VIRTUS® Catholic Safe Environment Curriculum
Parent Opt-Out Form

I, ____________________________, do NOT want my child ________________________, to

(Parent/Guardian Name) (Child’s Name)

participate in the presentation of VIRTUS Catholic Safe Environment Curriculum at

________________________________ .

(Parish/School)

Please initial the following statements:

_____ This form is to be submitted to the parish/school at least (7) days prior to the presentation.

_____ I understand that the curriculum is available online at

https://www.dsj.org/protecting-gods-children/virtus-resources-for-teachers-catechist

_____ I understand that this form will be kept on parish/school site for audit purposes.

Parent/Guardian Name (Print): ______________________________________________________

Parent/Guardian Signature: ___________________________________________ Date: _____________

Important Information: The Office for the Protection of Children & Vulnerable Adults (OPCVA) provides an Opt-Out form for parents/guardians who do not wish to have their children participate in the VIRTUS® Catholic Safe Environment Program. Families who choose this option should return the completed opt-out form to the school or parish one week prior to the class being implemented. Families who opt-out should be provide with a copy of the Family Safety Session.

The Family Safety Session is designed as a safety guide for families that have opted-out or missed the live presentation of the VIRTUS® Catholic Safe Environment Curriculum, and can be used as a review tool for all families.