

**PARENTAL CONSENT
AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY AND INDEMNIFICATION
St. John the Baptist Catholic School**

I, the undersigned parent(s)/legal guardian(s), represent that I am the parent and/or legal guardian of _____ (hereinafter "Student") and hereby consent to Student's participation in the field trip to

(please see attached letter) and related events and activities (hereinafter "Activity"). Further, in consideration of the Student being allowed to participate in the Activity and in consideration of the fact that the Student may be furnished transportation from time to time, either by the School or in a privately-owned vehicle, the undersigned(s):

1. Acknowledges and fully understands that there is a risk of serious injury associated with vehicular travel by Student and also with the Student's participation in the Activity, including permanent disability and death, and severe social and economic losses which might result not only from the Student's own actions, inactions or negligence, but the actions, inactions or negligence of others, including St. John the Baptist Congregation and St. John the Baptist School. Further, I acknowledge and agree that there are numerous risks associated with vehicular travel or participation and engagement in the Activity not known to me and not reasonably foreseeable at this time which may arise including, but not limited to, risks of falling, impact with other persons or objects and equipment failure or malfunction. I further recognize that all such risks cannot be described as part of this document. Accordingly, if I believe I need more information regarding the Activity before waiving liability and agreeing to indemnify the School and Parish as described below, I agree that I will seek additional information or refuse to allow Student to participate in the Activity.
2. Assumes all of the foregoing risks associated with Student's vehicular travel and participation and engagement in the Activity and accept personal responsibility for all damages following such injury, permanent disability, death or other risk not reasonably foreseeable.
3. Intending to legally bind myself, my representatives, successors and assigns, I hereby release Parish and its board of directors, trustees, officers, employees and agents (collectively the "Releasees") from liability, and waive all claims and demands of every nature or kind, including claims of negligence on the part of the Releasees, on account of injury to or death of the Student or damage to or loss of the Student's property, arising or resulting from the Student's participation in the Activity. I understand that by waiving rights against the Releasees as described above, I am giving up the right to seek all legal remedies which might otherwise be available to me including, but not limited

to, monetary damages, damages for emotional suffering, damages for loss of companionship, medical or other expenses, and attorney fees.

Intending to legally bind myself, my representatives, successors and assigns and in exchange for the Student being allowed to participate in the Activity, I agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Releasees against all losses, damages, monetary awards and expenses, including attorney's fees, incurred in connection with any and all claims, including claims of negligence on the part of the Releasees brought by me or the Student, his/her representatives, successors or assigns against the Releasees on account of injury to or death of the Student or damage to or loss of the Student's property, arising or resulting from the Student's participation in the Activity from time to time and from place to place. I understand that by agreeing to indemnify the Releasees, I am agreeing to pay for all monetary damages awarded against and costs incurred by the Releasees in the event that I or the Student, his/her representatives, successors or assigns were to pursue claims(s) against the Releasees.

I CERTIFY THAT I GIVE PERMISSION TO THE STUDENT TO PARTICIPATE IN THE ACTIVITY STATED ABOVE AND CERTIFY THAT I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THIS WAIVER OF LIABILITY AND INDEMNIFICATION, THAT I UNDERSTAND THAT I AM GIVING UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS AND ASSUMING SUBSTANTIAL OBLIGATIONS BY SIGNING IT, AND THAT I SIGN IT FREELY AND VOLUNTARILY.

YES NO **Yes, I have taken the Protecting God's Children Program and completed the necessary components and can assist the classroom teachers in chaperoning this activity (please discuss this with the classroom teacher).**

_____ Yes, I am adding to my amount to add to the assistance fund.

Dated: _____

Signature of Parent or Legal Guardian

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Print Name of Student

Please return this form and \$ _____ to school by _____ .