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Consent to use third-party software

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Dear parent/carer,

Springwood Public School is committed to providing a technology-rich environment for our students. Our school community considers the use of Information and Communication Technology (ICT) as fundamental in assisting teaching and learning in all areas of the school curriculum.

The school uses third-party software providers offering web-based online educational resources and cloud-based storage to support our administrative functions and enhance student learning outcomes.

In most instances, students are required to register before accessing the software. Registration involves either a staff member or student entering identifying information such as name, school year, and the student's school email address into the software.

Below is a consent form seeking your approval to register your child to use certain software. If you require further clarification, you can contact Gary Halpin [APC&I] on 0247 511 333 during school hours.

Yours sincerely

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Principal

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The Department of Education has entered into contracts for a range of essential student education and administration software. The department has assessed the privacy impacts and data security controls as compliant with NSW privacy requirements and a list of that software is available at https://education.nsw.gov.au/public-schools/going-to-a-public-school/privacy-information .

Additionally, this year Springwood Public School will use the third-party software listed in the table below. Please indicate your consent for each application.

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Software Name	Student Information Captured	Country Information Is Stored	Information Shared	Your Consent
SeeSaw for Schools Enable students to create, reflect on, and share their learning process in conjunction with teachers and family members. **https://web.seesaw.me/**	First name, Surname (student - optional) Email address, Video or audio recording, Academic testing, Works, Class name, Year level, School name, Responses (online learning, surveys, forms). Parent/guardian: First name, Surname, Phone number, Email address Records of behaviour incidents, Behavioural observations/notes, Well-being information	Offshore - The paid version of this service offers data storage onshore (i.e., within Australia).	Shares information with: Google.	☐ Y ☐ N
Class Dojo To assist with Classroom Management **https://www.classdojo.com/en-gb/**	First name, Surname, Email address, Username - determined by the user, Records of behaviour incidents, Behavioural observations/notes, Attendance, Records of interview and/or contact, Works, Video or audio recording, Languages spoken, Responses - online learning, surveys, forms, Year level, Class name. Parent/Guardian: First name, Surname, Phone number, Email address, Languages spoken, Responses - online learning, surveys, forms, Year level, Class name	Calfornia, USA	Blueshift, Google Single Sign On, SendGrid, SurveyMonkey.	☐ Y ☐ N

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Prodigygame Kids practice standards-aligned skills in Math and English as they play adaptive learning games. **https://www.prodigygame.com**	First name, Last initial, Location, Grade, School name, Photo* *denotes optional	Offshore - USA	No data is shared	☐ Y ☐ N
Studyladder To develop maths and literacy skills. **https://www.studyladder.com.au/**	First name, Year level, Class name, School name, Country or State/province, Username (determined by the service), Responses to online learning.	Offshore	No data is shared.	☐ Y ☐ N
Tynker To develop coding, robotic and STEM skills. **https://www.tynker.com/**	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown.	☐ Y ☐ N

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Typing.com Typing tutor **https://www.typing.com**	First name*, Surname*, Email address*, Class name, School name, Country, Responses - online learning, surveys, forms, Username *denotes optional	USA	Amazon Web Services (AWS)	☐ Y ☐ N
Wingaru Kids Wingaru aims to change the way Australia thinks and talks about Aboriginal People and the issues impacting our communities through supporting a greater understanding and shared knowledge within the wider **https://www.wingaru.com.au/**	*Student information is optional and can be anonymised - if you are going to provide student information it will include Name and email address.	Australia	No data is shared.	☐ Y ☐ N

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This consent remains effective until I advise the school otherwise in writing.

I acknowledge that my child must abide by the conditions of acceptable usage set out in the department's Student use of digital devices and online services [https://education.nsw.gov.au/policy-library/policies/pd-2020-0471] and that any breach of this policy may, at the school's discretion, result in disciplinary action in accordance with the school's behaviour policy.

Student full name:

Parent/Carer full name:

Parent/Carer signature:

Date of signing: