



## DENNY INTERNATIONAL M.S. MUSIC CHIEF SEALTH INTERNATIONAL H.S. MUSIC

### MUSIC ENSEMBLE PARTICIPATION AND FIELD TRIP EXPECTATIONS AGREEMENT

#### STUDENT AGREEMENT

I, \_\_\_\_\_ (print student name), understand and agree to follow the rules and expectations as a participant in a music ensemble at Denny International Middle School and Chief Sealth International High School.

1. I understand that this is a school approved activity and that the Seattle Public Schools *Student Code of Conduct* applies to my conduct during all related activities including field trips. I agree to follow the *Student Code of Conduct* while as a participant in music activities and field trips.
2. I will conduct myself with maturity, courtesy, and respect toward all parties participating in music activities including, but not limited to, my classmates, chaperones/teachers, host family, host school classmates, and host school teachers.
3. I realize that the chaperones/teachers are responsible for my welfare and the welfare of the group. Accordingly, I will obey their instructions at all times.
4. I acknowledge that field trips connected with music activities are educational. I realize that once on a field trip, my participation in all group meetings, meals, tours, excursions, and other scheduled events is **mandatory**. I realize that I will only be exempt from participating in scheduled events if I am ill and I obtain prior permission from a chaperone/teacher to miss an event.
5. I will never go off alone or make any unplanned trips or excursions while on a music field trip. I will carry the name, address, and phone number of the chaperones/teachers with me at all times on music field trips, and I will keep a chaperone/teacher informed of my whereabouts at all times.
6. On overnight trips, I will remain at my assigned lodgings from 10:30 P.M. to sunrise. I will not leave my assigned lodgings after curfew unless I am accompanied by a chaperone/teacher.
7. I will respect public and personal property. I understand that any damages incurred to public property or personal property as a result of my conduct will be my responsibility. I understand that Seattle Public Schools is not liable for any damage that may occur to my personal property on a field trip.
8. I will not drink alcohol, smoke, use other tobacco products, or use illegal drugs and/or medication that is not prescribed to me at school or during any field trips. I will not accept or transport any of these items.
9. I understand that if I do not follow the rules and expectations listed above, or if I engage in illegal activity, I may be required to come home early. I understand that my parents will be financially responsible for making arrangements to send me home.
10. I further understand that failure to abide by any of the above expectations either at school or on a school related trip may result in me being excluded from future music related travel or activities and that no refund will be made of any trip payments made towards future travel if I am found to have acted in violation of travel policies.

I, \_\_\_\_\_ (print student name), have read the rules and expectations listed above and agree to abide by them. I understand that I may be disciplined and/or sent home early if I fail to adhere to these rules and expectations.

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**PARENT AGREEMENT**

I/We, \_\_\_\_\_ (print parent name/s), have read the rules and expectations listed on the Music Ensemble Participation and Field Trip Expectations Agreement. I/We accept the above described behavior and expectations agreement and the following provisions as a condition for my/our child's participation in the field trip:

1. I/We agree to take financial responsibility for my/our child's early return from the field trip, if a chaperone/teacher deems that necessary.
2. If my/our child is returned early, I/we release Seattle Public Schools from responsibility for him/her from the moment of his/her departure from the trip location by a regularly scheduled flight/bus/train.
3. If my/our child is arrested for any illegal activity, I/we accept full responsibility for him/her and release Seattle Public Schools from all supervising responsibility.
4. I/we realize that there will not be any money refunded if my/our child is sent home early, misses one of the scheduled activities for any reason, including illness, or is restricted from future travel due to conduct covered in this agreement.
5. I/We acknowledge that my/our child will be expected to behave in a mature and appropriate fashion at all times.
6. I/We understand that Seattle Public Schools is not liable for any damage to public or personal property caused by my/our child during the field trip and that Seattle Public Schools is not liable for any damage to my/our child's personal property that may occur during the field trip.

Parent #1

I, \_\_\_\_\_ (print parent name) agree to the above conditions and expectations.

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent #2 (leave blank if not applicable)

I, \_\_\_\_\_ (print parent name) agree to the above conditions and expectations.

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_