

Teach, Learn, Every Day, No Excuses



Oakdale Joint Unified School District

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Dear Parents of school-aged children under the age of 13,

In order for schools within the Oakdale Joint Unified School District to continue to be able to provide your student with the most effective web-based tools and applications for learning, our district utilizes several computer software applications and web-based services, operated not by this district, but by third parties. One example is the creation of a student Google Account which is not only critically important for any student utilizing class Chromebook labs but also for many other activities within computer lab instruction.

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 entitled the Children's Online Privacy Protection Act (COPPA) these websites must provide parental notification and obtain parental consent before collecting personal information from children under the age of 13. The law permits school districts such as ours 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 web site operator.

It should be noted as OJUSD moves forward in providing your child a relevant education providing integrated technology and 21st Century Learning Skills that requesting removal from third party services will prove problematic particularly for any classes utilizing Chromebook labs for instructional purpose.

Please print this form out, complete it and fax it to the number specified (if present) or mail to the mailing address below **ONLY IF YOU WANT YOUR CHILD REMOVED FROM THIRD PARTY SERVICES INCLUDING CHROMEBOOK LAB PARTICIPATION.**

OJUSD Fax Number: 209-847-0155

Mailing Address:

OJUSD

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I **DO NOT** want my child to be allowed access to third party services through Oakdale Joint Unified School District. I understand that this request may necessitate removal of my child from any classrooms currently utilizing Chromebook labs for instructional support.

Name of Student (please print): _____

(Last) (First)

My child attends school at: _____ Student Grade: _____

(School)

Student ID#: _____ to be completed by site or district office personnel.

Parent/Guardian signature: _____