

2011 Marching Band Deviation Form

Please fill out one form for each deviation

Student's Name _____

Date of Deviation: Month _____ Day _____

Event: _____

Who will be picking up your child from the event?

Name Relationship

What is his/her Cell Phone Number (with area code) (_____) _____ - _____

Parent Cell Phone Number (with area code) (_____) _____ - _____

What time will you be picked up? _____

I understand that my child will be deviating from the scheduled itinerary and I hereby give permission for the above stated deviation only. **It is mandatory for students to check-out with Mr. Wagner or the Drum Major before leaving.**

Parent Name

Date

FIELD TRIP/EXCURSION AUTHORIZATION AND MEDICAL TREATMENT AUTHORIZATION

(Minor)

In-state

(California Education Code Section 35330)

Out-of-state

Completion of This Form is Required for ALL Field Trips/Excursions.

Name of School: Nordhoff High School

I hereby give permission for my child, _____, to participate in [all marching band-related events](#) as part of his/her regular school program.

This field trip/excursion is to be held on multiple dates from August, 2011 to December 2011.

Transportation for this field trip/excursion will be provided by: school bus or coach charter.

In the event of illness or injury, I hereby consent to whatever x-ray, examination, anesthetic, medical, dental or surgical diagnosis or treatment and hospital care from a licensed physician as deemed necessary for the safety and welfare of my child. It is understood that the resulting expenses will be the responsibility of the participant(s) parent(s)/guardian(s).

Note regarding administration of medication: If your child is required to take medication prescribed by a physician during the course of this field trip/excursion, and you wish school district personnel to assist your child in taking this medication, please indicate by signing below. In addition, please state the type of medication and attach a written statement from the child's physician detailing the method, amount and time schedules by which such medication is to be taken.

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____

If there is a special medical problem(s), kindly attach a description of the problem(s) to this sheet.

I fully understand that all participants are to abide by and accept all rules and requirements governing conduct during the field trip/excursion. To the extent permitted by the Education Code, any participant determined to be in violation of behavior standards will be sent home at their own or their parent's/guardian's expense.

California Education Code Section 35330 provides as follows:

"All persons making the field trip or excursion shall be deemed to have waived all claims against the District or the State of California for injury, accident, illness, or death occurring during or by reason of the field trip or excursion."

I understand that the District does not require the minor student to participate in the field trip/excursion and I make this request voluntarily because I desire the minor student to participate in the field trip/excursion. I also understand that, if I do not consent to the minor student's participation, the minor student will be involved in alternative supervised activities, for which the minor student will receive full credit.

I have carefully read this authorization and fully understand its contents and voluntarily consent to its terms and conditions

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____

Date: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

If you have health insurance, please list:

Health Insurance Company _____

Policy Number: _____

Group Number: _____

In the event of illness or accident, if different from above, please contact:

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Address: _____

2011-2012 NORDHOFF HIGH SCHOOL

Parent Consent form and Marching Band & Color Guard Exam Information

Students Name _____ MB CG Grade _____
 Address _____ City _____ Zip _____
 Birthday _____ Gender _____ Phone _____ Emergency Phone _____

1) NAME OF THE ***INSURANCE COMPANY*** THAT COVERS THE STUDENT/MUSICIAN ACCORDING TO THE STATE LEGAL REQUIRMENT: _____

2) I hereby give my consent for the above named student (son, daughter, ward) to participate in marching band.
 In case of injury, you are authorized to have him/her treated.

Signature of Parent or Guardian _____ Date _____

Health History: To be completed by parent before doctor exam.

	Yes	No		Yes	No
Any past or present:					
Problems with vision	___	___	Dental problems	___	___
Eyeglasses	___	___	braces	___	___
Contacts	___	___	false teeth, bridge	___	___
Problems with hearing	___	___	Painful joints	___	___
Hearing aid	___	___	Broken bones	___	___
Blacking out or fainting	___	___	Part, date _____		
Unconsciousness	___	___	Knee or ankle problems	___	___
Convulsions, seizures	___	___	require support or brace	___	___
Ear problems	___	___	Need for medication	___	___
Bleeding disorders	___	___	Name / Type _____		
Blood sugar problems	___	___	Female menstruation problems	___	___
Hypoglycemia	___	___			
Diabetes	___	___			
Asthma	___	___			
Allergies-Type _____			ANY OTHER HEALTH ASPECT DOCTOR		
Bee or insect stings	___	___	AND SCHOOL SHOULD BE AWARE OF:		
Hospitalizations	___	___	_____		
Surgeries	___	___	_____		
Hernias	___	___	_____		

PHYSICAL EXAM: Name of Family physician _____ Phone Number _____

Eyes _____	Lymph Glands _____	Posture _____	Abdomen _____	Nose _____
Ears _____	Thyroid _____	Muscle Tone _____	Hernia _____	Blood Pressure _____
Reflexes _____	Skin _____	Throat _____	Lung _____	Athlete's Foot _____
Teeth _____	Braces _____	Orthopedic _____	Heart _____	

I have examined the above named student and so recommend that he/she is physically fit for full participation in sports.

Signature _____ Date _____

Special doctor recommendation or restrictions _____

Student's Name _____

2011-2012 Nordhoff Ranger Marching Band Student/Parent Behavior Contract

The Ranger Marching Band and Color Guard is an organization built on the principles of group pride and accomplishment. Students should understand the expectations of the organization and agree to the guidelines presented below.

Behavior

1. I will always be 100% responsible for my own equipment, uniform, instrument, music, etc.
2. I will not use profanity, vulgarity or condescending language
3. I will not participate in drug or alcohol use while participating in marching band events. (Nordhoff High School and The NHS Music Department strongly support a zero abuse policy)
4. I will support my Drum Major, Section Leaders and Staff and do as asked.
5. I will work hard to improve my playing, marching and contribution every day.
6. I will support and not be negative towards other bands.
7. I will be work hard to get to know all members of the Marching Band & Color Guard.
8. I will follow all guidelines on trips.
9. I will memorize my show music as quickly as possible. I will also memorize the Star Spangled Banner, Fight Song, Alma Mater and Ultimate Warm-Up.

Attendance

10. I will be punctual (*On time is late! Always be early*)
11. I will attend all scheduled sectional rehearsals.
12. I will do my best to attend all rehearsals and schedule outside appointments during non-rehearsal times.
13. If I must miss a rehearsal, I will submit an online absence/tardy notification two days prior to the absence/tardy.
14. I will attend all football games, parades and field tournaments.

Uniforms

15. I will keep my uniform clean at all times and if it becomes dirty or stained, I will clean it immediately.
16. I will hang up my uniform correctly after each performance and store it in its proper place.
17. I will not store my shoes in my garment bag.

Instrument/Equipment

18. I will keep my instrument in excellent condition.
19. I will clean up all my equipment, music, instrument after each rehearsal or performance.
20. I will not play, touch or mess around with equipment or instruments that do not belong to me.

Participation Costs

21. All Marching Band Participation Costs are due by the end of Band Camp.

We are what we repeatedly do. Excellence, therefore, is not an act but a habit.
- Aristotle

I have read and understand completely the conditions listed above.

Student Signature

Date

Parent Signature

Date

Student's Name _____

2011-2012 NORDHOFF HIGH SCHOOL CODE OF CONDUCT CONTRACT

Nordhoff High School wishes to make all parents and spectators aware of the Code of Conduct subscribed to by the California Interscholastic Federation, the Southern Section and Nordhoff High School:

Spectators are expected to conduct themselves in a manner, which shall bring credit to them, their school, community, coaches, and families. They shall refrain from all conduct, which tends to degrade, bait, intimidate or otherwise discredit their opponent, officials, or interscholastic high school athletics.

Specifically spectators:

- 1) shall maintain a high degree of sportsmanship during and after a marching band or athletic event;
- 2) shall remain in the designated seating areas while an event is in progress;
- 3) shall refrain from entering the court/field, except to perform;
- 4) shall refrain from confronting an official, coach, and school official or participant before, during or after a marching band or athletic event.
- 5) shall be responsive to directives from administrative or site supervisors.

In addition, Nordhoff High School would like to emphasize positive support for the participants and coaches from the spectators in the stands. Positive, encouraging remarks to the participants go a long way in helping the morale of the teams and the self-esteem of the individual participants.

Spectators need to remember that any actions detrimental to the participation in a game or event may cause forfeiture of the contest/event and/or other penalties. During an athletic event, booing for the officials will NOT be condoned. Nordhoff High School does reserve the right to remove any person who is in violation of the expressed standards of conduct and to refuse admission to future contests.

I have read the above statement on the expected behavior at band or athletic events and agree to abide by the Code of Conduct indicated. I further agree to advise anyone I may bring to a Nordhoff High School band or athletic event of the above stated rules.

Nordhoff High School's Code of Ethics

All school activities, curricular and extra-curricular, in the classroom and on the event field, must be congruent with the school's stated goals and objectives established for the intellectual, physical, social and moral development of its students. It is within this context that the following Code of Ethics is presented.

As a marching band or color guard participant I understand that it is my responsibility to:

1. Place academic achievement as the highest priority;
2. Show respect for fellow band & guard members, other bands, teachers and coaches;
3. Respect the integrity and judgment of the adjudicators;
4. Exhibit fair sportsmanship and proper conduct in the stands and on the field;
5. Maintain a high level of safety awareness;
6. Refrain from the use of profanity, vulgarity and other offensive language and gestures;
7. Adhere to the established rules and standards of the event being performed;
8. Respect all instruments and equipment and use them safely and appropriately;
9. Refrain from the use of alcohol, tobacco, illegal and non-prescriptive drugs, anabolic steroids or any substance to increase physical development or performance that is not approved by the United States Food and Drug Administration, Surgeon General of the United States or American Medical Association;
10. Know and follow all school and music department rules and regulations as they pertain to eligibility and band participation;
11. Win with character. Lose with dignity.

Student's Signature _____

Date _____

Parent's Signature _____

Date _____

Student's Name _____

2011-2012 RISK WARNING TO STUDENTS AND PARENTS

SERIOUS, CATASTROPHIC AND PERHAPS FATAL INJURY MAY RESULT FROM ATHLETIC/MARCHING BAND/COLOR GUARD PARTICIPATION.

By its very nature, competitive athletics and Marching Band/Color Guard may put students in situations in which SERIOUS, CATASTOPHIC and, perhaps, FATAL ACCIDENTS may occur.

Many forms of athletic competition result in violent physical contact among players, the use of equipment, which may result in accident, strenuous physical exertion, and numerous other exposures to risk of injury.

Students and parents must assess the risks involved in such participation and make their choice to participate in spite of those risks. No amount of instruction, precaution or supervision will totally eliminate all risk of injury. Just as driving an automobile involves chance of risk; athletic/Marching Band/Color Guard participation by high school students also may be inherently dangerous. The obligation of parents and student in making this choice to participate cannot be overstated. There have been accidents results in death, paraplegia, quadriplegia, and other very serious permanent physical impairment as a result of athletic participation.

By granting permission for your student to participate in athletic competition, you, the parent or guardian, acknowledge that such risk exists.

By choosing to participate, you, the student, acknowledge that such risk exists.

Students will be instructed in proper techniques to be used in athletic competition and in the proper utilization of all equipment worn or used in practice and competition. Students must adhere to that instruction and utilization and must refrain from improper uses and techniques.

As previously stated, no amount of instruction, precaution, and supervision will totally eliminate all risk of serious, catastrophic, or even fatal injury.

If any of the foregoing is not completely understood, please contact Mr. Wagner or Robyn Halverson for further information.

Please sign and return to the Music Department Secretary before the first day of Band Camp.

This will acknowledge that we have read and understand the material contained in this notice.

Parent Signature _____

Date _____

Student Signature _____

Date _____

Student's Name _____

The 2.0+ GPA Commitment Contract

It is extremely important for all students to maintain a 2.0+ GPA for eligibility. There are no members of the band or color guard that can replace you from the bench. Everyone is a starter. Therefore, we recommend that you make your academics and classroom requirements a priority.

All students must have a 2.0 GPA at the latest grading period (progress reports do not count) in order to be eligible to participate in all marching band or color guard performances. This includes: all football games, rallies, parades and field show competitions. Ineligible students will still be required to participate in practice, but they may be asked to help in different ways so the band gets used to the open spot on the field.

Students that have any combination of two Ds or Fs on their progress report will be required to attend two lunchtime study sessions per week until the semester grades are out. Students that have 3 or more Ds or Fs combined on their progress report will be required to attend three lunchtime study session per week until the quarter grades are out.

1st Quarter grades come out on Friday, October 24th. Therefore, if you do not get a 2.0 GPA on the quarter report card, you will be ineligible for at least **three football games** and **Five Field Tournaments (including championships)**.

Students are encouraged to work with their classmates to stay current in all their classes – especially with turning in homework. If you have difficulty in certain classes, be sure to make contact with that teacher for help or seek tutoring. The first progress report comes home very late after the start of school and it may be too late.

Parents should be sure to you use **ZANGLE** to monitor their child's attendance and assignments. Demand that their teachers report grades on this internet program so you can stay current.

Students that are ineligible at the quarter will NOT be refunded any monies.

My signature acknowledges that we have read and understand the 2.0 GPA requirement.

Parent Signature _____

Date _____

Student Signature _____

Date _____