



PERMISSION SLIP

With your consent your teen can represent Monta Vista High School in the Challenge Day Program! There will be about 100 students, 25 Teen Leaders, and 30 adults in attendance.

The goal of the Challenge Day Program is to build community and to help stop the teasing, alienation, and lack of empathy that is so deeply a part of the school experience for millions of young people every day. Challenge Day is a powerful and transformational day that can change the way people view each other forever. It is a day of **FUN!** friendship and new possibilities.

- **Challenge Day will be on Thursday, January 31, 2019 from 7:35am to 2:30pm.**
- **Location: Challenge Day will be held in the Monta Vista HS Main Gym.**
- **You must be in the Gym Lobby at 7:35am.**

Your teen needs to arrive on time and stay for the whole program. Lunch will be provided.

Adults are needed to assist with the day. Parents/Guardians are invited to participate as adult volunteers or small group facilitators. This can be a wonderful experience for youth and adults alike. ***If you would like to volunteer or have questions, please contact your School Coordinator:***

Richard Prinz, Student Advocate at MVHS @ 366-7638 or Richard Prinz@fuhsd.org

For more information about Challenge Day, please contact your School Coordinator at the above phone number. Or visit www.challengeday.org or contact Challenge Day at 925-957-0234.

Please return the form below to the mailbox of Richard Prinz in the Main Office. The sooner you turn it in, the better your chances of attending. Don't hesitate, do it promptly.

I give my permission for my child/ward to participate in the Challenge Day Program. I understand that the event is not required and that my child's/ward's participation is voluntary. I further understand that Challenge Day and the sponsoring school/organization, its officers, employees or agents assume no liability either directly or indirectly for injury or accident resulting from or in any way connected with this event.

I understand that the Challenge Day Program will deal with a wide range of issues such as leadership, self-esteem, social oppression, drug abuse, violence, racism and teasing. I also understand that the program will be fun, empowering, eye-opening and emotional. I have read the attached letter and have discussed confidentiality with my child/ward and support his/her participation. I further understand that my child/ward may be invited to participate in future Challenge Day Programs at his/her school, that members of the print and film media may be present at this event and that my child/ward may be photographed, interviewed or quoted as a participant in this program.

I have carefully read this statement and fully understand its contents. I am aware that this is a release of liability of Challenge Day and the sponsoring school/organization, its officers, employees or agents.

I give my permission for my child/ward (name) _____ to participate in the Challenge Day to be held at **Monta Vista HS on Thursday, January 31, 2019.**

Parent Name (please print) _____

Parent Signature _____

Phone Number _____