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3541.1 SCHOOL-RELATED TRIPS

VUSD STUDENT TRANSPORTATION PERMISSION FORM

This form must be completed each time a parent wants to drive his/her child, or have his/her child drive, to or from practices, games, events, etc. and District Transportation is not provided. Upon site approval, one form can also be completed for a sports season schedule.

Students are required to travel on buses, vans, or other transportation provided by the District to and from all school sponsored activities, practices and/or games/events. However, under certain site-approved circumstances, parents may transport his/her child or ward, or the student may need to drive himself/herself. A personal vehicle use form must accompany this form.

Name of Child or Ward

Name of Parent

Activity/Game

Class/Team/Club

Date(s) of Activity/Game

Location of Activity/Game (40 mile
radius from school maximum)

1. My son/daughter has my permission to:

☐ Travel with me

☐ Use his/her own vehicle

☐ Travel with another adult:

Name of Adult _____ Telephone _____

2. Reason for this request: _____

3. It is understood that this permission applies to driving before, during or after normal school hours.

4. The student and Parent/Guardian are required to request and get approval from the Coach, Instructor, Department Chair or Director, and School Administrator to provide their own transportation at least 24 hours in advance of the activity. If any of the Coach, Instructor, Department Chair or Director, or School Administrator decides that self-transportation for this particular event is inappropriate, the student and parent agree that the student will use the transportation provided by the district.

5. It is understood and agreed that this permission to provide our own transportation is conditionally approved by the Coach or Instructor, Department Chair or Director, and School Administrator, and can be revoked at any time at the discretion of any of the parties listed above.

6. It is understood and agreed that my child or ward will not transport any other student in his/her vehicle, except for his/her siblings who are also students at the school and involved in the same activity. Drivers may not carry non-district personnel, non-students, non-student family members, or other guests as passengers.
7. I/we understand that any liability arising out of this agreement is our responsibility. I/we further agree that it is our legal responsibility to follow the State of California licensing and vehicle insurance laws and that VUSD offers no insurance for our son/daughter's use of our vehicle.
8. I/we agree to defend, indemnify, and hold harmless the District, its officers, agents, employees, and/or volunteers from any and all claims, demands, losses, damages and expenses, including legal fees and costs, or other obligations or claims arising out of any liability or damage to property, or any other loss, sustained or claimed to have been sustained arising out of the transportation described above.
9. **I have carefully read this authorization and fully understand its contents and voluntarily consent to its terms and conditions. If these terms are not followed I understand that student athlete discipline is possible, up to the potential dismissal from the team.**

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Date

Signature of Student

Date

All signatures are necessary for approval:

☐ **Approved**

Signature of Coach/Instructor

Date

☐ **Approved**

Signature of School/Site Administrator

Date

☐ **Not approved**

Signature

Date