STUDENT NAME: ______________________________________________ GRADE: ______________

PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME: ___________________________________ CONTACT #: ______________

During Distance or Hybrid Learning due to COVID-19, technology and internet access are important for accessing schoolwork and resources at Cloquet Public Schools. The district is offering WiFi hotspots for students to borrow on a short-term basis in order to participate in online learning. These hotspots provide an education focused internet connection for use in the completion of schoolwork. After the school year is completed students and their families agree to return the WiFi hotspot to the school district in working order.

WiFi hotspots are available to students:
- enrolled in Cloquet Public Schools,
- with no household Internet access for use in learning online and,
- do not live within Mediacom’s service area.

Parents/guardians must sign and agree to this usage policy prior to a student being permitted to borrow a hotspot. Please review these points with your child before signing. This permission form is valid for your student from the date signed going forward. If you wish to return the hotspot in advance, please contact the technology department at 218-878-3080 to make arrangements.

Hotspot Usage
1. All usage of the hotspot is for educational use only. Students must continue to abide by the district’s Acceptable Use Policy (www.isd94org > Parents > Educational Technology Resources > Cloquet Learning Together 1:1 Device Student Parent Handbook) when using the hotspot at home.
2. Only school issued devices should connect to the WiFi hotspots, connecting personally owned devices is strictly prohibited.
3. The hotspot’s Internet connection is filtered. However, no filter is perfect and it is acknowledged that some objectionable material may still be accessible. It is ultimately the parent’s responsibility to ensure students are using the hotspot’s internet connection appropriately. Cloquet Public Schools assumes no liability in the event that students intentionally or inadvertently access inappropriate materials.
   - YouTube and other high-bandwidth applications are accessible, however WiFi hotspots offer limited bandwidth and may degrade the video quality of content and/or prevent students from viewing some materials.
4. The hotspot has a monthly bandwidth limit of 22gb. After students have reached their monthly bandwidth limit the district has no ability to increase the amount of bandwidth available. Students acknowledge that personal use of the hotspot can use all available bandwidth and negatively impact their ability to participate in learning online.
5. Altering the hotspot’s settings or configuration and any hacking or cracking of the WiFi signal is strictly prohibited.
6. The district is not responsible for financial charges incurred by the student when using Internet based applications.
7. Any violations of the Acceptable Use Policy or this agreement can result in disciplinary action up-to and including loss of the WiFi hotspot.
Financial Responsibility
The student’s family will become financially responsible for the hotspot in certain situations.

1. Areas of financial responsibility covered by the student’s family:
   - Preventable damage from liquid, excessive heat, careless handling, or other foreseeable environmental threats.
   - Theft or loss resulting from inadequate security precautions - i.e. leaving the device in plain sight inside a parked car.
   - Failure to return equipment after the school year ends.

2. Areas of financial responsibility covered by the district:
   - Hardware problems that may occur during normal operation.

The school office should be notified immediately in the event of any damage or theft

The WiFi Hotspot Device remains the property of the Cloquet Public Schools. At the end of the school year, or upon transfer from the district, parents & students agree to return the WiFi Hotspot Device & accessories to the school in the same condition it was issued to the student, less reasonable wear.

Device Checklist

1. Moxee Mobile Hotspot – Asset Tag # ____________
2. Charging Cable

SIGNATURES: Please sign below to acknowledge that you agree to the terms and conditions of borrowing a WiFi hotspot.

PARENT/GUARDIAN: _______________________________________________ DATE: _________________

STUDENT: __________________________________________________________ DATE: ________________

*Please note: This agreement must be signed & returned to the school before the device is issued to a student.