



Form# 356  
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## THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF MARTIN COUNTY, FLORIDA PARENT AND STUDENT ACKNOWLEDGEMENT FORM

The mission of the Martin County School District, in partnership with family and community, is to equip students with the skills and knowledge necessary to become responsible citizens through comprehensive learning experiences and innovative environments that extend beyond traditional walls. As a partner in education, we request that you read and discuss this important document with your son/daughter. It is required that you sign this sheet and return it to the school, where the form will be kept on file. We have included the acknowledgements of all important documents and forms which are located at <http://martinschools.org> on this *Parent and Student Acknowledgement Form*.

- I have read and discussed the student **Code of Conduct** with my child. (Parents/guardians should take special notice of the dress code, attendance, suspension and expulsion sections of this code which are in accordance with School Board policy.)
- I have read and discussed the **School Board Policies on Bullying and Harassment**.
- I have read and discussed the **school handbook** with my child (available on the school website).
- I have read and discussed with my child the **Student Responsible Use Policy for Networked Communications**. I understand that Internet access via MCSD Network is being provided *solely* for educational purposes. I understand that even though the District employs filtering technology, it may not be able to restrict access to all inappropriate and controversial materials on the Internet, and I will not hold the MCSD responsible for materials my student may acquire as a result of the use of the Internet from school facilities.
- I have read and discussed with my student the **Bring Your Own Device (BYOD) Responsible Use Guidelines**. If we choose to participate by bringing a device to school, we understand and will abide by the guidelines.

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**UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY, I DECLARE** that I have read the foregoing form, front and back, and that the facts stated in it are true and accurate. Florida Statutes Sec. 92.525 (3) provides that whoever knowingly makes a false declaration under penalty of perjury is guilty of a felony in the third degree.

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*Student Name (print)*

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*Parent/Guardian Name (print)*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Date*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Student Signature*

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*Parent/Guardian Signature (unless student is emancipated)*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Date*

**IMPORTANT: PLEASE COMPLETE REVERSE SIDE.**

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**Please indicate your permission preferences below by circling your choice and providing your initials.  
(No circling or initials implies permission.)**

**PHOTO/MEDIA RELEASE:** Your child may be interviewed, photographed, or audio or video-recorded by the news media or District staff for print, radio, television, Internet content or any other medium. Permission is granted for the school or District to use my child's photograph, video image, writing, voice recording, name, grade level, school name, participation in officially recognized activities and sports, weight and height of members of athletic teams, dates of attendance, diplomas and awards received, date and place of birth, and most recent previous school attended, web sites, etc. and/or similar school or District sponsored publications or in school or District approved news media interviews, releases, articles, and photographs. I also provide permission for the release by the school or District to the media and governmental entities of my child's name, grade, school name and honors by child has received for public announcement of recognition of my student's accomplishments and the school yearbook.

Circle one :      I give permission.      I do not give permission.      Initial \_\_\_\_      (No circling or initials implies permission)

\_\_\_\_ I give permission for my child's pictures to appear in the school yearbook.  
\_\_\_\_ I do not give permission for my child's pictures to appear in the school yearbook.

**HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT ONLY:** Opt-out for the release of information to military: The NCLB Act of 2001 requires that school districts provide military recruiters access to the names, addresses and phone numbers of high school students. Parents have a right to OPT-OUT from sending this information. If you do not want your child's information released to the military without prior written parental consent, check below. Although we will accept the opt-out any time during the year, sending it the first 20 days of the school year will ensure that no information is sent this school year.

Circle one:      I authorize release.      I do not authorize release.      Initial \_\_\_\_      (No circling or initials implies release authorization)

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