



Website Consent Form



Dear Parent / Carer

Learning anytime, anywhere: website consent form

Learning through technology is an important feature of pupils' experiences within and outside the classroom. The school has recently installed Wi-Fi technology to provide pupils and staff with access to the Internet on personal devices. We are introducing a Bring Your Own device policy for pupils to use this technology and are committed to ensuring learning happens anytime, anywhere.

In addition to this, Larbert High School has identified specific websites that we would like to use as part of your child's education. These websites will be used and monitored by our teachers to create online learning spaces.

We have identified websites below that we would like to use with our pupils to enhance learning. They require pupil registration and the sharing of some limited personal data. This personal data is not visible to others; it is not held on the school servers and is stored on the remote servers of the websites. However, for the protection of our young people, we must comply with the Data Protection principles and ask for your permission, and the permission of our pupils, to use these websites.

Please find below a summary of the websites that we would like our pupils to use in their learning:

Edmodo

This website provides teachers and pupils with the opportunity to learn within an online learning space for a specific class. Each pupil creates an Edmodo account and agrees to Edmodo's Terms of Service, a link to this is provided below.

Pupils are able to participate in class or group discussions that are monitored by the teacher (pupils cannot send private messages to other pupils). They can also directly message the class teacher to ask for help or provide their homework responses. The site allows pupils to keep track of important deadline dates, events and tasks. Parents can also receive a code from pupils' teachers to create a parent account in order that they can see all the work of their child. When pupils register for the first time, the following information is provided by each pupil: the Group Code provided by their teacher; their Username consisting of their first initial, last name and year of birth; a Password consisting of pupils' eight-digit date of birth; and their first and last name.

Edmodo is hosted in the USA which is outside the European Economic Area (EEA). Edmodo is registered with the "Safe Harbor" agreement which means the company's data processing policies are equivalent to EEA standards.

In addition, there are the following security measures in place:

- Edmodo class groups are created and managed by the teacher
- pupils need to know the class group code in order to view or participate in the class group
- teachers have full administrative rights on pupil participation in the class group
- private conversation between pupils are not possible
- teachers may choose to receive automatic notification of pupil postings
- a 'read-only' mode which can be applied selectively for pupils who are not using Edmodo constructively



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For further information you can visit the site at www.edmodo.com. The terms and conditions of the website can be found at <https://www.edmodo.com/corporate/terms-of-service>

ClassDojo

This website also provides teachers and pupils with the opportunity to learn within an online learning space for a specific class. ClassDojo is a motivational tool to improve pupils' engagement in class. The website provides pupils with the opportunity to have their learning skills tracked throughout the day and instantly receive feedback in real-time from their teacher. This information can also be shared with parents on a regular basis. Each pupil creates a ClassDojo account and agrees to ClassDojo's Terms of Service, a link to this is provided below

When pupils register for the first time, the following information is provided by each pupil: an original Username; a Password which they keep private; their gender (male/female); their date of birth; and a Student Code provided by their teacher.

ClassDojo is hosted in the USA which is outside the European Economic Area (EEA). ClassDojo is registered with the "Safe Harbor" agreement which means the company's data processing policies are equivalent to EEA standards.

For further information you can visit the site at <http://www.classdojo.com>. The terms and conditions of the website can be found at <http://www.classdojo.com/terms>.

In order for pupils to use these websites in school, the school requires your permission. The terms and conditions for both these websites are supplied above and paper copies are available from the school reception upon request. It should be noted that terms and conditions can change and we will monitor any changes notified to us by the service provider.

Please sign the consent slip below and return it to your child's Form Teacher. If you require any further information please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours faithfully

K O'Connor
Depute Rector

Edmodo & ClassDojo Consent Form

Pupil name: _____ Form Class: _____

I agree to my child using the Edmodo and ClassDojo websites as part of their learning.

Parent Signature: _____

I agree to using the Edmodo and ClassDojo websites as part of my learning.

Pupil Signature: _____

Please return this consent form to your Form Teacher.