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Dear Marple Newtown Community:

As part of the Marple Newtown School District instructional technology program, the District provides students with access to Google Workspace for Education, which includes digital tools such as Google Docs, Drive, Classroom, and Gmail. These are considered “Core Services” and are governed by a separate agreement between the District and Google.

In addition to the Core Services, students may also have access to Google’s Additional Services, which are designed for broader internet use and may collect different types of data. These services are used to support learning, creativity, and exploration.

Examples of Google’s Additional Services include, but are not limited to):

- Google Search (internet research)
- Google Maps and My Maps (geography, history projects)
- Google Earth (science, social studies)
- Google Translate (language learning)
- YouTube (educational videos, content creation)

To comply with the newly updated Google Workspace for Education Terms of Service policy and applicable privacy laws, the District must obtain verifiable parental/guardian consent before providing students under the age of 18 access to these Additional Services.

Thank you,

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