# Esports Online Services consent form information

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The use of web based educational resources has risen steadily over the last decade and are increasingly being used by teachers across Queensland to improve student learning outcomes.

Our school and teachers make decisions about the best technology to meet the needs of our students. Sometimes it is beneficial for students to utilise services provided by third party web based providers.

Brisbane School of Distance Education wishes to utilise the third party web based service provider/s listed below to aid students learning. For your student to use the service the teacher will need to register them as a user. Registering with these providers requires student personal information to be disclosed to the provider of the service. In the case of the services outlined below they are private companies that are hosted *outside of Australia*. Outside of Australia means that data that is entered to register for these sites will be stored on servers that are not based in Australia and therefore are not bound by Queensland's privacy laws. Registration may include disclosing the following information about your student:

- Student Name,
- Age,
- Student email

We need your permission for the registration and use of these sites by your student.

Note: It is not compulsory for you to provide this consent- If you decide not to provide consent, this will not adversely affect academic achievement, or any relationships with teachers or the school.

Before you complete this consent form it is important that you understand the reasons that these websites collect this information, what will be done with it, who else may have access to it and where the data is stored. This information can be found in the hyperlinks below referring to each website's terms and conditions and/or privacy policy.

Please read these and ensure that you understand the implications of using this service before giving your consent. If you have any queries around the storage of student's information, please feel free to contact our team at esports@brisbanesde.eq.edu.au.

Complete and send this Online Services consent form to Excursions@brisbanesde.eq.edu.au.

Yours sincerely,
BrisbaneSDE Esports Staff Team

# Esports Online Services consent form — Junior Secondary

**Privacy Notice**

The Department of Education is collecting the personal information on this form in order to obtain consent regarding the use of online services. This information and completed form will be stored securely. Personal information collected on this form may also be used by or disclosed to third parties by the Department where authorised or required by law. If you wish to access or correct any of the personal information on this form, or discuss how it has been dealt with, please contact your student's school in the first instance.

**This form is to be completed by:**

- **Parent/carer*;**
- **Student over 18 years; or**
- **Student with independent status.**

(*Note: Where a student who is under 18 years is able to consent, they may also provide consent in addition to the parent.)

## 1. IDENTIFY THE PERSON/S TO WHOM THE CONSENT RELATES

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| **Full name of student** | |

## 2. INFORMATION COVERED BY THIS CONSENT FORM

a. The consent collected by the form covers the following student personal information (identifying attributes):
   - Student name (first name and/or last name)
   - Sex/Gender
   - Date of birth, age, year of birth

   *AND* the following school-based information (generally, non-identifying attributes*):

   - Student school username
   - Student school email
   - Student ID number
   - School
   - Year group
   - Class
   - Teacher
   - Country

   *In cases where registration and/or use requires a combination of school-based information (non-identifying) and personal information, or a combination of school-based information, the school-based information may become identifiable.

b. If an online service records, uses, discloses and/or publishes student works, parent information or additional student information (such as photographs of students), not listed above (Section 2a.), the school will specify it as part of the *additional consent requirements* on the form. Examples may include:
   - Student assessment
   - Student projects, assignment, portfolios
   - Student image, video, and/or audio recording
   - Sensitive information (e.g., medical, wellbeing)
   - Name and/or contact details (e.g. email, mobile phone number) of student's parent

## 3. APPROVED PURPOSE

This form records your consent for the recording, use, disclosure and publication of the information listed in item 2 above, and any information or student works listed under the 'additional consent requirements', and to transfer this information and works within Australia and outside of Australia (in the case of offshore services) to the online service providers for the following purposes:

- For your child to register an account for the online services
- For your child to use the online services in accordance with each service's *terms of use* and *privacy policy* (including service provider use of the information in accordance with their *terms of use* and *privacy policy*)
- For the school to:
  - administer and plan for the provision of appropriate education, training and support services to students,
  - assist the school and departmental staff to manage school operations and communicate with parents and students.

## 4. TIMEFRAME FOR CONSENT

The consent granted by this form is for the duration of the student's current phase of learning (i.e. Years P–3, 4–6, 7–9 and 10–12). Consent is obtained upon enrolment and renewed when students move into a new phase of learning (e.g. minimum every four years).

## 5. CONSENT FOR ONLINE SERVICES

For each online service listed below, please indicate your choice to ***give consent*** or ***not give consent*** for the information outlined in Section 2 to be disclosed to the online service in accordance with the purpose outlined in Section 3, and for the timeframe specified in Section 4.

**Service name:** **Epic Games**
**Data hosting:** Offshore
**URL:** http://www.epicgames.com
**Purpose of use:** Gaming service hosting various online games including Rocket League and Fall Guys.
**Terms of use:** https://www.epicgames.com/site/en-US/tos
**Privacy policy:** https://www.epicgames.com/site/privacypolicy
**Rating:** General (G)
**Consent:** ◯ I give consent ◯ I do not give consent
**Additional consent:** Consent includes the following: *(as per Section 2b)*

- Student works are stored.
- The following additional student personal information is disclosed: Student name, student username, date of birth.
- Student information is able to be viewed by the public.

**Service name:** **Nintendo Online**
**Data hosting:** Offshore
**URL:** https://www.nintendo.com.au
**Purpose of use:** A Nintendo Switch Online membership lets you play online, access classic games, and much more.
**Terms of use:** https://www.nintendo.com.au/legal/information
**Privacy policy:** https://www.nintendo.com.au/legal/privacy
**Rating:** Parental Guidance (PG)
**Consent:** ◯ I give consent ◯ I do not give consent
**Additional consent:** Consent includes the following: *(as per Section 2b)*

- Student works are stored.
- The following additional student personal information is disclosed: Student name, student username, date of birth.
- Student information is able to be viewed by the public.

**Service name:** **PlaystationPlus**
**Data hosting:** Offshore
**URL:** https://www.playstation.com/en-au/ps-plus/
**Purpose of use:** Enhance your PlayStation experience with access to online multiplaver, monthly games, exclusive discounts and more.
**Terms of use:** https://www.playstation.com/en-au/legal/psn-terms-of-service/
**Privacy policy:** https://www.playstation.com/en-au/legal/website-terms-of-use/
**Consent:** ◯ I give consent ◯ I do not give consent
**Additional consent:** Consent includes the following: *(as per Section 2b)*

- Student works are stored.
- The following additional student personal information is disclosed: Student name, student username, date of birth.
- Student information is able to be viewed by the public.

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| **Service name:** | **XBoxlive** |
| **Data hosting:** | Offshore |
| **URL:** | https://www.xbox.com/en-AU/live |
| **Purpose of use:** | XBOX live account allows for user to access online games and play with others. |
| **Terms of use:** | https://tos.ea.com/legalapp/eaplav/US/en/PC/ |
| **Privacy policy:** | https://privacy.microsoft.com/en-us/privacystatement |
| **Consent:** | ◯ I give consent ◯ I do not give consent |
| **Additional consent:** | Consent includes the following: *(as per Section 2b)*<br>▪ Student works are stored.<br>▪ The following additional student personal information is disclosed: Student name, student username, date of birth.<br>▪ Student information is able to be viewed by the public. |

## 6. CONSENT AND AGREEMENT

Person giving consent – I am (tick the applicable box):

☐ parent/carer of the person identified in Section 1

☐ the person identified in Section 1 (if student is over 18 years or has independent status)

- *I have read the explanatory letter, or it has been read to me. I have had the opportunity to ask questions about it and any questions that I have asked have been answered to my satisfaction.*
- *I have watched the introductory video and understand the nature of the games.*
- *By signing below, I consent for the information outlined in Section 2 and any additional consent requirements outlined in Section 5 to be disclosed to the online services in accordance with the purpose outlined in Section 3 and for the timeframe specified in Section 4.*

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| **Print name of consenter:** | | | |
| **Signature or mark of consenter:** | | **Date:** | |
| **Print name of student:** | | | |
| **Signature or mark of student a*:** | | **Date:** | |

**Where a student who is under 18 years is able to consent, they may also provide consent in addition to the parent.*

## SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES

The section below must be completed, if the form is:

a. required to be read aloud (whether in English or in an alternative language or dialect) to the person giving consent and/or:

b. when the person giving consent is an independent student under the age of 18.

### WITNESS — for consent from an independent student or where the explanatory letter and the form were read

*I have witnessed the signature or mark of an independent student, or the accurate reading of the explanatory letter and the Online Services Consent Form was completed in accordance with the instruction of the person giving consent. The person giving consent has had the opportunity to ask questions. I confirm that the person giving consent have given consent freely and I submit the person understood the implications.*

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| **Print name of witness:** | | | |
| **Signature of witness:** | | **Date:** | |

### Statement by the person taking consent – when it is read

*I have accurately read aloud the explanatory letter and the Online Services Consent Form to the person giving consent, and to the best of my ability made sure that the person understands that the following will be done:*

- *The identified information will be used in accordance with the Online Services Consent Form*
- *The school will cease using the information from the date that the school receives a written withdrawal of consent.*

*I confirm that the person giving consent was given an opportunity to ask questions about the explanatory letter and Online Services Consent Form, and all questions asked by the person giving consent have been answered correctly and to the best of my ability. I confirm that the person giving consent has not been coerced into giving consent, and the consent has been given freely and voluntarily.*

*A copy of the explanatory letter has been provided to the person giving consent.*

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| **Print name and role of person taking the consent:** | | | |
| **Signature of person taking the consent:** | | **Date:** | |