

Dear Parents,

In order for St. Benedict Catholic School to continue to be able to provide your student with the most effective web-based tools and applications for learning, we need to abide by federal regulations that require a parental signature as outlined below.

St. Benedict Catholic School would like to utilize a computer software application and web-based service, Google Apps of Education, operated not by St. Benedict Catholic School, but by a third party.

In order for our students to use these programs and services, certain personal identifying information, generally the student's name and email address, must be provided to the web site operator. Under federal law, these websites must provide parental notification and obtain parental consent before collecting personal information from children under the age of 13.

The law permits schools such as St. Benedict Catholic School to consent to the collection of personal information on behalf of all of its students, thereby eliminating the need for individual parental consent given directly to the website operator.

This form will constitute consent for St. Benedict Catholic School to provide personal identifying information for your child consisting of first name, last name, e-mail address and user name to the following web-operator: Google Apps for Education.

***Please see the St. Benedict 2018/2019 sign-off sheet which will serve as verification of this review, and when appropriate, your compliance with the provisions outlined in aforementioned and specific policies, regulations and procedures.**