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**VANCOUVER TECHNICAL SECONDARY**

**ANNUAL PARENT/GUARDIAN INFORMED CONSENT FORM**

 **LOCAL COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES [WALKING FIELD TRIPS]**

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| Dear Parent/Guardian,The purpose of this form is to inform you about some of the out-of-school activities and/ or events in the local school community in which your child/ward will participate during this school year. Your signature at the bottom of this form confirms that you are aware of the information provided in this letter and permit your child/ward to participate in these activities. **PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM BY OCTOBER 25, 2022.** |
| The Vancouver Board of Education, School District # 39, and staff of Vancouver Technical Secondary Schoolrecognize that valuable and unique learning can take place outside of the school building. We are therefore encouraged to make use of the total resources available in the local community to meet curricular goals.During the school year, student groups will engage in activities within the local community that take them out of the school building and, on occasion, off the school grounds. These are out of school activities that support physical distancing and do not require use of a school bus or public transportation. - Example: Learning opportunity walking to and visiting the neighbourhood, parks, and beaches. ***Note: Teachers will inform students/families with specifics to any out-of-school activities that may occur.***For the class listed below, these activities may include but are not limited to activities and events such as: **Take Our Kids to Work Day**On Wednesday, November 2nd, 2022, Grade 9 students at Van Tech and across Canada are encouraged to spend the day out in the world of work under the supervision of a parent, relative or family friend.The risk of injury exists in all student activity. The safety and well-being of students is a prime concern and every effort is made to minimize the foreseeable risks inherent in each activity.If, for some reason, your child/ward cannot or ought not to participate in local community off-site activities of this nature, please let us know.

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| **Class Name:**Career Education 9 | **Teacher Name:****Mr. van Iersel/ Ms. Kauldher** | **Teacher Contact: [email]****nvaniersel@vsb.bc.ca** |

**Parental/Guardian Informed Consent*** I/We understand and agree that the above is a part of the school program. (If students do NOT participate, they are expected to attend school and TECH Day workshops)
* I/We also understand that as a result of participating in this program that the participant is expected to follow the school’s procedures and code of conduct and that any deviations from these may result in consequences from the school.
* I/We, having read and understood the above INFORMED CONSENT AGEEMENT in its entirety, consent that our child/ward may participate in local activities and events. (**Note**: Before your child/ward may participate in any local community activities, this signed consent form must be received by the school).
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| *Student’s Name (Please Print)* | *Student Number* | *Grade**9* |
| *Parent/Guardian Signature* | *Date (yyyy/mm/dd))* |
| *My child will be participating in this event and will be going to the following Workplace:* |

Personal information contained on this form is collected under the authority of the School Act for the purpose of participating in school trips. If you have any questions about this form, please contact your school administrator.

Administration Approval:



