



CONSENT TO PARTICIPATE

My student, _____, is a member of the AHS/SILSA Speech & Debate Team and has my permission to participate in tournaments. I understand that my student may travel by bus, district vehicle, or the private vehicle of another team adult with a separate permission form. In addition, any air travel or overnight stays will also require a separate consent form. "Field trip" permission forms may be requested for each individual tournament as noted on the Canvas Tournament Schedule.

Per team policy, students qualify for individual tournaments by meeting pre-set requirements such as attending club meetings, engaging in practice sessions, and other requirements that may be required for specific tournaments/events. Other factors that may impact a student's ability to attend tournaments include: on-time payment of fees, transportation needs, judge quota, entry limits, class requirements, and additional requirements for some tournaments (such as nationals). While we will make every effort to allow every student to attend the tournaments of their choice, no student is guaranteed automatic approval to compete.

By giving your consent, you understand that a typical tournament will cost a nominal entry fee in addition to meals, while overnight/multi day tournaments typically require even larger entry fees, plus hotel and food expenses. Due to the need to make reservations in advance, it may not be possible to refund deposits for dropped tournaments. Scholarship assistance is available; no student who has qualified to attend will be turned away due to inability to pay.

My signature on this form means that I have read, accept, and approve all the information listed and give my consent for my student to participate on the AHS/SILSA Speech & Debate team.

Adult Name: _____ Adult Signature: _____ Date _____
Phone: _____

Emergency Contact: _____ Relationship: _____
Phone: _____
Phone: _____