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Virtual/Online Learning Parent Consent Form

School District: Henry Ford Academy **School Building:** Henry Ford Academy

Student Name: _____ **Student Grade:** _____

Virtual learning is a method of receiving academic instruction in courses in which the pupil is registered and the courses are taken through a digital learning environment. Virtual learning may be offered at a supervised school facility during the day as a scheduled class period or through self-scheduled learning where pupils have some control over the time, location, and pace of their education. Virtual learning includes, but is not limited to, online learning and computer-based learning, where the delivery of instruction may incorporate a combination of software, technology, including google meet/ zoom meetings and the Internet.

I, _____, parent or legal guardian of _____ give consent for his/her enrollment in district approved virtual/online course(s). I understand my student will be enrolled in online courses for the 2021-2022 school year.

Children's Online Privacy Protection Act (COPPA)

COPPA is a law that deals with how websites and other online operations, including applications, collect data and information from children under the age of 13. In compliance, no advertising shall appear during sessions of online classes. The school shall conduct classes and use the technologies with students for the sole purpose of education. No other third party shall have access or shall obtain the student information. You may check the following link for more information on COPPA:

<https://www.ftc.gov/tips-advice/business-center/guidance/complying-coppa-frequently-asked-questions>

Child Internet Protection Act (CIPA)

Congress enacted in 2000 the Children's Internet Protection Act (CIPA) to address concerns about children's inappropriate use of technology and access to obscene or harmful content over the Internet.

In compliance, we have set technological measures, guidelines, and policies to protect your child from harmful materials including those that are obscene and inappropriate. In this regard, we do not allow in any chat room, whether in private or in a group setting any

materials or communication that may be contrary to the Act. You can check out this link for more information on CIPA:

<https://www.fcc.gov/consumers/guides/childrens-internet-protection-act>

Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA)

FERPA is a law that protects the right to privacy of students and education records while it gives authority and rights to parents to review student records. Under FERPA, while schools may disclose directory information of the students, parents may request the school not disclose this information. In this regard, in case you intend to limit or disallow the sharing of information for directory purposes, you may reach out to us. You may also check out this link for more information about FERPA:

<https://www2.ed.gov/policy/gen/guid/fpco/ferpa/index.html>

Following the pronouncements above, we seek your consent in order for your child to participate in online class sessions. Please fill out the information below and submit the form. Your submission shall be the reckoning date of your confirmation with us.

Parent Signature: _____ **Date Submitted:** _____

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