



# The Junction Public School

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## Third Party Software Consent

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Dear Parent/Carer

The Junction Public School is committed to providing a technology-rich environment for our students. Our school community considers the use of Information and Communication Technology (ICT) is fundamental in assisting teaching and learning in all areas of the school curriculum.

The school uses third-party providers such as Class Dojo and Seesaw to offer web-based educational resources and cloud-based storage to support our administrative functions and enhance student learning outcomes. The department has a service agreement with some providers (such as SENTRAL) it has assessed as meeting privacy and security standards required of the department. The school offers students access to a number of services in addition to these.

In most instances, students are required to register before accessing an on-line service. Registration involves either a staff member or student entering identifying information such as name, grade, and school email address onto the provider's platform. This and any other data entered in the course of accessing the application may be stored on servers located in Australia or off-shore in a country not subject to NSW privacy laws.

Your consent is required for your child's information to be provided to these third-party providers. Before giving your consent, it is important you understand what student information is collected, how it will be used and who may have access to it. The table following lists each of the third-party providers the school intends to use this year with a link to the website.

If you require further clarification of these services, you can contact the school for further information.

Regards,

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## Permission – third-party web and cloud-based service providers

This year The Junction Public School will be utilising the services of third-party online service providers to enhance student learning. The providers requiring access to student personal information are listed below.

Service provider details	Services	Student Information required
<b>Class Dojo:</b> <a href="https://www.classdojo.com/en-gb/terms/">https://www.classdojo.com/en-gb/terms/</a>  <b>Seesaw:</b> <a href="https://web.seesaw.me/">https://web.seesaw.me/</a>	Class Dojo is a school communication platform that teachers, students, and families use every day to build close-knit communities by sharing what's being learned in the classroom.	-First name -Last name -Celebratory photos
<b><u>Educational Learning Online Resource</u></b>  Progressive Achievement Tests (PAT ACER)  3P software including Reading Eggs, Maths Seeds and Mathletics Minecraft - <a href="http://minecraft.net">minecraft.net</a> , Maths Olympiads - <a href="http://apsmo.edu.au">apsmo.edu.au</a> .	PAT M and PAT R are used for individual student assessment and tracking of student growth/data. Software that supports individual and small group learning	-First name -Last name -D.O. B

The Junction Public School is seeking your consent for the department to provide your child's personal information to access these online service providers and, where required, for your child to enter his/her personal information.

Please complete the consent below.

### Consent to use third party web and cloud-based service providers.

Student name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Carer names: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Carer signature: \_\_\_\_\_

(Please circle the appropriate response)

<b>Class Dojo</b>	<b>consent</b>	<b>do not consent</b>
<b>SeeSaw (Stage3)</b>	<b>consent</b>	<b>do not consent</b>
<b>Educational Learning Online Resources</b>	<b>consent</b>	<b>do not consent</b>

This consent remains effective until I advise the school otherwise.

In addition to the services listed above the school uses Sentral, Google G-Suite, Microsoft Office 365 & Zoom. The department has entered into an enterprise agreement with each of these providers after assessing their privacy impacts and data security controls as compliant with NSW privacy requirements. Further information is available from the privacy information sheets available here.

I acknowledge that my child must abide by the conditions of acceptable usage set out in the department's Student use of digital devices and online services and that any breach of this policy may result in disciplinary action in accordance with the school's disciplinary policy.