



Oregon School Activities Association

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Affirmation Statement

Under penalty of perjury, I do affirm that no coach, parent, administrator, teacher, or other representative of the current school initiated contact or offered any inducements for the purpose of having the student attend the current school for athletic participation. Further, I authorize release of permanent school records to the Oregon School Activities Association.

This statement is attached to the online Student Eligibility Request Form with ID # 20150974
Online Form ID Number (8 digits)

Both signatures required for all Eligibility Requests.

Printed name of Parent (Host family if Non-CSIET student)

Signature

Date

Bill Watkins

Printed name of Principal / Superintendent

Bill Watkins

Signature

4/25/16

Date

How to Attach This Form to an Online Student Eligibility Request Form

You must upload and attach this completed and signed Affirmation Statement form. Follow these steps to attach this form to your online eligibility request form.

1. Print a copy of this blank form.
2. Fill out the form on paper:
 - a. Write in the 8-digit eligibility form identification number (located at the top of your online form.)
 - b. Have each party read the affirmation statement and then sign and date the form.
3. Scan the completed form to an electronic PDF file.
4. Upload the electronic file to your form.
 - a. Edit your online eligibility form and scroll to the "Waiver Files" section.
 - b. Click the "Upload a File" button.
 - c. Select the file type as "Affirmation Statement Signature Form."
 - d. Browse to the scanned file's location saved to your computer and select the corresponding file for upload.
 - e. Click the "Upload" button.

If successful, your form will show a link to the uploaded file and note that it has been uploaded.

Subject **Letter for OSAA**
From Bethany Gray <bethanyanns24@gmail.com>
To <bwatkins@marcola.k12.or.us>
Date 2016-04-14 12:20



To whom it may concern,

I am Bethany Gray, the mother of Morgan Gray.

Morgan attended Sheldon High School the Fall of 2015. Morgan was having a lot of issues at Sheldon. There was a girl at that school that was being a huge bully to Morgan. She threatened to kill Morgan. We had to get the police involved. She had the girl in 2 of her classes. The girl would have her friends in the classroom throw things at her when the teacher was not looking. The girl had one of her friends say he was going to punch Morgan in the face. Many more stories. I was constantly in the Vice Principal's office. The girl was suspended twice and allowed back in the school. Needless to say this girl made it nearly impossible to concentrate and Morgan was literally afraid for her life. Morgan begged me to do online schooling. We decided to move out of the area. We moved out to Marcola November 27th. We wanted to be out in the country for the peace and to be able to have horses again!

I thought the school automatically dropped her because of moving out of district. Unfortunately, that is not how it works. So, I went in officially on December 11th to drop her. At that time I thought she would be able to go straight into Connections Academy. Unfortunately, they have terms and she had to wait until February 1st to start. From November 27th through February 1st she was home schooled by me. Her subjects covered; Algebra, Anatomy & Physiology, reading and Geography.

She will continue Connections Academy and also attend Mohawk High School officially this next Monday April 18th and finish the year there along with Connections Academy. Morgan has the opportunity to play College volleyball and grades are very important to her and I both. As a volleyball coach of 18 years I understand the importance of grades. These are extenuating circumstances. Please find it in your hearts to see and understand this and allow her to play softball. This will give her a boost and encourage her to push harder in her academic endeavors.

Any questions please feel free to contact me personally. 541-228-7107.

Sincerely,

Bethany Gray

Subject **Marcola Student**
From bwatkins <bwatkins@marcola.k12.or.us>
To Tom Welter <tomw@osaa.org>
Date 2016-04-14 13:38



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Hi Tom,

Following up on Morgan Grey, a freshman transfer to the Marcola School District (Mohawk High School). Attached is a hardship letter from her mother. We have received the paperwork to enroll Morgan as a full-time student at Mohawk. This is a young lady who was led down the wrong path when she dis-enrolled from Sheldon High School due to serious social and emotional issues beyond her control. Unfortunately, eligibility issues were not the top concern when making the choice to move to Marcola. Morgan was under emotional stress and was having anxiety attacks when she was on a campus with other students. We have worked very hard to get Morgan back into the groove of attending a public school and participating in activities. She has made friends with the girls on our softball team and is opening up to other students on our campus. I am advocating for Morgan to have the opportunity to play softball this year to help her acclimate (in a positive way) to a new school with new friends prior to the beginning of the 2016-17 school year.

Again, Morgan has lived in our attendance area since the end of November but due to her anxieties from her first experience as a Freshman at a large school, her mother chose to enroll her in home school. I am requesting records from Oregon Connections Academy to match the course work at Mohawk High School. Please let me know any additional steps I should be taking to help Morgan's eligibility issues.

I thank you in advance for any guidance and support you can send our way.

Thank you,

Bill

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----- Original Message -----

Subject: Message from "RNP371B0D"

Date: 2016-04-14 12:56

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