



**ASTA 2019 National Orchestra Festival
Student Participant Permission, Release, and Waiver
(Minor/Child)**

I, _____, am the parent/legal guardian of _____, a student participating in _____ (school orchestra) trip to the ASTA National Orchestra Festival, being held March 6-9, 2019 in Albuquerque, New Mexico.

I understand completion of this agreement is required for my child to participate in the National Orchestra Festival and is separate and independent of any other forms, waivers, or other documents that may be required by the school district for participation.

I hereby give permission for images of my minor child, captured via standard and/or digital photography and videography, to be used solely for the purposes of ASTA publications and promotional materials, and waive any rights of compensation or ownership thereto.

I do not want my child photographed

I hereby acknowledge that the participating school/district has arranged and is responsible for transportation, meals, lodging and proper chaperoning of my child for the duration of this trip. Lodging, if elected in package, will be at an official ASTA-designated hotel; however, it remains the responsibility of the school district and its personnel to ensure student safety and oversight.

I hereby acknowledge that I have provided my child's director and/or trip coordinator with all pertinent medical history (physical/mental), allergies, medications, insurance coverage, and any special accommodations that may be required for my child to participate in the National Orchestra Festival. Further, I acknowledge that it is the responsibility of the school district to maintain such documentation for the duration of the trip, share pertinent details required for arrangement of any special accommodations with ASTA, and, at the conclusion of the trip,

exercise proper disposal of such records in accordance with HIPAA/privacy laws and school guidelines.

Finally, I also hereby acknowledge it is the responsibility of my child to properly safeguard his/her instrument while in transit and during the National Orchestra Festival. ASTA is not liable for, and I hereby release ASTA from, any liability for any loss or damage of instruments, nor any claims arising from the actions of fellow student behavior, intentional or otherwise. I understand it is my responsibility to ensure I have proper insurance coverage for my child's instrument, or to cover any loss/damage claims.

I attest that I have fully read and understand all provisions of this agreement and it shall be fully binding on me, and, by extension, my child. If any provision of this agreement is deemed to be invalid or unenforceable, it shall not affect the validity or enforceability of any other provisions. The terms of this agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the Commonwealth of Virginia.

Name of Parent/Guardian (please print): _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____

Date: _____

PARENTS: Please return a completed copy of this form to your School Orchestra Director or Trip Coordinator. This form must be completed for your child to fully participate in the activities of the National Orchestra Festival.

Director/Trip Coordinator's Note: Please forward a completed copy of this form to the ASTA National Office as part of your group's package documentation. A completed form from each participating student is required. Return all forms together to ASTA.