

Jane Goodall Environmental Sciences Academy
Local Activity/Field Trip Permission and Release Agreement

Student's Name: _____

I/we, _____ *the parent/guardian(s)/self of* _____
Parent/Guardian (s) ***Student***

give permission for my child/self to participate in activities/field trips to local businesses/work experience/activity locations. I/we understand participation in these activities/field trips is voluntary and is not a required school program or activity. I/we are allowing my child/self to participate only after understanding and considering the following:

Transportation:

Local field trips between JGESA and various businesses and work experience locations occur frequently during the school day as part of a student's educational program.

Transportation for such local field trips is provided by JGESA. Students may **NOT** drive to these sites. These trips are chaperoned by JGESA.

I/we understand field trips consist of all days and half days depending on the scheduled field trip.

By signing this permission form, I/we acknowledge the following:

1. I/we acknowledge that I/we are aware as to the nature of the activities, and that these activities may have inherent risks or injury for those who participate, including, but not limited to, transportation from and to the school campus.
2. I/we understand JGESA cannot unconditionally guarantee the safety for children and that the obligation of the JGESA is to take reasonable precautions for their safety and well-being. Students also have the responsibility for his/her own safety and the safety of others.
3. I/we must provide the school staff and chaperones with medical or other important information that I/we feel the school should know about my child prior to attending such outings.
4. I/we represent that myself/child is physically fit to participate in such activities.
5. I/we understand the student must adhere to all the rules, regulations, and instructions pertaining to the safety and protection of the participants, and failure to comply could exclude myself/child from participation in future trips.
6. I/we hereby consent to medical treatment to myself/child which may be deemed advisable in the event of injury, accident and/or illness during such field trip. I/we hereby certify that if I/we have any particular medical instructions, I/we have provided these instructions via the Annual Health Information Form.
7. I/we certify that myself /child's medical expenses are covered by a medical insurance policy, or if not, I/we accept absolute financial responsibility for such in the event that expenses are incurred.
8. I/we will bear the cost for additional transportation, if myself/child leaves or is asked to leave the activity before completion.
9. I/we acknowledge and understand the risk and requirement for myself/child to participate in such field trips.

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RELEASE

In consideration of permission for me/child to participate in the field trip, I/we knowingly, and voluntarily release and waive and further agree to indemnify and hold harmless JGESA District #4229, and their officers, agents, employees, volunteers, and representatives both individually and in their official capacities from and against any claim which I/we, myself/child or any relative or next of kin of mine/ours, or any other person, firm or corporation, may now or hereafter have or claim to have (known or unknown), seen or unseen, directly or indirectly, for or on account of any losses, damages, personal injuries, pain and suffering, death, or property damage resulting from or arising out of myself/child's participation in the field trip, or in any way connected with or arising out of instruction, training, emergency care or other operations incidental to participation in the field trip.

This "Release" shall be construed to be as comprehensive as is allowed by law and as severable. The validity of any portion of this Agreement shall not affect any other portion and shall not establish a legal or other relationship between or among those released which does not in fact exist.

I/WE HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THIS RELEASE AGREEMENT.

Parent/Guardian's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Student's Signature: _____ Date: _____

STUDENT FIELD TRIP CODE OF CONDUCT

- Student behavior at all times should be such that it reflects positively on the student and JGESA.
- A student must respect the property of others.
- A student is expected to participate in all activities and follow instructions of staff/activity officials.
- The trip is considered an extension of the school day and all school policies apply for the duration of the trip. Students who disregard policies will be sent home at the student's expense and subject to disciplinary action. Parents will be notified. Prepaid costs associated with the trip may be forfeited.

I HAVE READ THE ABOVE CODE OF CONDUCT FOR JGESA FIELD TRIPS AND AGREE TO ABIDE BY THESE EXPECTATIONS.

Parent/Guardian's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Student's Signature: _____ Date: _____