Activity Permission Form

Participant Name:  _______________________________________________________________________

Parent/Guardian Names:  _________________________________________________________________
(Please print)

Home Phone Numbers               _________________________     ___________________________
Parent Work Phone Numbers     _________________________     ___________________________
Parent Cell Phone Numbers       _________________________     ___________________________
Student Cell Phone Number       _________________________

Activity Date:   ______________________________________
Activity Description:  _____________________________________________________________________________
______________________________________________________________________________________________

Transportation:
□ Family to provide
□ Provided by adult chaperones (in accordance with diocesan guidelines)
□ Other:  _______________________________________________________

□ Alcohol will be served at this event. Please refer to Student/Parent Handbook.

Emergency information on file with St. Francis Catholic High School is current.  _____Yes  _____No
(If no, please update emergency information with the front office prior to activity.)

Parent Agreement / Consent

I/we, the undersigned parents or guardians of the participant named on this form give permission for my/our child’s participation in the St. Francis Catholic High School activity referred to on this form.

• I/we agree to direct my/our child to cooperate and comply with all reasonable directions and instructions from St. Francis Catholic High School staff or adult volunteer leaders.

• I/we give permission for my/our child to be transported to and/or from St. Francis Catholic High School programs, events, and activities as described above.

• I/we agree to be responsible for all medical expenses relating to injury of my/our child as a result of her participation in any St. Francis Catholic High School activity, whether or not caused by the negligence of the school or diocesan employees or agents, or volunteers or other participants.

• I/we understand that in the course of participating in St. Francis Catholic High School activities, my/our child may engage in activity that carries a risk of injury to the body, psyche, or property of themselves and others. Such injuries can be caused by other persons, may be accidental or self-inflicted, or may arise from faulty equipment or facilities, existing conditions of recreational facilities, vehicle accidents while in transport during an activity, or through the activity itself.

Accordingly, in consideration for being permitted to participate in St. Francis Catholic High School activities, to use the equipment provided, and to enter the premises and facilities of St. Francis Catholic High School and the Diocese of Sacramento, for any purpose including observation of and participation in activities, the undersigned parent or guardian, for him or herself and any successors in interest, and on behalf of the minor child, agrees as follows:

• To release, waive, discharge, and promise not to sue the Roman Catholic Bishop of Sacramento, a corporation sole and St. Francis Catholic High School, its affiliated entities, employees, agents, and volunteers (the “Diocese”) from all liability for any loss or damage, and any claim or demands therefore on account of serious or mortal injury to the body, injury to psyche, or injury to property of the minor child, or to undersigned parent or guardian, whether caused by negligence or other conduct by the Diocese while the minor child, parent, or guardian is participating in St. Francis Catholic High School activities or in, upon, or about the premises of the Diocese or any of its facilities or equipment.

• To indemnify and hold harmless the Diocese from any loss, liability, damage, or cost it may incur due to the presence of the minor child, parent, or guardian in, upon, or about the premises of the Diocese, its facilities or equipment, or while participating in any St. Francis Catholic High School activities whether caused by the negligence of the Diocese or otherwise.

• That he or she has read this Consent Form and agreement and voluntarily signs it, and that no oral representations, statements, or inducements apart from the contents of this Form have been made.

I/we have read this Agreement and understand and agree to everything set forth above.

Signature of Parent or Guardian  _________________________  Date  _________________________

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Activity Behavior Expectations

Behavior
At a school-sponsored event, the student is expected to:

- Comply with school policies and event policies regarding dress, behavior and cell phones;
- Refrain from smoking, drinking alcohol, or using drugs;
- Remain with at least two other students at all times;
- Never go out alone and/or unsupervised;
- Never spend time socializing with 'local' people around the hotel or within the city;
- Never bring strangers—'local' people or other event participants—to the hotel or to your room;
- Never give out vital information (such as hotel name, phone number, or room number) to anyone not connected with SFHS;
- Notify chaperones of any excursions outside of group activities;
- Be on time to all scheduled activities;
- Participate in all group activities and events;
- Remain in the room if feeling sick;
- Be in the room by established curfew and remain until wake-up call.

Consequences
At a school-sponsored and chaperoned trip, the chaperones will review the situation and enforce the following consequences for any breech of expected behaviors:

- Parents will be notified and apprised of the situation;
- If warranted, the parent will be required to pick up the student from the event;
- If the parent is unable to pick up the student in a timely manner, the student will be placed on room restriction for the duration of the field trip or until alternate arrangements can be made, or the student will be sent home at the parent’s expense;
- Student, upon return to SFHS, will face disciplinary action;
- The student will not be allowed to participate in any future school-sponsored events.
- If the student turns in a forged permission form, or if the student attends the trip without turning in a permission form, the student will be suspended.

I have read the Behavior Expectations and I agree to abide by them as written. I understand that failure to abide by these expectations will result in consequences as listed above.

______________________________  _________________________
Signature of Student                Date

______________________________
Signature of Parent (acknowledging the commitment)

The signature below acknowledges that the student has informed the teacher of the planned absence. The teacher may offer commentary as to the effect, or lack thereof, on the student’s progress in the course. The teacher does not give nor deny permission for the student to attend.

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