

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Period: \_\_\_\_\_

**Advanced Placement World History Ms. Albahae**

**PERMISSION SLIP FOR VIEWING “SCHINDLER’S LIST”**

Dear Parents & Guardians,

Our tenth grade AP World History classes have studied World War II and the atrocities that took place during the Holocaust prior to the AP Exam. I just wanted to take a moment of your time to inform you that our students will be watching the Oscar winning film “Schindler's List” beginning the week of May 16, 2016.

Schindler's List is an American 1993 biographical film about Oskar Schindler, a German businessman who saved the lives of more than a thousand Polish Jews during the Holocaust by employing them in his factories. I assure you the film will be shown responsibly and with purpose. Some graphic scenes will be omitted if they are not necessary to obtaining the objective of the overall experience in the Holocaust.

Viewing this film will not only enhance the students’ understanding of the genocide that occurred during the war, but will also give them a wealth of information to help them complete their WWII discussions and projects we are completing in class.

The students are aware of the seriousness and maturity this subject requires. The movie is rated “R” for violence, language, brief nudity, and the overall serious subject matter. Please understand, however, that all of the above are used with purpose and responsibility in the film to accurately portray the events that took place during this time. The purpose of viewing these clips is for students to gain first-hand accounts of the tragedies of the Holocaust and World War II. Schindler’s List ranks among the greatest films ever made about the Holocaust during World War II, and has received many awards. I am hoping that these clips will have a profound effect on your child and will raise awareness of historical topics for further class discussions.

**REMOVAL FROM CLASS, CHOOSING NOT TO VIEW THE FILM, OR NOT RETURNING THE PERMISSION SLIP**

You as the Parent & or Guardian have the right to remove your student from class the days that the film will be presented. As the teacher, I also retain the right **at any time**, to use my discretion and remove any student from the classroom while the film is being shown if behavior or ANY disruptions occur. An alternative assignment will be given to those students who do not view the film.

**Due Date:** Please return this permission slip by Tuesday May 17, 2016

Please feel free to contact me with questions, comments & or any concerns.

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Student’s Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian’s Name (PRINT): \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_ I wish for my child to view this material

\_\_\_\_\_ I do not wish for my child to view this material and would like to remove my student from the class when this film is being shown. I would like my child to be given an alternative assignment.