**Montana Data Privacy Addendum** For use with vendors providing student record management services and online applications utilized to deliver services to students.

## I. PARTIES; SCOPE:

The parties to this Addendum are the Columbus School District (hereinafter "District") and NoRedInk Corp. (hereinafter "Contractor" or "Operator"). This Addendum modifies and supplements Contractor's Order Form and Master Service Terms (the "Service Agreement"). Except as expressly set forth herein, the Service Agreement shall remain in force. This Addendum and the Service Agreement are together "this Agreement" or "the Agreement".

## II. PURPOSE:

District retains Contractor to provide the following services on behalf of the District: Provide technology services, including cloud-based services, for the digital storage, management, and retrieval of pupil records; provide digital educational software that authorizes a third-party provider of digital educational software to access, store, and use pupil records in accordance with the provisions of this contract. Contractor shall be free from control and direction over the performance of the services, both under this Agreement and in fact. Except as limited herein, Contractor shall have and exercise full professional discretion as to the details of performance.

### III. NOT USED:

### **IV. DEFINITIONS:**

"Data" include all Personally Identifiable Information ("PII") and other nonpublic information including protected information as defined by Montana law, all only to the extent identifiable to an individual person. Data include, but are not limited to, student data, metadata, and user content, all only to the extent identifiable to an individual person.

Protected information may be created or provided by a pupil, or the pupil's parent or legal guardian, to an operator in the course of the pupil's, parent's, or legal guardian's use of the operator's K-12 online application or created or provided by an employee or agent of a school district to an operator in the course of the employee's or agent's use of the operator's K-12 online application; or gathered by an operator through the operator's K-12 online

application. The term "protected information" means information identifiable to an individual person, and includes but is not limited to:

(i) information in the pupil's educational record or e-mail messages;

(ii) first and last name, home address, telephone number, e-mail address, or other information that allows physical or online contact;

(iii) discipline records, test results, special education data, juvenile dependency records, grades, or evaluations;

(iv) criminal, medical, or health records;

(v) social security number;

(vi)biometric information;

(vii) disability;

(viii)socioeconomic information;

(ix)food purchases;

(x)political affiliation;

(xi)religious information; or

(xii) text messages, documents, pupil identifiers, search activity, photos, voice recordings, or geolocation information.

For the avoidance of doubt, both "Data" and "protected information" expressly exclude de-identified Data, as contemplated in Section VII below.

V. NOT USED:

Nothing contained in this Agreement or inferable from this Agreement shall be deemed or construed to: 1) make Contractor the agent, servant or employee of the School District; or 2) create any partnership, joint venture, or other association between the School District and Contractor. Any direction or instruction by the School District or any of its authorized representatives in

respect of the work shall relate to the results the School District desires to obtain from the work, and shall in no way affect Contractor's or OPERATOR's independent status.

Contractor shall not use the image or likeness of the School District's buildings or the School District's official logo or emblem and any other trademark, service mark, or copyrighted or otherwise protected information of the School District, without the School District's prior written consent. Contractor shall not have any authority to advertise or claim that the School District endorses Contractor's or OPERATOR's services, without the School District's prior written consent.

#### VI. MONTANA PUPIL ONLINE PERSONAL INFORMATION PROTECTION ACT

In accordance with the Montana Pupil Online Personal Information Protection Act, pupil records continue to be the property of and under the control of the school district. Contractor is prohibited from using any information in pupil records for any purpose other than those required or specifically permitted by this Agreement. Contactor is specifically prohibited from using personally identifiable information in pupil records to engage in targeted advertising.

By executing this Agreement, Contractor certifies that pupil records will not be retained or available upon completion of the terms of the Agreement. Upon completion of this Agreement, Contractor will upon request provide written certification to the School District pupil records are no longer held, possessed or otherwise available to Contractor or its employees, agents, or subcontractors. This requirement does not apply to pupil-generated content if a pupil chooses to establish or maintain an account with the third party for the purpose of storing that content.

Parents, guardians and eligible pupils have the right to inspect the personal information held by the Contractor. Parents, guardians, or pupils should submit to the school principal written request identifying the information they wish to inspect. The principal will make arrangements for access and notify the requesting party of the time and place the information may be inspected. Contractor will cooperate with the School District to accommodate any inspection request. The rights contained in this section are denied to any person against whom an order of protection has been entered concerning a student.

Parents/guardians or eligible pupils may ask the School District to amend a personal information held by the Contractor they believe is inaccurate, misleading, irrelevant, or improper. They should write the school principal clearly identifying the part of the record they want changed and specify the reason. Contractor will cooperate with the School District to accommodate any amendment request.

If the District decides not to amend the record as requested by the parent(s)/ guardian(s) or eligible student, the District will notify the parent(s)/guardian(s) or eligible pupil of the decision and advise him or her of their right to a hearing regarding the request for amendment. Additional information regarding the hearing procedures will be provided to the parent(s)/guardian(s) or eligible student when notified of the right to a hearing.

Parents/guardians or eligible pupils may ask the School District to transfer possession of personal information held by the Contractor to the pupil. Parents, guardians, or pupils should submit to the school principal written request identifying the information they wish to transfer. Contractor will cooperate with the School District to accommodate any transfer request It.

Contractor designates Dui Toledo, COO, as the primary employees responsible to ensure the security and confidentiality of pupil records, and may change such designation by written notice. By signing this agreement, Contractor certifies that designated employees have completed training in pupil information security and confidentiality. Documentation of this training including its scope, duration, and date of completion will be provided to the School District upon request. Compliance with this requirement does not, in itself, absolve the third party of liability in the event of an unauthorized disclosure of pupil records.

### VII. SAFEGUARDS:

Contractor will collect and use the School District's Data only for the purpose of fulfilling its duties and providing services under this Agreement, and for improving services under this Agreement.

If Contractor will have access to "education records" as defined under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) (34 CFR Part 99), the Contractor acknowledges that for the purpose of this Agreement it will be

designated as a 'school official' with 'legitimate educational interests' and will use the data only for the purpose of fulfilling its duties under this Agreement. Subject to the procedural requirements for indemnification in the Service Agreement, Contractor agrees to defend, indemnify and hold harmless the Board of Trustees of the School District against third party claims for any damages or costs, including reasonable attorney's fees, which arise out of any gross negligence or willful misconduct by Contractor, its agents and employees concerning its FERPA obligations under this section.

Contractor may use de-identified Data for product development, research, or other internal purposes. De-identified Data will have all direct and indirect personal identifiers removed. This includes, but is not limited to, name, ID numbers, date of birth, demographic information, location information, and school ID. Furthermore, Contractor agrees not to attempt to re-identify de-identified Data.

Contractor is prohibited from mining the School District's Data for any purposes other than those agreed to by the parties. Data mining or scanning of user content for the purpose of advertising or marketing to students or their parents is prohibited. Contractor shall not use information to amass a profile about a pupil, except in furtherance of K-12 school purposes. Operators shall not sell a pupil's information to unauthorized third parties.

Contractor will not change how School District Data are collected, used, or shared under the terms of this Agreement in any way without advance notice to the School District.

Contractor will not share School District Data, with or disclose it to any third party, except to affiliated subcontractors, agents, or third-party service providers of the Contractor, without prior specific and informed written consent of the School District, except as required by law. Contractor will not post Data to any searchable or publicly viewable website. Contractor shall not disclose protected information unless the disclosure is made in accordance with this Addendum, state or federal law, or with parent consent.

School District Data will not be stored outside of the United States without prior, specific and informed written consent from the School District.

All student-produced work remains the property of the school system or that eligible student. The Contractor has a limited, nonexclusive license to the Data

described herein solely as outlined in the Agreement. This Agreement does not give Contractor any rights, implied or otherwise, to Data, content, or intellectual property, except as expressly stated in the Agreement, including any right to sell or trade Data.

Except as otherwise expressly prohibited by law, the Contractor will immediately notify the School District of any subpoenas, warrants, or other legal orders, demands or requests, including Audits, and governmental requests and demands, received by the Contractor seeking School District Data. If the School District receives a similar request, the Contractor will promptly supply the School District with copies of records or information required by the School District to respond.

Contractor will store and process School District Data in accordance with good industry practices. This includes appropriate administrative, physical, and technical safeguards designed to: 1) ensure the security and confidentiality of PII and Confidential Information; 2) protect against any anticipated threats or hazards to the security or integrity of Confidential Information; 3) protect against unauthorized access to or use of Confidential Information that could result in substantial harm or inconvenience to any customer or to any School District employee and/or student; and 4) dispose of PII and Confidential Information in a secure manner.

#### VIII. DATA BREACHES:

Contractor shall notify the School District in writing as soon as commercially practicable, however no later than forty-eight (48) hours, after Contractor has either actual or constructive knowledge of a breach which affects the School District's Data (an "Incident") unless it is determined by law enforcement that such notification would impede or delay their investigation. Contractor shall have actual or constructive knowledge of an Incident if Contractor actually knows there has been an Incident or if Contractor has reasonable basis in facts or circumstances, whether acts or omissions, for its belief that an Incident has occurred. The notification required by this section shall be made as soon as commercially practicable after the law enforcement agency determines that notification will not impede or compromise the investigation. Contractor shall cooperate with law enforcement in accordance with applicable law provided however, that such cooperation shall not result in or cause an undue delay to remediation of the Incident. Contractor shall promptly take appropriate action to mitigate such risk or potential problem at

Contractor's or OPERATOR's expense. In the event of an Incident, Contractor shall, at its sole cost and expense, restore the Confidential Information, to as close its original state as practical, including, without limitation any and all Data, and institute appropriate measures to prevent any recurrence of the problem as soon as is commercially practicable.

Contractor will conduct periodic risk assessments and remediate any identified security vulnerabilities in a timely manner. Contractor will also have a written incident response plan, to include prompt notification of the District in the event of a security or privacy incident, as well as good industry practices for responding to a breach of PII.

#### IX. LEGAL COMPLIANCE AND NON-DISCRIMINATION:

All services provided by Contractor under this Agreement will be completed in accordance with state and federal laws. The parties specifically agree to collaborate in the enforcement and compliance with the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act.

All employees hired by Contractor to perform services under this Agreement shall be hired by Contractor on the basis of merit and qualifications to perform the duties necessitated by the requirements of this Agreement. Such qualifications are those abilities of an applicant for employment genuinely related to competent and satisfactory performance of Contractor's obligations under this Agreement. Contractor agrees and warrants that Contractor's hiring practices related to employees performing services under this Agreement, as well as Contractor's practices related to promotion, retention, compensation, and other terms, conditions or privileges of employment, shall be nondiscriminatory, and such hiring, promotion, retention, and general employment practices shall not be based upon race, color, religion, creed, political ideas, sex, age, marital status, physical or mental disability, or national origin.

### X. EMPLOYEE REQUIREMENTS:

All employees of Contractor performing labor under this Agreement that have unsupervised access to students (excluding, for the avoidance of doubt, incidental electronic contacts, such as responses to technical support requests), including Contractor in the event that Contractor personally performs labor under this Agreement, shall be subjected to a name-based and fingerprint criminal background investigation conducted by an appropriate law enforcement agency. Contractor shall provide to the District the results of such investigation for each employee (including Contractor) prior to any such employee performing any services under this Agreement. The District shall have the authority, in the discretion of the District Superintendent, to prohibit Contractor from permitting any such employee to perform services under this Agreement on the basis of information set forth in the results of a criminal background investigation.

## XI. EMPLOYEE MISCONDUCT:

All employees of Contractor (including Contractor) shall perform services under this Agreement in a professional manner, and shall, at all times while present on District property, behave in a manner appropriate to a school setting. Contractor shall discipline or terminate the employment of any of Contractor's employees performing services under this Agreement for engaging in any conduct inappropriate to a school setting, including, but not limited to, being under the influence or in possession of alcohol or any controlled substance while on District property; use of foul language; bullying or harassment of District students or staff; or such other conduct deemed inappropriate by the District. The District shall have the authority, in the discretion of the District Superintendent, to prohibit Contractor from permitting any employee to perform services under this Agreement bringing such employee into contact with District students or staff, based upon one or more instances of employee misconduct as described herein.

### XII. NOT USED:

ENTIRE AGREEMENT, MODIFICATION, AND WAIVER:

This Agreement, comprising this Addendum and the Service Agreement, embodies the complete agreement of the parties hereto, superseding all oral and written previous and contemporary agreements between the parties, This Agreement is the entire agreement between the School District (including all District end users) and the Contractor, including without limitation Contractor's online or click-through terms and conditions; provided, however, that Contractor's privacy policy is superseded for persons other than students only to the extent there is a conflict. No alteration or modification of this Agreement shall be valid unless evidenced by a writing signed by the parties to this Agreement. A waiver of any term or condition of this Agreement or breach of this agreement shall not be deemed a waiver of any other term or condition of this Agreement or any part hereof or of any later breach of this Agreement. Any waiver must be in writing each time a waiver occurs.

#### XIII. NOT USED:

#### XIV. NOT USED:

#### XV. ENFORCEMENT AND INTERPRETATION:

This Agreement shall be enforced and interpreted pursuant to the laws of the State of Montana. Jurisdiction over any claim or action for interpretation or enforcement of, or otherwise arising from the terms and conditions of this Agreement, shall be with the appropriate Montana District Court.

This agreement is subject to the laws of Montana and School District policy. Contractor is expressly notified that the agreement is subject to the Montana Pupil Online Personal Information Protection Act and violation of the act may be considered a crime a conviction of such may result in a fine not less than \$200 or more than \$500.

Any civil claim arising out of or related to the Agreement, or services provided under the Agreement, may be subject to mediation at the request of either party. School District and Contractor expressly agree that mediation shall not be a condition precedent to the initiation of any litigation arising out of such Claims. Claims for injunctive relief shall not be subject to this Section. Any claim not resolved in mediation shall be subject to litigation in accordance with the laws of the State of Montana. Any litigation shall be conducted in Montana district court. Mandatory and exclusive venue for any disputes shall be in the county in which the School District is located.

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Agreement or in any document forming a part hereof, there shall be no mandatory arbitration for any dispute arising hereunder. The parties may mutually agree in writing to submit a dispute to arbitration but the default dispute resolution shall be litigation. Contractor stipulates that the School District is a political subdivision of the State of Montana, and, as such, enjoys immunities from suit and liability provided by the Constitution and laws of the State of Montana. By entering into this Agreement, the School District does not waive any of its immunities from suit and/or liability, except as otherwise specifically provided herein and as specifically authorized by law. In any adjudication under this Agreement, reasonable and necessary attorneys' fees may be awarded to the prevailing party. The parties acknowledge that, as a public entity in the State of Montana, the School District and entities contracting with the School District must comply with the open records laws of the State.

I have read this Agreement, understand its terms, and agree to be bound thereby. DATED this \_\_\_\_\_\_day of\_,\_.

, Contractor

Company Name: Company Address:

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San Francisco, CA 94104				
ber	. 844-667-3346			
	www.noredink.com			

Company Phone Numbe Company Website:

\_\_\_\_\_, Board Chair

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ School District:

ATTEST:

\_\_\_\_\_, Clerk

Date:		
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## OPTIONAL EXHIBIT "A" GENERAL OFFER OF PRIVACY TERMS

1. Offer of Terms Provider offers the same privacy protections found in this DPA between it and the LEA to any other school district ("Subscribing LEA") who accepts this General Offer though its signature below. The Provider agrees that the information on the next page will be replaced throughout the Agreement with the information specific to the Subscribing LEA filled on the next page for the Subscribing LEA. This General Offer shall extend only to privacy protections and Provider's signature shall not necessarily bind Provider to other terms, such as price, term, or schedule of services, or to any other provision not addressed in this DPA. The Provider and the Subscribing LEA may also agree to change the data provide by LEA to the Provider to suit the unique needs of the Subscribing LEA. The Provider may withdraw the General Offer in the event of: (1) a material change in the applicable privacy statues; (2) a material change in the services and products subject listed in the Originating Service Agreement; or three (3) years after the date of Provider's signature to this Form. Provider shall notify the LEA in the event of any withdrawal so that this information may be transmitted to the Subscribing LEAs.

Provider's Name:				
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Printed Name: _	Stephen Gardner			
Title/Position: _	VP Sales & Success			

# 2. Subscribing LEA (Local Education Agency)

A Subscribing LEA, by signing a separate Service Agreement with Provider, and by its signature below, accepts the General Offer of Privacy Terms. The Subscribing LEA's individual information is contained on the next page. The Subscribing LEA and the Provider shall therefore be bound by the same terms of this DPA. BY: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title/Position: \_\_\_\_\_

SCHOOL DISTRICT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

DESIGNATED REPRESENTATIVE OF LEA: \_\_\_\_\_

Name:			_
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Address	s:		_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

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COUNTY OF LEA: \_\_\_\_\_