



# Authorization for use of Student Photos/Videos and other Personal Identifying Information

**Please read the information below and indicate which option you deem appropriate for your child. This form will take effect for the remainder of the current 2020/2021 school year.**

The Halton District School Board (HDSB) is asking parents/guardians for written authorization regarding the use of student work, photographs, videos, and other personal identifying information that may be shared publicly.

During the school year, it is the practice of the HDSB to publicize many of the positive activities that occur in schools. Your child may be involved in a school activity where photographs or video may be taken for system informational purposes, such as event or school promotion, school or Board website content, social media posts, media coverage, or for future use in teacher workshops.

Photos/videos, and other personal identifying information will not be used in any commercial fashion or without the permission of the school/HDSB. Should parent/guardian circumstances change during the school year, or should parents/guardians wish to revoke their consent, **a written statement revoking consent must be provided to the school.**

**Note: It is the practice of the HDSB to use first names only when identifying elementary students in photographs/videos on school or Board websites and social media platforms.**

Student: \_\_\_\_\_ Homeroom: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Parent/Guardian Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_  
 Parent/Guardian Signature(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please indicate your consent below, sign and return this form to the school. Choose one of the following:**

<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Yes</b> <b>By indicating "Yes" above, I give consent to the following examples:</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Yes, but no posting on website or social media.</b> <b>By indicating "Yes" above, I agree to the following examples:</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>No</b> <b>By indicating "No" above, I agree to the following examples:</b>
Displaying my child's work/photos/videos on bulletin boards, multimedia work, school newsletters, yearbooks	Displaying my child's work/photos/videos on bulletin boards, multimedia work, school newsletters, yearbooks	<b>Do not</b> display my child's work/photos/videos on bulletin boards, multimedia work, school newsletters, or yearbooks
PA announcements to share my child's birthday or their participation in school events	PA announcements to share my child's birthday or their participation in school events	<b>Do not</b> make PA announcements to share my child's birthday or participation in school events

Photos/videos of my child in classroom/school-wide activities (e.g., school plays, concerts, special events, school trips, assemblies, graduation)	Photos/videos of my child in classroom/school wide activities (e.g., school plays, concerts, special events, school trips, assemblies, graduation)	<b>Do not</b> share photos/video of my child in classroom/school wide activities (e.g., school plays, concerts, special events, school trips, assemblies, graduation)
Posting lists with my child's name inside the school about class, clubs or team organizations	Posting lists with my child's name inside the school about class, clubs or team organizations	<b>Do not</b> post my child's name on a list of student names inside the school about class, clubs or team organizations
Photos/videos of my child on school/HDSB websites	<b>Do not</b> post photos/videos of my child on school/HDSB websites	<b>Do not</b> post photos/videos of my child on school/HDSB websites
Photos/videos of my child on school/HDSB social media platforms (Twitter, Facebook, YouTube, Instagram, etc.)	<b>Do not</b> post photos/videos of my child on school/HDSB social media platforms (Twitter, Facebook, YouTube, Instagram, etc.)	<b>Do not</b> post photos/videos of my child on school/HDSB social media platforms (Twitter, Facebook, YouTube, Instagram, etc.)

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