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Annual Consent/Indemnity Form for School Trips and Activities

In an attempt to reduce the burden of bureaucracy for parents, carers and schools the Trust is introducing a new annual consent form to replace the multiple forms needed currently for school visits and off-site activities. This information will be requested at the beginning of every academic year so that our records are kept up to date.

In order to do this we request that you complete and return the attached form as soon as possible. If at any time during the school year you realise that these details needs amending, particularly concerning medical or contact arrangements, please contact the School Office.

Please note the following important information before completing the form below:

- The trips and activities covered by the consent form include:-
- Off-site sporting activities during and outside the college day.
- Catholic Partnership activities both on and off site (secondary schools only).
- Any visit within the UK that is not residential.
- Any visit within the UK that is not deemed to involve adventurous activities.
- Music/drama activities outside the college day.
- The college will still send you information about each trip or activity before it takes place.
- You can, if you wish, tell the college that you do not want your child to take part in any particular college trip or activity.

Please complete and return the attached form if:

- You are happy for your child to take part in college trips and other activities that take place
 off the school premises but within the UK and do not involve either residential or hazardous
 activities.
- You are happy for your child to be given first aid or urgent medical or surgical treatment (including anaesthetic) as considered necessary by the medical authorities present as a result of an emergency, during any of the above college trips or activities.
- Whilst we are trying to reduce the volume of paperwork going out to parents involving trips, if your child is involved in a trip or activity that is residential, involves hazardous activities or travel abroad then you will be asked to provide more detailed information relative to the individual trip.

