

2024-2025 SCHOOL YEAR MEDIA/PHOTO OPT-OUT FORM

Please complete and <u>return this form ONLY if you DO NOT give permission</u> for your student to appear in school, district, or media photos/videos/interviews.

Throughout the year, a number of school events, programs, and classroom lessons take place that are of interest to both school district media (cable channel, website, school newsletters, etc.) and regional print and broadcast media (newspapers, television, radio, etc.) During these activities, students and staff may be photographed or interviewed to increase public awareness of our school and/or individual student accomplishments.

PLEASE COMPLETE AND RETURN THIS FORM TO THE SCHOOL OFFICE ONLY IF YOU <u>DO NOT</u> WANT TO HAVE YOUR CHILD(REN) PHOTOGRAPHED, VIDEOTAPED, OR INTERVIEWED FOR THE ABOVE PURPOSES. THIS FORM APPLIES ONLY TO THE 2024-2025 SCHOOL YEAR.

If you do not mind your child(ren) being photographed, videotaped or interviewed for the above purposes, you do not need to complete or return this form.

If you choose to return this form and express your opt-out, school staff will notify photographers and reporters of your preference when they arrive at school and identify the child(ren) not allowed to be photographed. However, if your student participates in public events or if the event or activity is taking place outside of the school building in a public location, the school/district may have little or no control over photographs taken by media, other parents or community members attending the event.

Again, if you do not mind your child(ren) being photographed or interviewed for the above purposes, you do not need to complete or return this form.

[] I DO NOT give my consent to the use of photos, video, or interviews of my child

_____ (student's name)

in _____ (grade) at _____ (school name)

in connection with school lessons, programs, events or activities.

Parent/Guardian Name