

Locust Grove High School Media Center B&N Nook Simple Touch Permissions and Acceptable Use Form

Introduction

The Barnes and Noble Simple Touch is a convenient, portable reading device. It is the size of a paperback and capable of holding up to 1,000 books. Other features include:

- 6-inch touch screen, world's most advanced E Ink Pearl display
- 25% faster page turns and 80% less flashing than any other eReader
- Best-Text Technology specially optimizes each letter for ultra crisp words
- 16-level gray scale for greater detail – Read in bright sun with no glare
- Adjustable text with 7 font sizes & 6 font styles
- Resolution: 800x600

The chance to use this device is a *privilege* that we are able to provide to students provided that the students use extra caution and exercise responsibility in caring for the Nook. Each Nook Simple Touch with cover is valued at \$120.00. For this reason we require a parental signature before a Nook Simple Touch can be assigned to a student.

Parent Responsibilities and Permission

I am authorizing the assignment of a Nook to my child. I understand that it is to be used as a tool for reading and learning and that my child will comply with the HCS Acceptable Use Policy. I will help ensure the safe and timely return of the Nook within the loan period of two weeks; I also understand that I am *financially responsible* for any willful, malicious, or accidental damage to the Nook Simple Touch as well as any charges resulting from content downloaded to the Nook Simple Touch. I understand that my child may lose future loan privileges of the device if the Nook is either damaged or not returned in a timely manner OR if the student downloads material.

GUARDIAN NAME (printed) _____

GUARDIAN SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

GUARDIAN CONTACT INFO (phone and email): _____

Student Responsibilities and Permission

I agree to take care of the Locust Grove High School Media Center Nook Simple Touch while it is in my possession. I will not throw, drop, or damage the Nook Simple Touch in any way. I will not carry it in my book bag. I will not give the Nook Simple Touch to another student for his/her use. I will use the Nook Simple Touch in the appropriate manner. I will NOT download any content to the Nook Simple Touch. I agree to return the Nook Simple Touch in good condition at the conclusion of the two week loan period.

STUDENT NAME (printed) _____

STUDENT SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

Media Center Staff Only

Date Permission Slip Received: _____

Date/Time Permission Slip Confirmed: _____

Spoke To: _____

Media Center Specialist Signature: _____