

White River Valley Supervisory Union Model

Children's Online Privacy Protection Act (COPPA)

White River Valley Supervisory Union Schools are committed to providing your student with the most effective web based assessments, instructional tools and applications for learning. The Children's Online Privacy Protection Act (COPPA) requires website operators to obtain parental notification and consent for students under the age of thirteen (13).

In almost all cases, the website or service in use requires the school to obtain this permission from parents. The law permits schools to act as the parent's agent and to consent to the collection of student information on the parent's behalf for WRV SU and school approved online resources for students.

As we evaluate and add new services to help reach students virtually, our schools will utilize a variety of online tools, assessments and instructional programs. Examples include but are not limited to typing programs, email, online classrooms and video conferencing.

In order for students (under 13) to use these programs and services, certain personal information must be provided to the website operator. This information may include, but is not necessarily limited to, the student's name, teacher's name, grade, birth date, and SU issued email address/login.

The school will provide the minimum information required to access the educational materials and applications.

With that in mind, we are providing this form should you **NOT** wish the school to make these decisions on your behalf. If you are ok with the school making decisions on behalf of your student, there is nothing further needed.

Should you want to avoid having your student participate in such online activities, please fill out the form below and return it to your child's teacher.

_____ I do not wish for my child to have access to online assessments and instructional tools.

I understand by checking the above and signing below my child will not be provided online educational materials and will be provided alternative assignments when necessary.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

Name of Student

School enrolled in