



Parent/Guardian Permission for UtahFutures

Student: _____ Date: _____
Parent/Guardian: _____ Grade: _____
School: _____

UtahFutures is an on-line education and career planning system (See, <https://utahfutures.org>). **UtahFutures** was developed through the collaboration of the Utah State Office of Education, The Utah System of Higher Education, the Utah Department of Workforce Services, The Utah Library System, and the Utah State-wide GEAR-UP Grant.

UtahFutures allows a student to develop an individual student profile and conduct scholarship searches based on personal and family information and obtain additional information on post-high school training, including colleges and universities. An additional benefit is that the student has the option to connect their profile to their current school and receive support from counseling staff to develop a college and career readiness plan. A **UtahFutures** student profile collects and stores information such as a resume, education and work history, hobbies, and extracurricular activities, etc. A student profile may also contain interest and career assessments.

Specifically, **UtahFutures** uses the following interest and inventories: *Reality Check*—a career development activity to evaluate education and career goals; *Career Cluster Inventory*—this inventory requires a student rate activities on how much he/she would enjoy doing them and responses are used to identify which of the 16 National Career Clusters a student might find most interesting; *Interest Profiler*—this inventory identifies student interest and matches them with a wide variety of careers; *Work Importance Locater*—this inventory use statements to identify feelings and options regarding different aspects of work; *Entrepreneur's Assessment*—this assessment collects information and provides the differences between being self-employed or working for an employer.

Because **UtahFutures** collects information that may involve protected student information, (See, Utah Code Ann. §53A-13-301 and §53A-13-302) Canyons School District is required to obtain written parental consent before minor students are required to participate in a survey, analysis, or evaluation that reveals protected information. ((See, Protection of Pupil Rights Amendment (PPRA), 20 U.S.C. §1232H; 34 CFR 98)).

PERMISSION AND CONSENT

I give consent for my student to participate and use the **UtahFutures** program and to create a student profile and complete corresponding UtahFutures interest profile and career inventory surveys.

Student Name (Please Print) _____
Your Name (Please Print) _____
Relationship to the student (Please Print) _____
Your Signature _____
Date _____