

PUBLICITY RELEASE FORM

Student & Parental Consent Form for Web Page, Social Media & Media Publications

Throughout the school year, we photograph our students working on projects, participating in special activities, etc. These pictures are sometimes submitted to our school newspaper and local publications with name identification. The publication of students and their work on the school's web page and social media has different, stricter safeguards.

STUDENT SAFEGUARDS for web page/social media publication are:

- If there are pictures of students, there will be no names included.
- If there is no picture, only first names will be used to identify work or recognize students.
- No phone numbers, addresses or email addresses of students' family or friends are included on any web page.
- Web pages/social media may not include any information that indicates the physical location of a student at any given time, other than grade level attendance at field trips.
- Group photographs of athletic teams and extra-curricular activities may be displayed but students will not be identified by name.
- Photographs that appear in the newspaper may appear on the website/social media without identifying names as listed in the paper.
- On web pages/social media, students' first names may appear for recognition purposes but not as part of a photograph where they can be identified by their name.

Check ONE for each box below to opt-out of publications.

WEB PAGE/SOCIAL MEDIA USE: _____ I do not want

...photos and/or the work of my child(ren) to be published on the Merton Community School District web site/social media to be used according to the student safeguards listed above.

NEWSPAPER USE: _____ I do not want

...photos and/or name(s) of my child(ren) to appear in the newspaper.

STUDENT DIRECTORY USE: _____ I do not want

...our family name, parent name(s), child(ren) names, grade level, address, and phone number listed in the student directory.

Student or Family Name _____

Parent Signature _____

Date _____