



# INFORMED CONSENT AND WAIVER FORM FOR HIGH-RISK ACTIVITIES

Student Name:

Parent Name:

I, the undersigned and parent of the above named student, hereby acknowledge that certain risks of injury are inherent to participation in medium-risk to high-risk activities. These types of injuries may be minor or serious and may result from my child's own actions or the actions or inactions of others, or a combination of both.

I understand that certain activities require a minimum level of fitness and health (physical, mental and emotional) and that each person has a different capacity for participating in these activities. I hereby declare that my child is physically fit to participate and understand that the choice to participate brings with it the assumption of those risks and results which are part of these activities.

I understand and acknowledge that despite the precautions taken by the student, the school and the homestay family, there are potential risks associated with engaging in high-risk activities, including risks of physical injury, sickness, accident, and/or inconvenience or damage to personal property as a result of my child's participation in the activity.

I authorize my child to participate in the following:

- School Sport Teams
- Encountering wildlife
- Ice sport events (includes but is not limited to skating, curling, hockey)
- Snowsport events (including but not limited to downhill and cross country skiing, snow shoeing)
- Other activities as developed by the International Program

I agree that the WINNIPEG SCHOOL DIVISION (WSD) and its International Education Program employees and homestay families shall not be liable for any injury to my child or loss or damage to personal property arising from, or in any way resulting from, my child's participation in these activities. Students are covered by medical insurance for all approved WSD/IEP Program activities including sporting events.

I understand that my child is forbidden to operate motorized vehicles, and travel by snowmobile or water ski/ tube, motorized boat or small self-propelled watercraft.

I declare having read and understood the above INFORMED CONSENT AND WAIVER AGREEMENT in its entirety and give consent for my child to participate acknowledging all of the foregoing.

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(Signature of Parent)

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(Date)