detention or suspension.</u>

STUDENT AND PARENT ACKNOWLEDGEMENT
of the
Pleasant Valley High School Computer Policy
My signature below indicates that I have read and understand the student rules and responsibilities, and penalties listed above. I also understand computer privileges can be lost should any of these rules be violated.

_____   _____
Student Signature   Parent Signature

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Student Name (printed)   Date