

St. Anthony School

Parental Consent/Permission Form
For the School Counselor
2017-2018

Name of Child/ren: _____

Teacher/s _____

Grade/s _____

I hereby authorize permission for my child/ren to talk confidentially to the St. Anthony’s school counselor, Mrs. Sharon Doerr. Mrs. Doerr has a degree in Guidance and Counseling from The University of Louisville and has been working with children in the Catholic school system for 27 years. The counseling relationship is confidential except where disclosure is legally required. These situations include:

- 1. When the counselor becomes aware of danger or harm to self or another person.
- 2. Any suspicion or evidence of abuse or neglect.
- 3. Compliance with a court order.

Also, consultation with administration may be necessary for the interest of the child’s academic and social success.

Sometimes kids just need to talk, and waiting for a permission form to return may lead to the problem becoming worse. If your child request to talk to our counselor and this form is not on file she will talk to the student briefly to make sure it is not an emergency and parents will be notified so a counseling form can be signed or so a referral can be made. It is recommended that this permission form be signed and returned on every child just in case a problem occurs that might need immediate attention from our counselor. If you signed a permission form for our counselor last year, she will need you to sign and return a new one for this year. Please feel free to call our counselor at school if you have any questions or concerns. You will be able to reach her at school any day of the week except on Wednesdays. The school number is 282-2144.

Mrs. Tucker

Signature of Parent/Guardian _____

Date _____

Please check what applies to your child’s needs:

_____ My child is not currently having any problems that need to be discussed with the school counselor however, please keep permission form on file to speak to the school counselor as needed throughout the school year.

_____ I currently have concerns about my child that I would like to discuss with the school counselor. Please have Mrs. Doerr contact me to discuss these concerns.

Phone number where I can be reached during the day. _____

PLEASE SIGN AND RETURN TO YOUR CHILDS TEACHER AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.