

# VOLUNTEER DRIVER STATEMENT

For the 20\_\_ - 20\_\_ School Year

**DIRECTIONS:** To insure the highest safety for all, please complete the following form and return it to the school office. Please attach to this form a copy of (1) your current driver's license, (2) the current vehicle registration for all vehicles you will be using and (3) the automobile insurance policy declaration page for all vehicles you will be using.

I, \_\_\_\_\_ (print full name as found on your driver's license), certify that I understand and agree to meet the following volunteer driver requirements of the Diocese of Fresno:

1. I am at least 25 years of age and hold a current, unrestricted California driver's license.
2. I have Safe Environment training and have had my fingerprints cleared by the school.
3. I have no physical or mental limitations that prevent me from driving with or without accommodation.
4. I have never committed any serious driving violation.
5. I have determined that the vehicle I will use is in safe driving condition. If the vehicle is not in safe driving condition, I will not use it.
6. I will require all passengers including myself to use a seat belt.
7. I will not allow anyone to ride in the back of a pick-up truck.
8. The vehicle I drive will have a current automobile insurance for at least \$100,000/\$300,000 of liability insurance.
9. I understand that, in the case of an accident, I will:
  - a. Take any steps possible to provide for the immediate safety and health of any passenger including myself; and
  - b. Immediately contact the school's administration.
10. If, I am involved in an accident, I understand that my vehicle's insurance shall be primary and the school's insurance will be secondary.
11. I will comply with all vehicle and traffic laws and regulations.
12. I will comply with the driving directions and route determined by the school.
13. I will provide the school updated copies of my driver's license and, each vehicle's registration and automobile insurance policy declaration page as they are renewed during the school year for all vehicles I will drive.

**If I am directed to provide transportation for student passengers, I will also comply with the following requirements:**

14. I will only transport in my vehicle student passengers who have been assigned to me by the school. While providing transportation for a school event, I will not transport any child who is not a student, including my own.
15. I will not allow any child under the age of twelve (12) or lighter than 100 lbs. to ride in the front seat if the vehicle is equipped with a passenger-side air bag.
16. I will insure that the parents/guardians of a child who is under six (6) years of age or who is less than 60 pounds in weight shall provide and install a federally approved car seat for their child.
17. I will carry with me a diocesan "Permission to Participate" form for each student.
18. The vehicle will have no more than nine (9) passenger seats, including the driver's seat.

Signed by Volunteer \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**FOR OFFICE USE**

YES/Ck'd by: \_\_\_\_\_ NO All Safe Environment required documents for this driver are on file in the school office for this year

Attach to Form:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Driver's License<br>Expires on _____ | Vehicle #1<br><input type="checkbox"/> Vehicle Registration - Exp _____<br><input type="checkbox"/> Automobile Insurance Declaration Page - Exp _____ | Vehicle #2<br><input type="checkbox"/> Vehicle Registration - Exp _____<br><input type="checkbox"/> Automobile Insurance Declaration Page - Exp _____ | Vehicle #3<br><input type="checkbox"/> Vehicle Registration - Exp _____<br><input type="checkbox"/> Automobile Insurance Declaration Page - Exp _____ |
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Cleared to drive thru this date: \_\_\_\_\_ Vehicle #1: \_\_\_\_\_ Vehicle #2: \_\_\_\_\_ Vehicle #3: \_\_\_\_\_

Permission to Drive Approved By: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_