## STUDENT AGREEMENT

The Washington, D.C. trip is meant to be an age-appropriate educational experience. In addition, it is designed to promote personal growth and social development of students. The trip is a school-sponsored event, and it is important to emphasize certain rules and regulations to help ensure a worthwhile and successful experience for all students.

Fundamentally, students are to demonstrate common courtesy, respectful manners, respect for the rights, values and property of others, proper adherence to the rules and regulations, and respect for adult authority at all times during the trip. More specifically, all students will be expected to abide by the following:

- 1. Possession or use of alcohol, drugs, or tobacco is prohibited at all times.
- 2. Possession, purchase, or use of fireworks, cap pistols, stink bombs, laser pointer, snappers, lighters, knives, or other illicit materials is strictly forbidden.
- 3. Fighting, boisterous behavior or use of abusive language will not be tolerated.
- 4. Laptops and portable radios are not allowed (MP3 players are allowed).
- 5. Additional rules for the National 4H Center will be explained and discussed with students before the trip.
- 6. Any student who does not adhere to the rules and regulations during the Washington, D.C. trip will be held accountable and will result in consequences punishable by the administration.
- 7. If medicine must be taken or administered, please notify the school nurse, Ms. Pendel in writing by May 12<sup>th</sup>.

Departure: Monday, May 22<sup>nd</sup>, 6:30 a.m. - CSH Jr./Sr. High School Return: Thursday, May 25<sup>th</sup>, approximately 8:30p.m.\* - CSH Jr./Sr. High School \*The school will use the "All Call" System to alert 8<sup>th</sup> grade parents of arrival time Address of the National 4H Center: 7100 Connecticut Avenue, Chevy Chase, MD. Phone: 1-301-961-2800; FAX: 1-301-961-2894

Please sign, detach, and return the permission slip below together with your check (**if you have not already done so**) in the amount of <u>\$661.00</u> to the junior high office by <u>November 30<sup>th</sup></u>. Please make checks payable to <u>Cold Spring Harbor Jr. High School.</u>

There will be a general parent/student meeting on **Tuesday**, **May 16<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m**. in the Jr./Sr. High School Performing Arts Center for all 8<sup>th</sup> grade parents that have a child going on the Washington, D.C. trip. **We highly suggest that all parents and students attend this meeting.** 

2017 WASHINGTON TRIP – PERMISSION SLIP			
I have read the above guidelines concerning the Washington trip. I understand and agree to abide by them.			
	Student Signature	Date	
I hereby give permission for my son/daughter to participate in the eighth grade trip to Washington, D.C. on May 22, 23, 24, and 25, 2017 according to the conditions outlined above. I also agree upon notification to pick up my son/daughter in Washington at my own expense and within 24 hours should it be deemed necessary by the administration.			
	Signature of Parent/Guardian	Student Name (Print)	Date