

# VERNON PUBLIC SCHOOLS



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Dear Volunteer/Chaperone,

In order to ensure the safest possible environment for students, the Vernon Board of Education performs a criminal background check of all persons wishing to volunteer with our students. The district subscribes to *SentryLink*, an online national registry in order to perform these criminal background checks.

The background check consent form is on the reverse side of this notice. We have also attached an envelope for your use which will allow you to keep your personal information confidential. You may return the envelope to the Superintendent's Office through interoffice mail or regular mail.

Should you have any questions about the form or process, please feel free to contact Trish Buchanan or me at 860-870-6000 X124.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Joseph Macary".

Joseph Macary  
Superintendent of Schools

## KEEP OUR KIDS SAFE

*The Vernon Public Schools, in partnership with family and community, is committed to provide a quality education, with high expectations, in a safe environment where all students become independent learners and productive contributors to society.*