[Date]

Parents & Guardians:

As we begin this new school year, I am so excited to get to know the students who share our [classroom/school] every day. Every year students impress, challenge, and inspire me to become a better teacher. One of the ways I am striving to become better is by offering students more opportunities to learn from and share with the world outside our [classroom/school/district] walls.

In an effort to share the amazing work that students produce as well as to learn from experts beyond our classroom and school, I created social media account(s) for our [classroom/school/district].

Twitter: [@ ]

Instagram: [@ ] https://instagram.com/

Facebook: [ ] https://www.facebook.com/

During the first weeks of school, [students/faculty] will discuss the following about our social media account(s):

* Respecting each other’s privacy and requesting permissions before sharing others’ work publicly.
* How social media can enhance our learning and strengthen our connection with the community.

I am writing to you, to both invite you to follow us and to receive permission for your student to participate in connecting with communities beyond our [classroom/school]. These accounts will be continuously monitored, and anything posted will be seen by [me/a faculty member].

I particularly would like to ask your permission to show student’s pictures or multi-media (video) to be shown if we are sharing about our learning in a more visual way. The next page requires your response. Either (1) print, sign, and send with your student; (2) print, sign, and email; or (3) email me with your home address requesting a hard copy of this form in the mail.

Thank you for your time, support, and consideration. I consider it an honor to lead your students in learning this year. Please contact me with any further questions.

[Name]

[School]

[Title]

[Email address & Phone extension]

Parent/ Student Consent Form

*All photos, videos, and student work posted to social media sites will be supervised and approved by a teacher.*

Student Name (print) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

* We/ I grant permission for this student’s photo/image **and name** to be published on classroom/school-related social media.
* We/ I grant permission for a photo/image that includes this **student without any personal identifiers** to be published on classroom/school-related social media.
* We/ I **do not grant permission** for photo/images that include this student to be published on classroom/school-related social media.

Parent/Guardian Name (print) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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* I grant permission for a **photos/images including me** to be published on classroom/school-related social media.
* I **do not grant permission** for photos/images that include me to be published on classroom/school-related social media.

Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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