

Student Name: _____ Student ID #: _____ Grade: _____

Madisonville Independent School District

**Student Drug Testing Program
2018-2019**

Parental Notification and Consent Form

_____ I acknowledge that the student named above participates in the extracurricular activity program at Madisonville CISD (MCISD) and, as such, is required to participate in the student drug testing program.

_____ The student named above does not participate in extracurricular activities at MCISD. However, as parent/guardian, I give my consent for the student named above to participate in the District's drug testing program.

_____ The student named above owns a MHS parking permit and drives to school. As such, the student is required to participate in the drug testing program.

In accordance with the MCISD policy (*see attached*) we are asking each parent and participating student to make a commitment and sign this statement making a pledge for the participating student to abstain from the use of illegal drugs or other controlled substances. Therefore, the parent and participating student gives consent to random urinalysis testing to be used for drug screening.

I acknowledge that MCISD will contact the student's parent or adult student if a drug test is positive. Medical review may then be requested by the parent or adult student or MCISD. **In the event of a positive test, the student will be suspended for 30 calendar days, following notification, from all extracurricular activities for the first offense. In the case of a second offense, the student will be suspended for 90 calendar days, following notification, from all extracurricular activities. If a third test is positive, the student will be removed permanently from all extracurricular activities. Positive tests are cumulative throughout the student's extracurricular activity involvement on each participating campus (MJH and MHS).**

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Student Signature: _____

Date: _____

MCISD Drug Testing Board Policy

The District requires drug testing of any student in grades 7-12 who chooses to participate in school-sponsored extracurricular activities or requests a permit to park a vehicle on school property.

Students shall be randomly tested throughout the school year.

The purposes of the drug-testing program are to prevent injury, illness, and harm resulting from the use of illegal and performance-enhancing drugs or alcohol; help enforce a drug-free educational environment; deter student use of illegal and performance enhancing drugs or alcohol; and educate students regarding the harm caused by the use of illegal and performance-enhancing drugs or alcohol.

Before a student is eligible to participate in extracurricular activities or to receive a parking permit, the student shall be required annually to sign a consent form agreeing to be subject to the rules and procedures of the drug-testing program. If the student is under the age of 18, the student's parent or guardian shall also sign a consent form. If appropriate consent is not given, the student shall not be allowed to participate in extracurricular activities or to receive a parking permit.

Drug test results shall be used only to determine eligibility for a parking permit and participation in extracurricular activities. Positive drug test results shall not be used to impose disciplinary sanctions or academic penalties.

Nevertheless, nothing in this policy shall limit or affect the application of state law, local policy, or the Student Code of Conduct. A student who commits a disciplinary offense shall be subject to consequences in accordance with the Student Code of Conduct.

Drug-testing results shall be confidential and shall be disclosed only to the student, the student's parents, and designated District officials who need the information in order to administer the drug testing program. Drug test results shall not be maintained with a student's academic record. Results shall not be otherwise disclosed except as required by law.

The Board shall contract with a certified drug-testing laboratory to conduct testing of students' urine samples. Testing laboratories shall not release statistics regarding the rate of positive drug tests to any person or organization without consent of the District.

The District shall make available to students and parents a list of the exact substances for which tests will be conducted.

Personnel from the drug-testing laboratory shall collect urine samples under conditions that are no more intrusive than the conditions experienced in a public restroom. When selected for testing, a student shall be escorted to the school's testing site by a District employee and shall remain under employee supervision until the student provides a sample. A student shall produce a sample within a closed restroom stall. A District employee of the same gender as the student shall be present when the samples are collected.

A student who refused to be tested when selected or who is determined to have tampered with a sample shall be deemed to have a positive test result and shall be subject to the appropriate consequences depending on previous positive test results, if any.

If a student is absent on the day of the random test, a sample shall be collected on the next random testing date.

An initial positive test shall be confirmed by a second test of the same specimen before being reported as positive.

Upon receiving results of a positive drug test, the District shall schedule a meeting with the student, the student's parent if the student is under the age of 18, and the coach or sponsor of the extracurricular activity, as applicable, to review the test results and discuss consequences.

The student or parent shall have three school days following the meeting to provide a medical explanation for a positive result.

If the student wished to return to participation in extracurricular activities or have a parking permit reinstated after any applicable consequences, the student must be retested at the end of the period of suspension and have a negative test result; following that, the student shall be retested so long as the student wished to participate in extracurricular activities or park a vehicle on school property.

The District shall notify the parent and student of drug and alcohol abuse prevention resources available in the area.

Consequences of positive test results shall be cumulative through the student's enrollment in middle school and shall begin anew for high school.

Upon a first offense of receiving a confirmed positive drug test, a student shall be suspended from any extracurricular activity, and the student's parking permit shall be suspended, for 30 calendar days following the date the student and parent are notified of the test results.

During the period of suspension, the student shall not be permitted to participate in practices.

Upon a second offense of receiving a confirmed positive drug test, a student shall be suspended from any extracurricular activity, and the student's parking permit shall be suspended, for 90 calendar days following the date the student and parent are notified of the test results.

During the period of suspension, the student shall not be permitted to participate in practices.

Upon a third offense of receiving a confirmed positive drug test, a student shall be suspended from participation in any extracurricular activity, and the student's parking permit shall be suspended, for the remainder of the student's enrollment in the District.

During the period of the suspension, the student shall not be permitted to participate in practices.

A student or parent may appeal a decision made under this policy in accordance with FNG(LOCAL). The student shall be ineligible for participation in extracurricular activities or reinstatement of parking privileges while the appeal is pending.