Kitsumkalum K-12 Educational Supports & School Supplies – School Year _____

PARENT / GUARDIAN CONSENT TO RELEASE EDUCATIONAL INFORMATION

Purpose: This PARENTAL CONSENT form authorizes schools to share relevant educational student information with the Kitsumkalum Education Department for the purposes of serving and supporting your child ("the student"). Examples include: academic and educational planning, student and family advocacy, grade and school transitions, coordination of educational support & services, graduation monitoring, academic achievement, etc. Parent/s will be kept informed of these activities. Your parental consent allows Kitsumkalum Education to hold schools and school-authorities accountable for all educational agreements, policies, and legislation connected to your child's education and success. We appreciate that your consent is a sacred trust or "***ɬoomsk"***, not one to be taken lightly, and must be managed with great care, integrity, and professionalism, always.

AUTHORIZATION

I authorize schools, school districts, independent schools, teachers, principals, vice-principals, counsellors, learning support staff, Indigenous education staff, and other educational personnel involved in my child's education to share the following information with the Kitsumkalum Band Education Department. PLEASE CHECK ALL or SOME of your preferences. Freely add missing preferences. This authorization will be in effect until June 30th unless withdrawn in writing by the parent/guardian. Check √ yes to your preferences:

○ *I AGREE TO ALL THE SERVICES LISTED BELOW or* ☐ *I AGREE TO ONLY the services check √ below*

- ☐ Attendance records
- ☐ Progress reports / report cards
- ☐ Academic achievement information
- ☐ Graduation status and planning information
- ☐ Individual Education Plans (IEPs), where applicable
- ☐ Learning support information
- ☐ Student support plans
- ☐ School-based team information
- ☐ Transition planning information, i.e., moving schools
- ☐ Relevant records required to support student success

Additions: _____ _____

PARENT / GUARDIAN INFORMATION

FIRST NAME: _____ LAST NAME: _____

PHONE/S: HOME: _____ CELL: _____ WORK: _____

HOME ADDRESS: _____ Kitsumkalum, BC V8G _____

EMAIL: _____ BAND NUMBER: _____

RELATION? Mom, Dad, etc.?: _____ Number of children at home? _____ In school? _____

PARENT / GUARDIAN SIGNATURE

Parent/Guardian's Name (Print)	Parent/Guardian's Signature	Today's Date
X_____ print	X_____ sign	X_____ print

STUDENT TRANSPORATION & EXTRA-CURRICULAR:

- My child/ren use the school bus service daily YES ____ NO _____
  Comments: _____
- Parent transports the children to school: YES ___ NO ___ by Vehicle___ Bus___ Bike ___ Walk ___
- Extra-curricular: My children are interested or attend extra-curricular activities: YES ____ NO ____
  Comments: _____

**** After completing pages 1 & 2, please DROP-OFF or EMAIL to: education@kitsumkalum.com***

Kitsumkalum K-12 Students' Information and the Nominal Roll (NR)

Lawfully, in BC and Canada, any school-aged child living the majority of their time in Kitsumkalum is eligible to be counted on Kitsumkalum's Nominal Roll (NR), regardless of their origins. All children between the ages of 5-16 are required to be registered in a BC school, although parents and youth are encouraged to continue their children's education until age 18 to complete a Grade 12 Dogwood or other abilities-based program. If you have questions or concerns about the Nominal Roll, please email: education@kitsumkalum.com. Link: For more info on "Nominal Roll".

DECLARATION OF STUDENTS' NOMINAL ROLL (NR) ELIGIBILITY & FUNDING

As the parent/guardian, I confirm that the child or children listed below are eligible to be counted on Kitsumkalum's Nominal Roll (NR) because they: 1. Reside (and sleep) primarily at a home address, located in Kitsumkalum, over 51% of the time; 2. No other First Nation has claimed my child on their NR because a child's name can only appear ONCE on any FNs NR.; 3. My child is registered and attending a local BC public and/or independent K-12 school, i.e., CMSD, Private, Independent First Nations, Distance Ed. program, or are registered as "home-schooled"; 4. My child will be verified as "attending" and occupying a seat in early September, by the School Principal, according to the school's attendance records. Only then will my child be "**counted"** on Kitsumkalum's NR. I understand that the "final count deadline" occurs in the last week of September, will be sent to ISC by Kitsumkalum, which sets the amount of funding Kitsumkalum will receive to pay for my child's school tuition, fees, services, supplies, etc.

** Is my child is registered with a school? YES __ NO __ Any questions?* _____

PARENT / GUARDIAN SIGNATURE

Parent/Guardian's Name (Print)	Parent/Guardian's Signature	Today's Date
X_____ print	X_____ sign	X_____ print

SCHOOL-AGED CHILDREN & STUDENT INFORMATION FOR KITSUMKALUM'S NOMINAL ROLL:

1. LEGAL NAME: FIRST: _____ MIDDLE: _____ LAST: _____ *Preferred First name*:_____
   - GENDER: ___ (M/F); INDIAN STATUS #: _____; STUDENT P.E.N.# _____ (optional)
   - CURRENT AGE: _____ ; BIRTH DATE: _____ ; GRADE K-12: _____
   - SCHOOL NAME: _____ PRINCIPAL: _____ CITY: _____

   Additional comments or special circumstances, i.e. I think my child needs and wants…
   _____
2. LEGAL NAME: FIRST: _____ MIDDLE: _____ LAST: _____ *Preferred First name*:_____
   - GENDER: ___ (M/F); INDIAN STATUS #: _____; STUDENT P.E.N.# _____ (optional)
   - CURRENT AGE: _____ ; BIRTH DATE: _____ ; GRADE K-12: _____
   - SCHOOL NAME: _____ PRINCIPAL: _____ CITY: _____

   Additional comments or special circumstances, i.e. I think my child needs and wants…
   _____
3. LEGAL NAME: FIRST: _____ MIDDLE: _____ LAST: _____ *Preferred First name*:_____
   - GENDER: ___ (M/F); INDIAN STATUS #: _____; STUDENT P.E.N.# _____ (optional)
   - CURRENT AGE: _____ ; BIRTH DATE: _____ ; GRADE K-12: _____
   - SCHOOL NAME: _____ PRINCIPAL: _____ CITY: _____

   Additional comments or special circumstances, i.e. I think my child needs and wants…
   _____
4. LEGAL NAME: FIRST: _____ MIDDLE: _____ LAST: _____ *Preferred First name*:_____
   - GENDER: ___ (M/F); INDIAN STATUS #: _____; STUDENT P.E.N.# _____ (optional)
   - CURRENT AGE: _____ ; BIRTH DATE: _____ ; GRADE K-12: _____
   - SCHOOL NAME: _____ PRINCIPAL: _____ CITY: _____

   Additional comments or special circumstances, i.e. I think my child needs and wants…
   _____
5. LEGAL NAME: FIRST: _____ MIDDLE: _____ LAST: _____ *Preferred First name*:_____
   - GENDER: ___ (M/F); INDIAN STATUS #: _____; STUDENT P.E.N.# _____ (optional)
   - CURRENT AGE: _____ ; BIRTH DATE: _____ ; GRADE K-12: _____
   - SCHOOL NAME: _____ PRINCIPAL: _____ CITY: _____

   Additional comments or special circumstances, i.e. I think my child needs and wants…
   _____

**** Please download extra pages to include all of your school-aged children, registered in a K-12 school.***

Kitsumkalum Education Parents Ideas - Optional Questionaire

PARENT / GUARDIAN STUDENT SUCCESS INPUT

Your Voice Matters | Helping Us Better Support Our Kitsumkalum Students

A good education can provide a solid foundation for a lifetime. It builds habits, capacity, focus, and confidence. It has been said that "the key to happiness" is found in expanding one's own horizons, like learning new skills, gaining experience, and meeting challenges with an open-mind, curiosity, and beliefs like, "I can figure this out". Education, in all its forms, is a gift we can give to ourselves and to others in our lives; although, it is not without its challenges. Research shows that a brain in learning mode takes a lot of energy and many factors come into play, i.e. nutrition, sleep, stimulation, body health, etc. *Do you know what works best for your brain?* Positive and challenging educational experiences can fuel a deep love of learning and can influence our lives, perspectives, interests, choices and other outcomes like health, financial security, and relationships.

Kitsumkalum's Education Department wants to better understand how we can assist your child's educational hopes and outcomes. We welcome your thoughts and ideas that contribute to your child's educational success. Your responses will help inform us on how to support and advocate for our local indigenous students to build a brighter future, one child and one family at a time.

Parents, please do not feel pressured to fill-out this optional questionnaire. It can be discussed any time and in-person.

1. What does "Student Success" mean to you for your child or children this school year?

2. What are your child's strengths, interests, and/or gifts that you would like their schools to recognize and support?

3. Are there areas in the home and at school that you believe your child would benefit from academically, socially, and/or culturally this school year? For example: Assessments; subjects: Math, Science, Reading, etc.; physical health (gym, sports, games, Dr. referral); personal and cultural involvement (Sm'algyax language, culture, clubs, hobbies, crafts); other?

4. What do you believe schools can do to better support Kitsumkalum students? What concerns do you have as a parent in your child/ren's school environment, i.e., bullying, personal safety, attendance, communications, study skills, etc.?

5. Is there something big or small that you would like to offer, i.e., a skill, talent, cultural insight, parent group, etc., that you might want to share with your child or in the school that might enrich their learning environment?

6. Do you have any closing thoughts or requests?

NOTE: To make an appointment with Marian Kotowichl-Laval to meet in-person or talk on the phone, please email: education@kitsumkalum.com and provide your phone number and at least 2 convenient dates and times for you.