

# **SHARYLAND I.S.D.**

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#### STUDENT UNDER GUARDIAN'S CARE REGISTRATION

### REQUIRED DOCUMENTS CHECK LIST

Texas Education Code (TEC) Section 25.002(f) requires that a child may only be enrolled in public school by the child's parent or by the child's guardian or other person with legal control of the child under a court order.

If intent is to change zones within the district, a Special Permission Form must be submitted to the Superintendent for approval.

Guardian must present **ALL** of the following documents for registration.

- □ Photo ID containing name, address, and date of birth of individual enrolling the child (Example TX Driver's License)
- ☐ Child's birth certificate
- □ A copy of the child's records from the school most recently attended if the child has been previously enrolled in a school
  - o Final report card, stating promoted/retained
  - Transcript
  - Withdrawal forms
- ☐ Child's immunization records
- ☐ Child's Social Security Card (if child has a Social Security Number)
- ☐ Current light bill or energy provider contract in Parent's name
- ☐ Current light bill or energy provider contract in Guardian's name
- □ Completed
  - "State of TX Authorization Agreement for Nonparent Relative of Voluntary Caregiver" form
    - NOTE this form is only valid for use with the Designated Adult or a Parental Child Safety Placement Voluntary Caregiver in accordance with CPS.
  - o (or) Court Order granting legal control of this child

Under Texas Education Code Sec. 25.002(h-i) and Section 37.10, Penal Code, A person who knowingly falsifies information on a form required for a student's enrollment in the District shall be liable to the District if the student is not eligible for enrollment, but is enrolled on the basis of false information. For the period during which the ineligible student is enrolled, the person is liable for the maximum tuition fee the District may charge or the amount the District has budgeted per student as maintenance and operating expense, whichever is greater. An offense under this section is a Class C misdemeanor.

For Office Use Only
Verification of residency home visit completed on

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#### AUTHORIZATION AGREEMENT FOR NONPARENT RELATIVE

Falsification of enrollment records is a criminal offense under Section 37.10 of the Texas Penal Code, and may also give rise to civil liability for supplying false information in accordance with Section 25.001(h.) of the Education Code.

A minor student residing in the District but whose parent, guardian, or other person having lawful control under a court order does not reside in the District shall complete the attached Authorization Agreement for Nonparent Relative form assigning responsibility for the student in all school-related matters to an adult resident of the District.

This form is an enrollment record document and is to be processed through the office of the Superintendent for Administrative Services. A new form must be completed each school year. A current utility bill (electric), a lease agreement or a contract of a home in the district must be provided to the school as proof of residency.

For a person under the age of 18 years to establish a residence for the purpose of attending the public schools separate and apart from the person's parent, guardian, or other person having lawful control of the person under a court order, it must be established that the person's presence in the school district is not for the primary purpose of participation in extracurricular activities. The Board of Trustees is not required to admit a student under subsection TEC 25.001(d) if the student has:

- a. Engaged in conduct that resulted in removal to a disciplinary alternative education program or expulsion within the preceding year;
- b. Engaged in delinquent conduct or "conduct in need of supervision" and is on probation or other conditional release for that conduct; or
- c. Been convicted of a criminal offense and is on probation or other conditional release.

I understand that falsification of enrollment records is a criminal offense under Section 37.10 of the Texas Penal Code, and may also give rise to civil liability for supplying false information in accordance with Section 25.001(h) of the Texas Education Code.

Parent Signature	Guardian Signature			
I understand that Sharyland ISD may send a school representative to my home on any given date and at any given time to verify the residence of the above named student(s). I understand the student(s) may be withdrawn if determined not to be living at the above address.				
Parent initials	Resident Owner's initials			



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This authorization agreement is made in conformance with Chapter 34 of the Texas Family Code concerning the following Child: Child's Full Name: Date of Birth: Parent completing this form: Full Name: Physical Address: Telephone Number: Other contact information: Child's other parent: Full Name: Physical Address: Telephone Number: Other contact information: Parent voluntarily authorizes the following adult caregiver or Parental Child Safety Placement voluntary caregiver to make certain decisions regarding the child, as listed on the next page of this authorization agreement. Name: Relationship to Child (check one): Adult Caregiver Parental Child Safety Placement Voluntary Caregiver in accordance with Child Protective Services if requirements of Texas Family Code, Subchapter L are met Physical Address: Telephone Number: Other contact information:

PARENT AND VOLUNTARY ADULT CAREGIVER UNDERSTAND THAT THEY ARE REQUIRED BY LAW TO IMMEDIATELY PROVIDE EACH OTHER WITH INFORMATION REGARDING ANY CHANGE IN THE OTHER PARTY'S ADDRESS OR CONTACT INFORMATION.



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Parent authorizes the above named voluntary adult caregiver to perform the following acts in regard to the child and the voluntary adult caregiver assumes the responsibility of performing these functions (strike through any that do not apply): (1) To authorize medical, dental, psychological, surgical treatment, and immunization of the child, including executing any consents or authorizations for the release of information as required by law relating to the treatment or immunization: (2) To obtain and maintain health insurance coverage for the child and automobile insurance coverage for the child, if appropriate; (3) To enroll the child in a day-care program or public or private preschool, primary or secondary school; (4) To authorize the child to participate in age-appropriate extracurricular, civic, social, or recreational activities, including athletic activities; (5) To authorize the child to obtain a learner's permit, driver's license, or state-issued identification card; (6) To authorize employment of the child; (7) To apply for and receive public benefits on behalf of the child; and (8) To obtain copies or originals of state-issued personal identification documents for the child, including the child's birth certificate; and to the extent authorized under federal law, copies or originals of federally issued personal identification documents for the child, including the child's social security card. This authorization agreement does not confer on the voluntary adult caregiver of the child the right to authorize the performance of an abortion on the child or the administration of emergency contraception to To the best of the parent's and voluntary adult caregiver's knowledge (check if applicable): This child is not the subject of a current (pre-existing) valid authorization agreement, and no parent, guardian, custodian, licensed child-placing agency or other agency makes any claim to actual physical possession or care, custody or control of the child that is inconsistent with this authorization agreement.

To the best of the parent's and the voluntary adult caregiver's knowledge (choose one from below):

THERE IS NO COURT INVOLVEMENT WITH THIS CHILD

All of the following statements must apply:

There is no court order or pending suit affecting the parent-child relationship concerning the child. There is no pending litigation in any court concerning custody, possession, or placement of the child or access to or visitation with the child.

The court does not have continuing jurisdiction concerning the child.

THIS CHILD HAS BEEN THE SUBJECT OF A COURT ACTION

The court with continuing jurisdiction concerning the child has given written approval for the execution of

the court with continuing jurisdiction concerning the child has given written approval for the execution of the authorization agreement accompanied by the following information:

The county in which the court is located;

The number of the court; and

The cause number in which the order was issued or the litigation is pending.

Please staple a copy of the court's order to this agreement.



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#### WARNINGS AND DISCLOSURES

This authorization agreement is an important legal document. The parent and the voluntary adult caregiver must read all of the warnings and disclosures before signing this authorization agreement.

The parent and voluntary adult caregiver are not required to consult an attorney but are advised to do so.

A parent's rights as a parent may be adversely affected by placing or leaving the parent's child with another person.

This authorization agreement does not confer on the voluntary adult caregiver the rights of a managing or possessory conservator or legal guardian.

A parent who is a party to this authorization agreement may terminate the authorization agreement and resume custody, possession, care, and control of the child on demand and at any time the parent may request the return of the child.

Failure by the voluntary adult caregiver to return the child to the parent immediately on request may have criminal and civil consequences.

Under other applicable law, the voluntary adult caregiver may be liable for certain expenses relating to the child in the voluntary caregiver's care, but the parent still retains the parental obligation to support the child.

In certain circumstances, this authorization agreement may not be entered into without written permission of the court. Examples of when court permission must be granted include when a court has entered a previous order granting custody or establishing a child support obligation.

This authorization agreement may be terminated by certain court orders affecting the child.

This authorization agreement does not supersede, invalidate, or terminate any prior authorization agreement regarding the child.

This authorization agreement is void if a prior authorization agreement regarding the child is in effect and has not expired or been terminated.

This authorization agreement does not confer on the voluntary adult caregiver of the child the right to authorize the performance of an abortion on the child or the administration of emergency contraception to the child.



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#### **MAILING REQUIREMENTS:**

When both parents do not sign the parent authorization agreement, a copy of the agreement MUST be mailed to the non-signing parent at the parent's last known address, unless that parent is deceased or has had his or her parental rights terminated. This authorization agreement **is void** unless not later than the 10<sup>th</sup> day after the date the authorization agreement is signed:

- 1. The parties mail one copy of this agreement by certified mail, return receipt requested, or international registered mail, return receipt requested, as applicable, to the non-signing parent; and
- 2. The parties mail one copy of the agreement by first class mail or international first class mail, as applicable to the non-signing parent.

A party to the authorization agreement shall immediately inform each other party of any change in the party's address or contact information. If a party fails to comply with this subsection, the authorization agreement is voidable by the other party.

#### **EXCEPTION TO MAILING REQUIREMENTS:**

If a parent who did not sign the authorization agreement does not have court-ordered possession of or access to the child who is the subject of the agreement, the parent who is a party to the agreement does not have to mail a copy of the agreement to the non-signing parent if either of the following circumstances applies:

- A protective order has been issued against the non-signing parent as provided under Chapter 85 of the Texas Family Code or under a similar law of another state for committing an act of family violence (as defined by Section 71.004 of the Texas Family Code) against the parent who signed the agreement or any child of the parent who signed the agreement; or
- 2. The non-signing parent has been convicted of any of the following criminal offenses against the parent who signed the agreement or any child of the parent who signed the agreement: any offense under Title 5 of the Texas Penal Code (including murder, homicide, kidnapping, assault and sexual assault); or any other criminal offense in Texas or any other state if the offense involves a violent act or prohibited sexual conduct.

#### TERM OF AUTHORIZATION AGREEMENT

This authorization agreement is for a term of:

- six months from the date the parties enter into the agreement, and will renew automatically for six-month terms unless the agreement is terminated by any of the circumstances provided in Section 34.008 of the Texas Family Code; or
- the time provided in the agreement with a specific expiration date earlier than six months after the date the parties enter into the agreement.

If the parent does not want the agreement to last for six months and renew automatically for six-month terms after that, the parent must identify the circumstances under which the authorization agreement may be terminated (as provided by Section 34.008) before the term of the agreement expires; or continued beyond the term of the agreement by a court (as provided by Section 34.008(b)). Note: See last page of form for full text of Section 34.008 regarding terminating or revoking the agreement

If the parent wishes the agreement to expire at a date earlier than six months from the date the parties		
enter into the agreement, indicate the date the agreement is to expire:		
If applicable, state circumstances to terminate the agreement before the expiration date:		



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By signing below, parent and the voluntary adult caregiver acknowledge that they have each read this authorization agreement carefully, are entering into the authorization agreement voluntarily, and have read and understand all of the Warnings and Disclosures included in this authorization agreement.

PARENT	
Printed name:	
SUBSCRIBED AND ACKNOWLEDGED BEFORE ME on thisday of	, 20
Notary Public in and for the State	of TEXAS
PARENT**	
Printed name:	
SUBSCRIBED AND ACKNOWLEDGED BEFORE ME on thisday of	, 20
Notary Public in and for the State of	f TEXAS
VOLUNTARY ADULT CAREGIVER	
Printed name:	
SUBSCRIBED AND ACKNOWLEDGED BEFORE ME on thisday of	, 20
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Notary Public in and for the State	TEXAS



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## Important statutory provisions Texas Family Code (as of September 1, 2017)

#### Statute:

#### Sec. 34.0075 TERM OF AUTHORIZATION AGREEMENT

An authorization agreement executed under this chapter is for a term of six months from the date the parties enter into the agreement and renews automatically for six-month terms unless:

- (1) an earlier expiration date is stated in the authorization agreement;
- (2) the authorization agreement is terminated as provided by Section 34.008; or
- (3) a court authorizes the continuation of the agreement as provided by Section 34.008(b).

#### Sec. 34.008. TERMINATION OF AUTHORIZATION AGREEMENT

- (a) Except as provided by Subsection (b), an authorization agreement under this chapter terminates if, after the execution of the authorization agreement, a court enters an order:
  - (1) affecting the parent-child relationship;
  - (2) concerning custody, possession, or placement of the child;
  - (3) concerning access to or visitation with the child; or
  - (4) regarding the appointment of a guardian for the child under Subchapter B, Chapter 1104, Estates Code.
- (b) An authorization agreement may continue after a court order described by Subsection (a) is entered if the court entering the order gives written permission.
- (c) An authorization agreement under this chapter terminates on written revocation by a party to the authorization agreement if the party:
  - (1) gives each party written notice of the revocation;
  - (2) files the written revocation with the clerk of the county in which:
    - (A) the child resides;
    - (B) the child resided at the time the authorization agreement was executed; or
    - (C) the adult caregiver resides; and
  - (3) files the written revocation with the clerk of each court:
    - (A) that has continuing, exclusive jurisdiction over the child;
    - (B) in which there is a court order or pending suit affecting the parent-child relationship concerning the child:
    - (C) in which there is pending litigation concerning:
      - (i) custody, possession, or placement of the child; or
      - (ii) access to or visitation with the child; or
    - (D) that has entered an order regarding the appointment of a guardian for the child under Subchapter B, Chapter 1104, Estates Code.
- (e) If both parents have signed the authorization agreement, either parent may revoke the authorization agreement without the other parent's consent.
- (f) Execution of a subsequent authorization agreement does not by itself supersede, invalidate, or terminate a prior authorization agreement.