2020 Riverside County Academic Decathlon Student Participation Form

I, (*student name, please print*) _____, now a student at
First MI Last

_____ in grade_____,
School

(_____) _____ _____
Parent/Guardian Phone Number Parent/Guardian E-mail Address | Student E-mail Address *(print legibly)*

hereby request participation in the 2020 Riverside County Academic Decathlon competition to be held:

Saturday, January 25, 2020 – 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Vista del Lago High School (times approximate)
Saturday, February 1, 2020 – 7:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. at Vista del Lago High School (times approximate)

My parent or guardian, whose signature is shown below, and I, hereby agree to follow the competition rules and will accept the interpretations and decisions made by the Riverside County Academic Decathlon officials. By signing this request, this student and parent/guardian expressly grant authority to, and indicate consent to, the release of educational information about, or relative to, the participation of this student in county, state, or national competition activities. Such information shall include, but not be limited to, the release of photographs, competition results, the reproduction of sound, motion pictures, or videotape recordings, etc. The Riverside County Superintendent of Schools shall have the right to reproduce, use, display, and disseminate in such manner as it sees fit, without obligation of any kind to any person, the efforts resulting from competition activities.

As stated in California Education Code Section 35330, my parent or guardian and I understand that we waive all claims against the Riverside County Superintendent of Schools ("Superintendent"), Riverside County Office of Education, Riverside County Board of Education, its officers, agents and employees for any injury, accident, illness, or death occurring during or by reason of this field trip or excursion, including acts of negligence by the Superintendent, its officers, agents or employees.

I understand the rules and regulations regarding proper conduct and decorum expected of participants in the Riverside County Academic Decathlon. I/We understand that any special assistance needed at the competition must be requested in writing no later than one month prior to the competition. (For 2020 competition, must receive requests by December 25, 2019.) I understand that if rules are violated, I will be disqualified and my team may be disqualified as well. Disqualifying conduct will include, but will not be limited to: 1) plagiarism; 2) pre-knowledge of test question; 3) unsportsmanlike conduct (i.e., booing, rude comments, celebratory behavior endangering safety, and/or interfering with the competition; and/or 4) providing untrue information (lying) or cheating.

_____ _____
Signature of Student Date

_____ _____
Signature of Parent/Guardian *(if student under age 18)* Date

_____ _____
Signature of Teacher Coach Signature of Principal or Designee

Return completed form by <u>Friday, December 6, 2019</u> to:

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