## **DIOCESE OF DES MOINES**

## **Catholic Schools Policies/Regulations**

## **EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS**

## **Field Trips**

It shall be the policy of the Diocesan Catholic Schools Office, under the aegis of the Bishop, that all field trips must have an educational purpose. The school must utilize a form for each field trip and off school property trips that gives the participant's name, grade, parent's/guardian's name, home address, home and/or cell phone, business phone, type of event, educational purpose of event, event destination, name of sponsor/supervisor, estimated time of departure and return, mode of transportation, and cost to student.

The form must be signed and dated by the student's parents/guardians granting permission for the student to participate and releasing the school from all liability, except in the case of negligence on the part of the school or its' employees.

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