# Split-Level Content Filtering Level Form   (SLCF form)

**To request two content filtering levels for your school please fill in the below remembering to include your School Roll Number and the number of devices requiring access to the 2nd filtering level.**

| | School Roll Number :- | | | * |
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| **Number of Devices requiring access to the 2nd Filtering Level:-** | | | | * |
| (see https://support.scoilnet.ie/index.php/Filtering for more information) | | | | |

| Content Filtering Levels (Tick One Box Only for each Level) | *Main Level* | *2nd Level* |
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| **Level 1:** <br> This level is the same as Level 2 but **blocks** websites belonging to the **Streaming Media, Online Storage** and **Internet Communications** category. | ☐ Yes Level 1 | ☐ Yes Level 1 |
| **Level 2:** <br> This level is the same as Level 3 but **blocks** websites belonging to the **Games** category. | ☐ Yes Level 2 | ☐ Yes Level 2 |
| **Level 3** <br> This level is currently used by the vast majority of schools. It gives access to millions of websites including games but **blocks** 'YouTube' and websites that are categorized as **Personal** such as blogs and **Social Networking** such as Facebook. | ☐ Yes Level 3 | ☐ Yes Level 3 |
| **Level 4** <br> This level allows access to the same websites as Level 3, but also allows access to 'YouTube'. | ☐ Yes Level 4 | ☐ Yes Level 4 |
| **Level 5** <br> This level allows access to the same websites as Level 4, but also allows access to websites that are categorized as **Personal** such as blogs. | ☐ Yes Level 5 | ☐ Yes Level 5 |
| **Level 6** <br> This level allows access to the same websites as Level 5, but also allows access to websites that are categorized as **Social Networking** such as Facebook. | ☐ Yes Level 6 | ☐ Yes Level 6 |
| **Email Address** <br> Please enter an email address so we can let you know when this has been setup. | | * |

*Table 1: All Filtering Levels are designed to block content of an illegal or pornographic content.*

## As Principal I confirm the following on behalf of the school:

1. The school wishes to request a change to content filtering as per Table 1 (above).
2. The school has an appropriate AUP in use regarding content filtering level
3. School Authorities will inform staff and students that Internet and email use will be monitored and that inappropriate use of the service may result in sanction by the school.
4. The school accepts that it has obligations in relation to the provision of the service, in terms of non-abuse of the service, and confirms that it has an Acceptable Use Policy (AUP) in operation in the school and that it complies with the guidelines on School Internet AUP, at www.pdsttechnologyineducation.ie/InternetSafety and specifically with reference to supervision of online access.
5. The School understands and accepts the risks associated with using schools broadband at all levels of filtering and accepts that there are increased levels of risk associated with levels 4 to level 6.
6. The School understands and accepts that where a school is engaging in inappropriate online behaviour the Broadband Schools team reserve the right to take whatever actions are required to protect the network and other schools. This may require disconnecting the 'offending school' until the situation is resolved satisfactorily.
7. If a user accesses material which is considered inappropriate for schools, this should be reported to an appropriate staff member or school Principal, as per schools AUP, who are then recommended to report the matter to the Broadband Service Desk

**Signed by:** _____     **Roll No:** _____
**(Principal)**

**Principal's Name** *(in capitals)*: _____     **Date:** _____

*Please **Email** this signed form to **broadbandservicedesk@pdst.ie***