



Guidance and Counseling Consent Form

Dear Parent or Guardian,

The Driscoll ISD Guidance and Curriculum Department provides a Comprehensive School Counseling Program to support academic, career, personal, social and emotional development of all students. These services are aligned with the Texas Model for Comprehensive School Counseling and the Texas Education Agency (TEA).

Services Include:

- Guidance Counseling
- Individual Counseling
- Small Group Counseling
- Academic Advising
- College and Career Readiness Counseling
- Crisis Response and Intervention
- Social-Emotional Support and Assessment
- Counseling Activities (Character Education)

Confidentiality:

Confidentiality is a key part of the counseling process and helps students feel comfortable sharing openly. While most information discussed in counseling remains private, parents/guardians are important partners in supporting student success. Counselors will share information when:

- The student is at risk of harm to self or others
- There is reasonable suspicion of abuse or neglect
- A court requires disclosure through a subpoena
- The student provides written consent to release information

Contact Information:

If you have any questions or concerns regarding your child's participation in counseling services, please contact the district counselor, Shana Vasquez at 361-387-7349 ext 8108 or svasquez@driscollisd.us.

The consent form is for the school year 2025-26. By signing below, I acknowledge that I have read and understand the information provided above regarding the counseling services provided through Driscoll ISD.

Student Name: _____ Grade: _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Please check one of the boxes below to indicate if you give permission for your child to receive counseling services from the Driscoll ISD Guidance and Counseling Department.

☐ I GIVE consent for my student to participate in the Guidance and Counseling services listed above.

☐ I DO NOT GIVE consent for my student to participate in the Guidance and Counseling services listed above.