

Real Talk Series “Rainbow Voices” BLAST

As part of our school’s commitment to building a community where everyone feels seen, valued, and included, we’re preparing the next panel of our Real Talk Series. This series is all about hearing powerful stories and perspectives from people with different experiences. These conversations are designed just for the Middle School student body—to spark curiosity, open minds, and help us all better understand and celebrate the diversity that makes our Seven Hills community so special.

The last panel discussion this year, “Rainbow Voices,” will focus on gender identity and sexuality and how individuals within the LGBTQIA+ community experience and express this aspect of themselves. Panelists will discuss challenges and stereotypes they may encounter in school, the workplace, and society more broadly. All content is carefully planned and age-appropriate to ensure a respectful and supportive environment for students. The goal of this panel is not to promote a particular viewpoint, but to help students listen, ask thoughtful questions, and better understand the diverse experiences represented by Rainbow Voices—both within our broader community and among people they may already know, including family members, friends, neighbors, or public figures they see in media and culture.

We believe this is an important step in helping our students develop empathy and respect for one another. Should you have any questions or concerns, feel free to reach out to James Jessup, Madame Kalubi, or Kristin Suer. Please print, sign, and return THIS FORM to your child’s advisor if you DO NOT want your child to participate in the “Rainbow Voices” Program. It will include Advisory activities around this topic and the Real Talk panel presentation on the morning of Friday, March 6, 2026.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Child’s Name: _____

Grade Level: _____

Advisor: _____

Date: _____