**2025-26 FBISD Destination Imagination Student Information &**

******Parent Acknowledgement Form**

**Team Placement Needs:**

\_\_\_\_\_ My child has a team and a team manager. The team manager’s name is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_ My child needs to be placed on a team.

**DI Student Information:**

Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ School \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Grade \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Age as of 6/15/25 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Classroom/Homeroom Teacher \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone Mobile Phone

Parent Name Email \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

## Parent Volunteer Needs:

**Parent volunteers play a vital role in the Destination Imagination journey.** The number of teams that can be formed in our school is only limited by one factor -- the number of adults that are available to manage the teams. Please consider being a Destination Imagination Team Manager this year! We will provide you with training and support. See the Handbook for training dates.

 I want to be a Team Manager for a Destination Imagination (DI) team.

 I want to be a Co-Team Manager for a DI team with **.**

**Team Travel Arrangements:** Each parent must understand the travel arrangements as set forth in the FBISD DI Handbook in the event of team advancement. When on a school-sponsored trip, all Fort Bend ISD students must adhere to District guidelines. For district-sponsored lodging, team members are assigned to a hotel room with the same gender peers from their team or competitive level. Chaperoning adults are placed in rooms nearby or adjacent when available. Accommodations for students cannot be changed or altered during the duration of the trip unless directed by a district chaperone. Parents are not permitted to enter team hotel rooms except to support unpacking and packing (with team manager/district chaperone supervision). The District sponsors local security to monitor hallways during sleep hours. **Parents that feel the travel arrangements do not meet their needs are encouraged to form independent teams.**

 I have read the above arrangements and agree to the terms of travel in the event of advancement.

## Please read the statements below and sign to complete the registration process.

* I understand that team managers are volunteering their time & should not have to bear all financial costs.
* I understand that the FBISD DI program recognizes all teams that bring a solution to the regional tournaments are successful.
* I agree not to interfere with the team's solutions, creations, inventions, decorations, and ideas.
* I give permission for my child to participate in this Destination Imagination program.

 **Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Date:**

**How Can Parents Help with DI?**

1. Be a team manager or co-manage a team with another adult.
2. Be an Instant Challenge coach for your child’s team.
3. Be a volunteer appraiser to represent your child’s team at another tournament.
4. Help find an appraiser for your child’s team.
5. Help the team by not scheduling appointments or activities for your child when team meetings are scheduled.
6. Assist the team manager at meetings to help keep the team on task.
7. Help find resource people to teach the team new skills ~ i.e. painting, sewing, mechanical design, carpentry, make up application, stage techniques, etc.
8. Come a 1/2 hour early to pick up your child from meetings and help with clean up.
9. Be an audience for practice sessions and cheer the team on. (No suggestions though!)
10. Help find places for the team to practice.
11. Provide times and places for the team to work and practice.
12. Read and check the rules to be sure the team is following all of them...even the small ones.
13. Help the team send for clarifications or download new ones from the DI website. ([www.idodi.org](http://www.destinationimagination.org/))
14. Provide transportation for team members to and from meetings, practices, and shopping trips.
15. Provide treats and nutritious snacks for the meetings.

1. Pick up team-requested materials.
2. Play Instant Challenge games with your child at home.
3. Help transport props and costumes to the tournament.
4. Encourage and support the team and team managers.
5. Help the team with PR to the newspaper, school administrators, or local community.