



**Permission and Binding Commitment and Agreement for the  
Junior Science, Engineering and Humanities Symposium  
University of Missouri-St. Louis**

We hereby grant permission, as parents or guardian(s) of the student, \_\_\_\_\_, to fully participate in programs and activities of the Junior Science, Engineering and Humanities Symposium (JSEHS) March 15, 16, 17, 2012 at the University of Missouri-St. Louis. We also agree to the following pertaining to the above-named student.

1. We give permission for release of all pertinent school data to the JSEHS Symposium for the purpose of selecting student to attend the Symposium;
2. We understand that transportation to and from the Symposium site and activities must be arranged by the school, student and/or family. We further understand that in case of problems of illness, disruptive behavior, or other unforeseen circumstances, we will be responsible for transportation home at any time when Symposium officials deem such dismissal necessary for the benefit of the student or others at the Symposium;
3. We affirm that the student does not use non-prescription addictive drugs, including alcohol and nicotine;
4. We will be financially responsible for any and all devious, malicious or wanton acts of vandalism, theft, or personal or property damage perpetrated by the student;
5. We understand that it may be necessary for Symposium officials to obtain emergency medical assistance in case of accident or sudden illness. We further understand that, in case of accident or illness, we accept responsibility for costs of medical care over and above the limited care provided by the Student Health Service. We hereby hold the Symposium and its agents and representatives harmless in the exercise of this authority;
6. We agree to adhere to the rules and regulations concerning students' responsibilities while attending the Symposium. We understand that the director has the right to dismiss any student whose behavior is not consistent with the decorum, goals and standards of the Symposium;
7. We give permission for our student to be taken on field trips, on and off campus, and retain responsibility and liability for their welfare;
8. We agree that the student will participate in the completion of the questionnaires and other appropriate research projects done as part of the program's evaluation. We also agree that photographs, electronic imagery and sound of our student taken during the program, papers written by him/her for the program, and similar items may be used by the Symposium in reports and public information materials. We further agree to allow the Symposium to release for educational purposes photographs and video recordings, with or without audio, of activities and projects involving the student;
9. We agree that so-called directory information about the student, including student's name and address, school, year in school, and name(s) and address(es) of parent(s) may be released at the discretion of the JSEHS administrative staff; and
10. We understand that participation in the Symposium will require a substantial time commitment and are willing to make attendance and full participation at all academic and social activities a first priority.

We certify that the information on this application is complete and accurate and that we concur with these statements and will abide by the agreements and fulfill the commitments specified and implied by this application.

Signatures: \_\_\_\_\_  
Parent(s)/Legal Guardian(s) \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Student \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Without parental/legal guardian consent, this application cannot be processed.  
Return this completed form to sponsoring teacher/chaperon.**

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