



NEW HAVEN UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT Volunteer Information/Agreement

California Education Code Section 35021 requires school districts to screen school volunteers. In order to complete the screening, please provide the information requested below.

To Be Completed By Administrator, Head Coach or Certificated Lead

Date: _____ Issue permanent badge: ___ Yes ___ No

School Site _____ Referred by: _____

Name of Volunteer: _____ Sport / Assignment: _____

To Be Completed By Volunteer

Name: _____

Address: _____ City/Zip: _____

Telephone Number: Cell _____ Home _____

Date of Birth _____ Driver's License _____ or State ID. No. _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT:

Name/Relationship: _____ Phone Number: _____

I understand that I will not receive any salary and/or other benefits during this assignment except Workers' Compensation insurance coverage as permitted by law.

AFFIDAVIT AFFIRMING NO CRIMINAL RECORD

I hereby certify that I have not been charged with or convicted of a violent or serious felony as defined in California Education Code 45122.1. For the purposed of this code section, a violent felony is any of those listed in subsection C of Penal Code Section 667.5 and a serious felony is any felony listed in the subsection C of Penal Code Section 1192.7. I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

PERSONNEL USE ONLY

Date Received: _____

Authorized: Yes
 No

Authorized By: Derek McNamara, Chief Personnel Officer
 Vicki Ballard, Coordinator

ID Badge Issued

Signature

STATEMENT OF CONFIDENTIALITY FOR SCHOOL VOLUNTEERS

Thank you for your willingness to be a volunteer in the New Haven Unified School District. Volunteers are vital to the success of our program. All school volunteers are expected to maintain confidentiality while working in the school. All things that are seen and heard at school about children and their families should be considered privileged information. Trust must be established and maintained in order for our volunteer program to be successful. Volunteers can strengthen the bond between themselves and the school by following these guidelines:

- Treat all student information as personal and confidential regardless of source.
- Communicate relevant information about students to the respective classroom teacher or principal.
- Seek clarification of unusual situations that occur in the school from the person(s) involved and avoid discussing such matters with non-school personnel.
- Retain a sense of perspective regarding comments heard and actions observed.
- Understand that not all information can and will be shared with volunteers, due to legal considerations.
- Deal impartially with students regardless of background, intelligence, physical or emotional maturity.
- Do not discuss student progress or behavior with the parent. All relevant information should be referred to the teacher or principal. Direct inquiries about students to the professional staff.
- Speak constructively of all school staff; however, report difficulties involving the welfare of students or school to the principal.
- Do not discuss confidential information with anyone. This information includes, but is not limited to:
 - Scholastic and health records
 - Test scores and grades
 - Discipline and classroom behavior
 - Character traits of children
 - Supports and services a student may receive
- All volunteers are required to sign a statement of confidentiality

Discipline

Discipline of students is solely the responsibility of the teacher in charge. Volunteers should in no way discipline students. Should students misbehave in your presence, you should report this immediately to the teacher in charge. The teacher will then determine the necessary course of action. Also note that we expect students to treat volunteers with the same level of respect given to other school personnel. If you feel that students are not being respectful towards you, do not hesitate to discuss the matter with the teacher or principal.

Volunteer Statement

I understand that in the in the course of my association with New Haven Unified School District, I share the responsibility of maintaining the confidentiality of any employee or student information that I may have available to me. I understand that it is my responsibility to assure rights and confidentiality of information both written and verbal.

I further understand that in the performance of my volunteering, I am not to discuss academic or other confidential information regarding students or employees with anyone, including the parents of any student. Any breach of confidentiality will be carefully reviewed and if substantiated may result in termination of volunteer involvement with the School District.

I acknowledge that I have read and understand this statement of confidentiality.

Volunteer Signature

Date