

PARTICIPANT CONSENT FORM FOR QUT RESEARCH PROJECT

Australian Children of the Digital Age (ACODA) Longitudinal Study

QUT Ethics Approval Number 6427

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Statement of parent/guardian consent

By signing below, you are indicating that you:

- Have read and understood the participant information sheet regarding this research project.
- Have had any questions answered to your satisfaction.
- Understand that if you have any additional questions, you can contact the research team via the contact details at the bottom of the page.
- Understand that you are free to withdraw without comment or penalty, by contacting the researchers via details at the bottom of the page.
- Understand that if you have concerns about the ethical conduct of the research project you can contact the Research Ethics Advisory Team on (07) 3138 5123 or humanethics@qut.edu.au.
- Understand that data may be archived for use by the researchers in related projects within the Australian Research Council Centre of Excellence for the Digital Child.
- Understand that the data obtained from you (but **not your name or address**) may be made available to other researchers for future projects that are an extension of, or closely related to, this project (i.e., studying about digital technologies) in accordance with paragraphs 2.2.14 to 2.2.16 of the [National Statement on Ethical Conduct in Human Research 2023](#).
- Understand that participation involves you completing a survey, once per year, for four (4) consecutive years about your child and their engagement with digital technologies, and about you and your family.
- Understand that participation involves your child.
- Agree for you and your child to participate in the research project.

Name of parent/guardian _____

Name of child _____

Signature of parent/guardian _____

Email _____

Phone _____ Date ____ / ____ / ____

Please indicate if you consent to be contacted for other research within the Centre of Excellence for the Digital Child:

FUTURE RESEARCH: I consent to being contacted in the future about other possible research participation with research partners and the Australian Research Council Centre of Excellence for the Digital Child.

Please indicate if you consent to be contacted in the future by the ACODA Longitudinal Study research team to discuss the possibility of linking your and/or your child's data with selected organisations (e.g., Department of Education, Services Australia):

DATA LINKAGE: I consent to being contacted to discuss the possibility of linking information from government bodies. I recognise that this does not constitute consent for my data to be accessed: it only provides consent to have a discussion in future, and consent to link my data will be discussed at that time.

I would like to receive information about the ACODA Longitudinal Study research findings.

Please return the signed Consent Form to the researcher