Art History
Understanding of Requirements of Course
And Permission to Participate.

Art History is a course designed to teach students how to view art critically and understand artworks within their social and historical context, as well as encourage and broaden their enjoyment of art in many media.

Students are expected to complete assigned reading, participate in class discussions, perform well on quizzes, tests, mid-term and final exam, as well as final project. In addition, students are expected to attend museum visits (field trips) approximately 2-3 times per semester which may extend beyond school hours to include travel time or take place on a Saturday.

Permission slips to be signed and returned will be given to your student well in advance of the planned museum visit. If a student does not return the signed permission form and any field trip fees (consult me if there is financial difficulty) by the date specified on the permission slip, that student will not be able to attend the museum visit, which will impact their grade. By signing below, I indicate that I, as the parent, understand and agree to this.

Art throughout human history has contained renditions of the nude human form. Students will be exposed to these, an example of which would be Michelangelo's *David,* while studying Art History. By signing below, I indicate that I understand that my student will at times be exposed to art containing renditions of the nude human form and that I will not hold the teacher or school liable for such exposure.

Cut here and return signature portion of agreement by Monday of the second week of school.

I, _____, parent of _____,

(print name) (print name)

have read and agree to the provisions of the GPA Art History Syllabus, the field trip and study of art containing renditions of the nude human form considerations stated above.

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Parent Signature **Date**

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Student Signature **Date**