

**2009-10 PARENT PERMISSION
FOR PARTICIPATION IN OFF-CAMPUS EVENTS**

Dear Parent or Legal Guardian:

During the course of the school year, your son will be eligible to participate in school sponsored activities that will require transportation to a location away from the school premises. You will be notified in advance about any such activity which will take place under the guidance and supervision of employees of **St. Mary's Preparatory**. The method of transportation could be school vehicles or your son could be expected to provide his own transportation to these events, which may include attending educational movies, speakers, volunteering at area organizations that serve disadvantaged citizens, or other events.

If you would like your son to participate in school supervised off-campus events, please complete, sign, and return the following statement of consent and release of liability. St. Mary's students are expected to behave in accordance with the school Honor Code at all times during school supervised events and will be held disciplinarily accountable for their actions. As parent or legal guardian, you remain legally responsible for the actions and conduct of your son at school sponsored events that take place both on and off St. Mary's campus

***** **STATEMENT OF CONSENT** *****

My son, _____, hereby has my consent to participate in school supervised events that will take place away from the school grounds under the supervision of designated school employees during those activities. I further consent to the conditions and conduct requirements stated above for participation in off campus events, including the method of transportation. In consideration of my son being allowed to participate in these field trips, I hereby agree on behalf of myself and my son, to release **St. Mary's Preparatory**, the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Detroit, and any and all affiliated organizations, their employees, agents and representatives, including volunteer drivers (collectively "releasees"), from any and all claims, including negligence, which may be asserted by me or my son, or on behalf of my son, arising from or relating to my son's participation in these field trips. In the event this release on behalf of myself and/or my son is held to be invalid or unenforceable, I hereby agree to indemnify and hold harmless releasees from any and all claims, including negligence, which may be asserted by me or my son, or on behalf of my son, arising from or relating to my son's participation in the field trip. This release of indemnification does not apply to claims for intentional misconduct or gross negligence; nor does this release or indemnification apply to the extent of commercial insurance coverage for any claim, but this release or indemnification shall apply to the extent of any self-insurance or deductible applicable to any claim.

Parent's Name (PLEASE PRINT) _____

Parent's Signature _____

Date _____

Please return this form to the Main Office by July 31, 2009