I. PURPOSE

Athlos Academy is committed to providing equal access to technology as an educational resource, and students will be taught appropriate use of computers and general uses of the internet.

II. POLICY

A. Technology Access in the Classroom:

1. In accordance with Minn. Stat. § 125B.02, Athlos Academy will provide its students and school personnel with access to local, state, and worldwide instructional resources databases.
2. Instructional technological resources shall be available to help students successfully achieve education excellence and meet state standards.
3. Educational databases shall be accessible in the appropriate classes.
4. The technology shall promote teacher and student curriculum and learning collaboration.
5. This access is a privilege, not a right.
6. The system may suspend or revoke a system user’s access upon violation of this policy and/or administrative rules regarding acceptable use or upon written parental request to the Lead School Administrator.

B. Acceptable Use of Technology:

1. The primary purpose of the internet at Athlos Academy is educational.
2. Teachers will take an active role in ensuring that students and their parent/guardians are aware of the individual student’s responsibility to use the computer and internet in an ethical and education-oriented manner.
3. Students and parent/guardians agree to Athlos Academy’s appropriate use of technological services when they sign the Library, Technology, and Directory Release Form initially at student registration, and annually for the duration of the student’s enrollment at Athlos Academy.

Legal References:
Minn. Stat. §125B.02 (State Goals for Technological Advances in Education)
Minn. Stat. §125B.15 (Internet Access for Students)