



**NOTICE TO PARENTS REGARDING MEDIA IN SCHOOLS**

**STUDENT NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_ **DIV:** \_\_\_\_\_  
(please print) (Last) (First)

Media (radio, television, newspapers, and other print or online media) are sometimes invited or permitted to come to the school. They may want to conduct interviews with students, or take photos or video, for the purposes of promoting public understanding of school programs, building support for public education, and encouraging student achievement.

**PLEASE CHECK ONE:**

- If your child **IS ALLOWED** to be photographed or interviewed by media, please check this box, sign and return this notice to the school.
- If you **DO NOT** want your child's name, image, or personal information published by media, please check this box, advise your child and their teacher and initial that you have done this (Steps 1 & 2 below), sign below, and return this notice to the school.
  - 1) I have asked my child to avoid media situations. **Initial:** \_\_\_\_\_
  - 2) I have advised the teacher that I want my child to avoid media situations. **Initial:** \_\_\_\_\_
  - 3) I request that school and district staff will take all reasonable steps to avoid having my child's image, work or name collected or published by media.
  - 4) I consent to disclosure by the school/district staff of the personal information that is necessary to give effect to this request.
  - 5) I am aware that I can override this notice, and give consent in a specific circumstance.

**I acknowledge receipt of this notice regarding media and understand that it will be effective immediately.**

**PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_  
(Last) (First)

**\*PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE:** \_\_\_\_\_ **DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_

*\*This form must be signed by the parent who has the right to exercise their child's privacy protection rights if there is a parental rights court order. Please attach a copy of this documentation.*

**PLEASE NOTE: School and district staff cannot control photos/videos taken by the media or others in public locations (eg. field trip) or school events open to the public (eg. sports events, student performances, school board meetings, etc.)**