

Parent/Guardian Consent for Google Additional Services

School Year: 2026-2027

Dear Parent or Guardian,

Our school district uses **Google Workspace for Education** to provide students with digital tools for learning and collaboration. To ensure we are compliant with recent updates to student privacy laws and Google's own terms of service, we require your explicit "Opt-In" consent for your student to access certain **Additional Services**.

Core Services vs. Additional Services

- **Core Services (No Action Required):** These include tools like **Google Classroom, Drive, Docs, Gmail (for older students), and Slides**. These are governed by a strict Student Privacy Pledge. Google does not collect or use data from these services for any purposes. The district has already authorized these for student use.
- **Additional Services (Requires Consent):** These are consumer-grade tools that can be used for educational purposes. They are governed by Google's general Terms of Service and Privacy Policy. While Google does not serve personalized ads to K-12 students, these services may collect data to "improve the product" in ways the Core services do not.

Services Being Requested

By signing this form, you are granting permission for your student to use their school-issued account to access the following three services for classroom projects and instruction:

1. **Google Translate:** Used for world language classes and supporting English Language Learners.
2. **Google Maps:** Used for social studies, geography, and local community mapping projects.
3. **Google Earth:** Used for advanced 3D geography, science simulations, and virtual field trips.

Privacy Information

You can review the specific terms that govern these Additional Services at the following links:

- **Google's General Privacy Policy:** <https://policies.google.com/privacy>
- **Google Workspace for Education Privacy Center:** <https://www.google.com/edu/trust/>

Parent/Guardian Acknowledgment & Consent

Student Name: _____ **Grade:** _____

YES, I CONSENT. I give permission for my student to access **Google Translate, Google Maps, and Google Earth** using their school-managed Google account for the current school year. I understand that I can rescind this consent at any time by contacting the school office.

NO, I DO NOT CONSENT. I understand my student will not have access to these specific services. (Teachers will provide alternative resources for assignments requiring these tools).

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ **Date:** _____