

# Parental/Guardian Consent for Voluntary Student Participation in Chaplaincy Program at Harlaxton State School

Parent/Guardian Name/s	
Student Name (in full)	
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This school community provides a chaplaincy program endorsed by the school's Parents and Citizens' Association and available on a voluntary basis to all students. The chaplain is involved in a range of activities which happen at this school which are free of religious, spiritual and/or ethical content. These activities, which include programs such as Social Skilling and Seasons are available to all students on a voluntary basis unless a parent or guardian requests in writing that this is not to occur for their child/ren.

## Please tick one of the boxes below:

- □ I give my consent for my child/ren to participate in these activities
- □ I do not give my consent for my child/ren to participate in these activities.

Chaplains may also be involved in activities with religious, spiritual and/or ethical content and additional consent is sought from parent/guardians for these specific activities.

Information about the school's chaplaincy program is on the school's website. Prior to commencement of any additional activities with religious, spiritual and/or ethical content in the school, parents/guardians will be advised through the school newsletter and website.

## Voluntary Student Activities with Religious, Spiritual and/or Ethical Content

These activities are available to students on a voluntary basis if a parent or guardian has given consent in writing.

1. GAS- Group (God at School)

This involves a small group of upper school children with the Chaplain and the Youth Pastor from Toowoomba North Church of Christ. Students participate every Thursday lunchtime in activities that involve Values in Action with Christian application 2. One on one meeting with Chaplain for spiritual support. (if required)

## Please tick one of the boxes below:

My child/ren as listed above

- has/have my consent to participate on a voluntary basis in activities within the program of chaplaincy services which have religious, spiritual and ethical content. I understand that this consent is inclusive of all such activities and remains operational unless I advise the school otherwise in writing.
- do/does not have my consent to participate on a voluntary basis in activities within the program of chaplaincy services which have religious, spiritual and ethical content.

I understand that, where I agree that my child/ren can participate in the chaplaincy program, this information will be passed on to the school chaplain.

### Parent's Signature

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Office Use: Retain original in student's file and provide a copy of notice to the parent/guardian.

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