

Participant Release Form

This release is for the minor's participation in: _____ hereafter referred to as "the Program".
(Program name)

MEDIA RELEASE

I hereby consent to my minor participant being photographed by James Madison University (the "University") or anyone authorized by the University ("Agent"), and I hereby grant permission to the University or its Agent to use or reproduce any such video or photographs for the University's educational or promotional purposes only, in print, electronic form, or other media without any further compensation to me. Such video and photographs shall be solely owned by the University. I hereby waive any right to inspect or approve such photographs or electronic matter that may be used in conjunction with them now or in the future, whether that use is known to me or unknown, and I waive any right to royalties or other compensation arising from or related to the use of the photographs. I hereby agree to release and hold harmless the University from and against any claims, damages or liability arising from or related to the use of the photographs, including but not limited to any re-use, distortion, blurring, alteration, optical illusion or use in composite form, either intentionally or otherwise, that may occur or be produced in the production of the finished product.

- I consent to the above media release.
- I DO NOT consent to the above media release.

TRANSPORTATION RELEASE

Participation in the Program activities may involve travel or other activities that carry with it certain inherent risks that cannot be eliminated regardless of the care taken to avoid injuries. I give permission for my minor participant to be transported to activities, including participating in walking or vehicular field trips offered by the Program that occur off-campus, should the aforementioned program require.

PERMISSION TO RESIDE *(only applicable to residential programs)*

I grant permission for my minor participant to reside in university facilities and/or dorms overnight for the duration of the residential program.

WAIVER OF LIABILITY

In exchange for the privilege of allowing my minor participant to participate in the program or activity at issue, I hereby agree to indemnify, defend and hold harmless the Program, James Madison University, the Commonwealth of Virginia, and their respective officers, agents, employees and volunteers from any and all costs, liabilities, expenses, claims, compensation, demands, or causes of action on account of any loss or damage to person or property of the aforementioned child arising out of or in connection with his/her participation in the aforementioned program and related activities.

SIGNATURE

I have read and completed this Release Form prior to signing below, and I fully understand the contents, meaning, and legal impact of this consent and release. I understand that I am free to address any specific questions regarding this consent and release by submitting those questions in writing prior to signing, and I agree that my failure to do so will be interpreted as a free and knowledgeable acceptance of the terms of this consent and release. I agree that this Release Form shall remain in effect for the duration of the Program. All participants must have a new Release Form completed each year.

Printed Name of Minor Participant

Printed Name of Minor's Legal Guardian

Signature of Minor's Legal Guardian

Date