

May 4th, 2016

Dear Parent/Guardian:

As part of our study of dystopian fiction, I am planning to show *Blade Runner*, a film which is heralded by many as a watershed moment for the genre. In addition to allowing students to see an interesting visual representation of dystopian fiction, viewing *Blade Runner* often helps student gain a deeper appreciation for the genre's thematic and philosophical implications.

Blade Runner is rated "R" and contains profanity, violence, and brief (non-sexual) nudity. Even if your daughter or son is eighteen years old, please sign and return the bottom portion of this slip so as to grant permission for the film to be viewed in class. Permission slips should be signed and returned by_____.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to email or call me at your earliest convenience.

Sincerely,

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I grant permission for _____ to view *Blade Runner* in English class.
(Student's Name)

(Parent / Guardian Signature)

(Date)