

SCHOOL COUNSELING SERVICES PARENT PERMISSION FORM

School counseling services are provided by a certified School Counselor who is employed by the Houston Independent School District. Certified School Counselors are credentialed by the Texas Stated Board of Education and possess a masters degree.

School counseling services provided by certified School Counselors are short term and not intended to replace the services offered by licensed clinical counselors/therapists. However, these services are designed to assist the child with removing the barriers that interfere with their learning. The format may be either small group or individual sessions.

Counseling sessions will remain confidential except when certain legal restrictions arise and confidentiality cannot be maintained. These cases include child abuse, danger to oneself, and danger to others.

_____ Yes, I give permission for my child to receive counseling services at

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Campus

- Individual counseling
- Group counseling

_____ No, I don't give permission for my child to receive counseling services.

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Parent/Guardian Printed Name	Parent/Guardian Signature	Date
_____	_____	_____
Student Printed Name:	Student Signature	Date
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Counselor Printed Name	Counselor Signature	Date