



THE TAFT SCHOOL
Watertown, CT 06795

CONTRACT FORM 2011-2012

I/we hereby enroll _____ at The Taft School for the school year 2011-2012, and agree that such enrollment is subject to Fundamental Rules of the School and other disciplinary rules as appear in the Taft Student Handbook, or as set by The Taft School administration.

I/we understand that a breach of said rules may be grounds for dismissal at any time prior to graduation.

The undersigned student hereby authorizes the School to send his or her grades and other evaluative reports directly to his or her parents and to such colleges as may be deemed necessary by the director of college counseling as long as he or she remains a student at the School.

I/we understand that continued enrollment at Taft is subject to annual review.

Signature of parent or guardian

Signature of student

Date

Sign below only if you are 18 years of age or older

I, _____, having reached my majority, do hereby affirm and ratify the above agreement.

Signature of student

Date



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STUDENT ACTIVITY PERMISSION FORM AND RELEASE 2011-2012

For the 2011–2012 school year or until permission is changed by written notice from his/her parents,

Name of student

is granted permission to take part in any and all activities authorized by the School, including, but not limited to, athletics, School sponsored trips to theaters, concerts, games, museums and other local or out of town events. I understand and agree that although there will be faculty chaperones on the busses going to and returning from these activities, there will be some hours between arrival in the city and the beginning of the event when students will be on their own and not under faculty supervision. We understand that there may be risks associated with such school sponsored activities, and we hereby waive and release The Taft School, its Trustees, agents and employees from all actions, suits, claims or demands that I/we or my child, our administrators, executors or assigns may have against the School for any and all direct or indirect losses, damages, costs or expenses that may be suffered or incurred by me/us or my child as a result of my child's participation in such School activity. We also agree to indemnify the School for any loss which it may incur or damages it may be required to pay as a result of any claim which is submitted by or on behalf of our child named above.

Date: _____ Signed: _____
Parent's signature

Signed: _____
Parent's signature

Sign below only if you are 18 years of age or older

I, _____, having reached my majority, do hereby affirm and ratify the above agreement.

Signature of student

Date



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AUTOMOBILE PERMISSION FORM 2011–2012

For the year 2011–2012 or until permission is changed by written notice from his/her parents,

Name of student

is granted permission to ride in any chartered bus or common carrier, or in vehicles driven by, or under the direction of, members of the School faculty or staff and their spouses, and, in special circumstances, by any person approved by the Headmaster or his representative. In addition to the forgoing, he or she may also drive in vehicles driven by or under the direction of:

Please check yes or no in each case

Yes No

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | An adult member of the family (including grandparents, uncles, aunts, cousins) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | A parent of another student enrolled at Taft |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | An adult member of the family of another student |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | The following named persons: Please note that driving permission cannot be given over the phone. All such permissions must be in writing. If you list anyone under 21 years of age, such as a Taft day student or a friend of your family, the parents of the driver must provide written permission to drive your son or daughter, as well as proof of liability coverage. |

It is understood that while a student is away from School on a Weekend or Day Permission in the charge of a person not connected with the School, the School will not be in a position to supervise the conduct of the student, and that the student, subject only to the control exercised by the person taking responsibility for them, will have full responsibility for good behavior and return at the appointed time.

It is suggested that parents discuss these permissions with their son or daughter before completing this form.

Date: _____ Signed: _____
Parent's signature



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DAY STUDENT DRIVING PERMISSION FORM 2011-2012

Name of student

If your son or daughter will be driving a car to school, please fill in the following information:

make and model of car	license number	color
car 1 _____	_____	_____
car 2 _____	_____	_____

If your son or daughter will be driving any Taft students, please attach to this form proof that you carry a minimum of \$100,000/\$300,000 liability insurance. Most insurance agents will provide a proof of insurance certificate at no charge, or you may submit a copy of the front page of your insurance policy, which contains liability information.

I/we hereby permit my son or daughter whose name appears above to transport the following students for the school year 2011-2012. I understand that the parents and the students listed on this form must have their parents' written permission to ride with my son or daughter, and I further understand that we are responsible for ensuring compliance with all licensing and driving requirements pertaining to our son or daughter.

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

Date: _____ Signed: _____
Parent's signature

—See other side—

DAY STUDENT DRIVING PERMISSION FORM 2011–2012 —*continued*

If your son or daughter will be driving to school in a car driven by another day student, please sign the following:

I/we hereby permit my son or daughter whose name appears above to ride to school in a car driven by the following day students for the school year 2011–2012 understand that the parents of the day students listed on this form must have their parents' written permission to drive my son or daughter and must provide written proof of liability insurance.

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

Date: _____ Signed: _____
Parent's signature



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WEEKEND PERMISSION FORM 2011–2012

For the year 2011–2012, or until permission is changed by written notice from his/her parents,

Name of student

is granted permission to do the following at the discretion of the Dean of Students without written authorization from me:

Please check yes or no in each case

Weekends

Yes No

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | To your home |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | To the home of an adult member of the family (at least 21 years of age) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | To the home of a Taft student of the same sex |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | To the home of a Taft student of the opposite sex |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | To visit a college for admissions purposes (seniors only) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | To the home of the following named persons (please note that our regulations require a host to be at least 21 years of age): |

Day Permissions

Yes No

- | | | |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | To your home |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | To the home of an adult member of the family (at least 21 years of age) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | To the home of a Taft student of the same sex |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | To the home of a Taft student of the opposite sex |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | To the home of the following named persons (please note that our regulations require a host to be at least 21 years of age): |

Taft requires an invitation if a student is going any place other than his or her home. Although we prefer invitations in writing, hosts may phone the Dean's Office by 11:00 a.m. on the day before departure.

As a matter of School policy, Taft students are allowed...

1. to go to downtown Watertown and Waterbury (in the afternoon) if they have no other appointments.
For complete information, please see the permission guidelines in the Student Handbook.
2. to visit neighboring boarding schools by invitation.

Authorization for weekends and day permissions to any place not covered by the above categories will have to be arranged with the Dean's Office.

It is suggested that parents discuss these permissions with the student before completing this form.

Date: _____ Signed: _____
Parent's signature