Administrative Form 7627

DIGITAL TOOLS UNIVERSAL CONSENT FORM

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Dear Parent/Guardian:

To support and enhance your child’s learning and to protect the privacy of student data, Washoe County School District (“District” or “WCSD”) approves certain digital tools for use in schools. A list of approved tools is available at <https://approveddlt.washoeschools.net/>. These tools and services help students develop technology and digital citizenship skills, along with 21st Century skills. They also help teachers foster student communication and collaborative activities that help prepare students for success in a 21st Century world. These tools may also enable students with special needs to access their educational materials. To enable students to use these digital tools and services, certain personal identifying information – such as the student’s name, birthdate, eligibility category and WCSD email address – may be provided to the website operators. Under federal law (Children’s Online Privacy Protection Act “COPPA” and Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act “FERPA”), these websites must obtain verifiable parent/guardian consent before collecting personal information from children. The law permits school districts to obtain this consent, thereby eliminating the need for each website operator to request parent/guardian consent.

Some of these educational tools/services require additional parental consent to allow your child to use them. Please return this form to your child’s school to enable your child to use these tools.

**Without receipt of this signed form, we cannot provide your student with access to these important educational resources.**

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Yes, I give consent \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ No, I do not give consent

For my child/ward, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_,

* to use the online tools and web-based services for educational purposes,
* to sign up for personal, classroom, or school accounts on these websites, and to use her/his WCSD student email address or a teacher-created class or personal account when signing up, and
* to use these online tools and web-based services to publish and post her/his school work for the purpose of sharing, displaying, and collaborating.

By signing below, I understand and agree that the web -based programs are third-party entities unaffiliated with the Washoe County School District and that, by agreeing to my student’s use of those programs, that the web-based programs will have access to some personally identifiable information/records about my student including, but not limited to, the information as listed above.

Printed name of parent/guardian:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_