

**AUTHORIZATION AGREEMENT FOR ENROLLMENT IN THE
SENIOR PRIVILEGE PROGRAM**

STUDENT'S NAME _____ **GRADE** _____ **COUNSELOR** _____

Senior Privileges allow students the opportunity to earn the use of available high school facilities for worthwhile purposes during an unassigned free period. These purposes include: pursuit of academic assignments in the LMC, front courtyard, and cafeteria during non lunch periods. Senior Privileges for an academic year may be granted at the start of the marking period or can be revoked at any time for reasons due to academic needs, behavioral circumstances or upon parent request. It is the student's responsibility to submit a completed application and waiver for approval to the **Dean of Students**.

Senior Privileges may not be granted or will be revoked under, but not limited to, the following circumstances:

- A) Senior Privilege at Amherst High School is an option for *qualified* 12th grade students. **To qualify for this program in September 2023, you must have a cumulative weighted average of 80 or above at the end of your Junior (11th grade) year.**
- B) These students also **must maintain a minimum grade of 80 or above in each course** in order to continue Senior Privilege once it has been granted. Prior parental approval must be given before students can participate in the program. Those students who do not qualify will be assigned to a study hall.
- C) Seniors in violation of school rules as identified in the student handbook will be subject to loss of privileges for a minimum of 10 weeks.
- D) Seniors who fail to submit completed required school forms. These are, but not limited to: Student Health Emergency Data Form, Computer Use/Sexual Harassment Agreement, Photograph and Video Release and Code of Conduct Signature Consent Form.
- E) Seniors who have not made restitution for their books, lab keys or elevator keys from the previous school year.

Note:

- 1. Senior Privileges are not a hall pass. All students must have a pass to be in the halls.
- 2. Students who do not have morning classes (beginning with 1st) may have late sign in privileges. Those who do not have afternoon classes assigned (including 9th) may have early release privileges. (Parents or guardians must sign the back of this form to give permission). All other students must remain on campus during unassigned periods.
- 3. Students who lose Senior Privileges will be expected to be in school and attend assigned study halls, unless an exception is granted by the Dean of Students. Privileges may be revoked by the parent or guardian at any time.
- 4. If Senior Privilege is revoked, then the student must reapply for the next quarter.

I, the undersigned parent/legal guardian, for the above captioned student, do hereby authorize such student to participate in the Amherst Central School District Senior Privilege Program.

I understand that I may pull these privileges at any time.

Parent or Guardian Signature

Date: _____

Student Signature

Date: _____

Dean of Students Approval

Date: _____

SENIORS ONLY- Late Arrival and Early Release Application

Penalty for misrepresentation of information will result in loss of privileges. Late arrival and Early Release Privilege will be considered if the following conditions are met:

1. I am able to provide my own transportation.
2. I have an unassigned class or study hall during 1st period or 9th period.
3. I must adhere to the attendance policies outlined in the Student Handbook.
4. I must sign in at the Attendance Office.
5. I must leave campus *immediately* after my last assigned class.
6. I must not be in violation of the school rules as identified in the Student Handbook.
7. If Senior Privilege has been revoked I must reapply for the next quarter.

I agree to abide by the conditions of this privilege and understand that failure to maintain any of these will result in a loss of privilege.

Name _____ Grade _____ Homeroom _____

Address _____ Phone _____

You must maintain a grade of 80 or above in each course for each quarter and at the end of the school year.

I request permission to: **arrive to school late** Letter Day: A Period(s) _____
B Period(s) _____
C Period(s) _____
D Period(s) _____
E Period(s) _____
F Period(s) _____

leave school early Letter Day: A Period(s) _____
B Period(s) _____
C Period(s) _____
D Period(s) _____
E Period(s) _____
F Period(s) _____

Student Signature

Parent or Guardian Signature

Dean of Students Approval

Date