

Hello Parents and Guardians,

Model UN is excited to announce that we will be attending a conference at Macalester College on November 18th, 2014. Your students will be assigned their countries next week and will be discussing the following topics:

General Assembly: Cyberterrorism

World Health Organization: Bioterrorism

Disarmament and International Security Committee: Arm Proliferation

I believe that these conferences are a great way to enhance critical thinking skills while also learning about how international organizations work together to solve global problems.

Students will be asked to write resolutions, form coalitions, and vote on how best to address issues that are currently in the world.

The fee for attending these conferences are usually \$40 per student. Luckily, the usual \$40 per student fee has been waived for Minneapolis students. Once at the conference, students will be provided resources for the day as well as lunch at no cost. This means that Model UN only has to cover the cost of transportation to and from the conference. This fee comes to **\$10 per student**.

Please return the bottom of this form and the attached permission slip with your student as well as the money to cover this expense. If you are unable to pay, please let Mr. Kohnert know and accommodations can be made. If you are willing to donate a little extra to cover another student, that would be greatly appreciated.

If you have any questions regarding Southwest Model UN or this conference, please feel free to email me at robert.kohnert@mpls.k12.mn.us

Thank you for your continued support of Model UN at Southwest

Robert Kohnert

Macalester College Model UN Conference

Name of Student: _____

Name of Parent/Guardian: _____

Money included: \$ _____

Scholarship for an additional student to attend (optional): \$ _____



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PARENT CONSENT FORM : FIELD TRIPS

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Date of Signature

Student Name

Student ID No

The above - named student has my consent to take the field trip described below:

Southwest Model United Nations

Group/ Grade/ Classroom No.

Nov. 18, 2014

Date and Time of Field Trip

Macalester College Model UN Conference

Destination of Trip / Activity

Robert Kohnert

Teacher or District Staff who will accompany students

Contact information (optional)

I understand the arrangements, and believe the necessary precautions and plans for the care and supervision of the students during the trip will be taken. Beyond this I will not hold the school or those supervising the trip responsible.