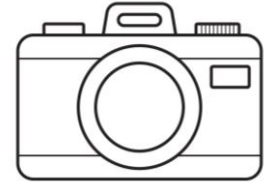


Wellington Exempted Village Schools

Media Release Opt-Out Form



From time to time, photographs or videos of students are taken during the school day for use in district and educational news releases, publications, video productions, social media, educational projects, and the district website.

As of the 2022/2023 school year, the district has adopted an opt-out media procedure. This means that unless your child has a signed **Media Release Opt-Out Form** on file, your child’s photograph/image/interview **may be** used in any of the prior stated media.

If you do **NOT** wish to have your child photographed / videotaped for news media or school publicity purposes, sign and return this form to the school’s principal. Parents must submit to their student’s principal/office by **September 15th** of each school year. This form applies only to the current school year. Please fill out a new form each year if you do not want your child’s image to be published.

DO NOT photograph, video tape, and or interview my child for publication in Wellington Exempted Village School District educational news releases, publications, video productions, social media, educational projects, and the district website. (This does not include the school yearbook).

DO NOT include my child’s photograph(s) in the school yearbook.

Parent Name: _____ Date: _____

Student Name: _____ Grade: _____

Student’s Address: _____

Parent/Legal Guardian Signature: _____

Please note that if your child participates in extracurricular activities that are open to the public, the school district may have little to no control over photographs taken by the media, other students, parents, or community members attending the event.

This does not exclude students from being videotaped by security cameras in school or on school buses.

Sign and Return ONLY if opting out