

National Forum to Accelerate Middle-Grades Reform

SCHOOL-SCHOOL DISTRICT ASSURANCES

Signature and Permission:

I am aware applications developed and written solely by consultants will not be considered, and I certify that the initial designation application (including narrative) preparation was a collaborative process involving site administrators, teachers, and other key stakeholders.

I understand that representatives of the Schools to Watch program may conduct a site visit to my school during the 2022-23 school year, and that we will gladly host such a visit. My staff and I will cooperate in the data-gathering effort to the fullest extent possible.

If selected as a Schools to Watch school, an award will be presented to the school at the Schools to Watch annual conference in Washington DC in June, 2023. I understand that the expectation is that if selected we will send a team or representative to accept the award on the schools behalf and will work to secure the resources necessary to support this.

If selected as a Schools to Watch school, an award will be presented at our state conference (if applicable to your state). I understand that the expectation is that if selected we will send a team or representative to accept the award on the schools behalf and will work to secure the resources necessary to support this.

If selected as a Schools to Watch school, I will work with the Schools to Watch representatives to plan an onsite celebration at our school to celebrate and recognize the accomplishment of receiving this award.

I recognize that being selected as a Schools to Watch school could result in an increase in outside visitors and publicity. We are prepared to share our knowledge and experience with others in order to accelerate middle-grades reform.

We give permission for the Schools to Watch Program to publish information included in this application in order to help other schools move toward high performance. This information may also be shared with and published by the National Forum to Accelerate Middle Grades Reform.

Principal's Signature	Date
Superintendent's Signature	Date