Senior Class Trip Rules and Responsibilities

Senior Class Trip Approval:

The Board of Education of the Stillwater School District has approved a class trip for the seniors (Class of 2022) to <u>Walt Disney World in Florida</u> for the period <u>April 2nd – 6th, 2022.</u> As a senior, your child is eligible to participate. However, participation in the trip is a privilege, not a right, which must be earned and may be taken away at any time.

Student Qualifications to Participate in the Senior Trip:

In order to qualify to sign up for or participate in the senior trip, a student must...

- Be enrolled in, and remain enrolled in, a course of study that would lead to graduation in June of the current school year.
- Have met all of his/her financial and disciplinary responsibilities to their class, other school-sponsored organizations, and the school.
- Have not been suspended from school (in-school or out of school) during the senior year.
- Have ten or fewer unexcused absences and ten or fewer unexcused tardies during the senior year.
- Attend the mandatory pre-trip meeting with a parent or legal guardian.
- Agree to abide by all of the rules of the senior trip as provided in the senior trip paperwork.
- Deliver luggage and other materials to be taken on the trip in the manner prescribed by school officials, consenting to the search of these materials by school officials.
- Complete and return all forms distributed with required signatures, notarized where required.

Chaperones for the Senior Class Trip:

Consistent with its duty to provide for the oversight of student activities the Board of Education shall appoint chaperones recommended by the Superintendent of Schools.

It is understood that these individuals are agents of the district who will be authorized and responsible for enforcement of the rules of the district.

Behavioral Expectations During the Senior Trip—Parents/Guardians:

As a condition of their child's participation in the senior trip parents/Guardians agree...

- To complete all required paperwork.
- To attend the mandatory pre-trip meeting.
- To remain available personally (or through an identified emergency contact) via telephone, in the event chaperones or students need to contact them.
- To assume responsibility for any emergency medical care a student may need.
- To assume responsibility for any child arrested for illegal behavior, acknowledging that such child may be detained by local law enforcement and that such detention may require the parent to make arrangements for the child's return home.
- To assume responsibility for the early return of any student who violates a major or multiple minor rules of the trip including any additional cost and the obligation to meet the student at a return location identified by trip chaperones.

Behavioral Expectations During the Senior Trip—Students:

While on the senior trip all students are to behave appropriately, including...

- Recognize the authority and follow the instructions of trip chaperones at all times.
- Abide by all rules of the trip from the moment of their arrival at school for trip departure until they leave school after the trip returns.
- Recognize the rights and comfort of others with regard to noise, language, and conduct.
- Participate in all scheduled activities of the trip.
- Obey all rules of the school district Code of Conduct and the senior trip.
- Acknowledge that their luggage or rooms may be searched at any time with reasonable suspicion that the search will produce evidence of the violation of a school or trip rule or the law.
- Check and report any room damage to the designated chaperone immediately upon arrival at an overnight accommodation.
- Not damage any bus, room, or other location or property. Students will be responsible for the expense and disciplinary consequence of any damage.
- Be in their assigned rooms at times assigned by the chaperones.
- Students may **NOT** be in the rooms of other students (of either gender) on the trip.
- Check in with chaperones at appointed times and locations; traveling in groups of two or more at any place other than the resort.
- Not schedule to meet with anyone not part of the senior trip at any location or time during the trip, unless given prior permission.
- Dress appropriately and neatly for the occasion.
- Not possess or consume alcoholic beverages, tobacco, vapes, drugs, other than those on the approved medical form, or other prohibited substances while on the trip.
- Members of a room are responsible for any misconduct that occurs in that room—if it is wrong, report it to a chaperone or be equally responsible for the misconduct.
- Students who commit a crime will be referred to local law enforcement.
- Refraining from smoking or using tobacco products (i.e. e-cigarette or chewing tobacco).
- Violations of school rules, inappropriate behavior, and unlawful behavior (whether on or off school
 grounds) may result in suspension or determination of ineligibility to participate in extra-curricular clubs
 and/or activities.

Possible Consequences for Student Misconduct on the Senior Trip:

School officials will address any student misconduct that occurs on the senior trip. Depending upon the severity of the issue, students may be assigned any of the consequences provided in the Code of Conduct or the senior class trip documentation from verbal warning through suspension from school. Consequences may include the loss of school or senior privileges including restrictions on activity during or participation in the remainder of the senior trip and participation in and attendance at the graduation ceremony.

In addition, if the misconduct includes a violation of law, local law enforcement authorities may be involved.

TO BE SIGNED and HANDED IN
A spot on the senior trip will **not** be held until this sheet has been signed and handed in.

Student Name			
	(please print)		
I have read and agree to each of Contract.	of the provisions ou	itlined in the	Senior Class Trip Rules and Responsibilities
Student Signature	_	Date	_
Parent/Guardian Signature	_	Date	-
I understand that the deposits madecides not to participate in this	•	ndable after e	ach deadline if my child becomes ineligible or
Parent/Guardian Signature	_		