Lamar Orchestra Parent/Student Handbook Acknowledgement Form & Media Release 2020 - 2021

Students who are in the Lamar High School Orchestra are involved in a public activity, and as such may be included in pictures or videos that may be used in school publicity efforts. Your signature on the Handbook Acknowledgement Form indicates approval for the student's name, picture, work, voice, or verbal statement to appear in school publicity, videos, or other media used for school purposes. For example, pictures and articles about school activities may appear in local newspapers or district publications. These pictures and articles may or may not personally identify the student. The pictures and/or videos may be used by the district in subsequent years.

AGREEMENT: Student and Parent/Guardian release to the Lamar High School Orchestra the student's name, voice, verbal statements, portraits (video or still), and consent to their use by the LHS Orchestra. The Lamar High School Orchestra agrees that the student's name, voice, verbal statements, portrait or picture, shall only be used for public relations, public information, school or district promotion, publicity, and instruction. Student and Parent/Guardian understand and agree that:

- No monetary consideration shall be paid;
- Consent and release have been given without coercion or duress;
- This agreement is binding upon heirs and/or future legal representatives;
- The photo, video, or student statements may be used in subsequent years.

If the Student and Parent/Guardian wish to rescind this agreement they may do so at any time with written notice. The Lamar High School Orchestra has no control of media use of pictures/statements taken without permission.

Parent/Guardian Signature
Date

The success of the Lamar Orchestra is dependent upon each individual orchestra student adhering to the policies and procedures set forth in this handbook. Orchestra members are expected to fulfill all orchestra commitments and responsibilities.

How to access the Lamar Orchestra Handbook:

- Log on to www.charmsoffice.com
- Locate the "Parent/Student Login" Section on the web page.
- Login to your child's program account using the following school code: LamarOrch
- You will then be taken to a page where you will be asked to enter you student's password. This will take you to look at your child's program calendar, event list, handouts, etc.
- Click on the purple icon that says "handouts". Then select the "LHS Orchestra Handbook 19-20" icon. This is the information that you and your student need to read and discuss.
- You may also pull this handbook from <u>lamarorchestra.com</u> on the "Resources and Forms" page

After reading the Lamar Orchestra Handbook, I /We agree to adhere to the policies and rules to the best of our ability. I/We further understand that I/We will be held accountable for the information in this handbook. I/We understand the expectations and responsibilities of the course and also understand the consequences for failing to meet these requirements may include removal from the program at the directors' discretion at any time. I/We understand that it is our responsibility to make sure all information is correct and updated using the Charms website: www.charmsoffice.com.

Student Signature	Parent/Guardian Signature
Student Name Printed	Parent/Guardian Name Printed
Date	Parent/Guardian email