



KDO ACTIVITY PARTICIPATION FORM

Parent-Accompanied Day Trip • Permission • Risk Agreement

IMPORTANT: THIS FORM AFFECTS LEGAL RIGHTS. PLEASE READ BOTH PAGES BEFORE SIGNING.

PARENT ATTENDANCE REQUIRED: A parent or legal guardian must attend and remain with the student for the entire field trip. The attending parent/guardian retains primary responsibility for the student's supervision, behavior, and safety.

TRIP INFORMATION | KDO staff complete before distributing

Trip / Event Name	Destination / Facility
Destination Address	Date & Time
Meeting Location	KDO Trip Leader / Contact

Primary Activities

TRANSPORTATION: KDO Academy does not provide transportation for field trips. Each family is responsible for transportation to and from the destination. Any carpool arrangement is a private arrangement between families, not KDO Academy transportation.

PARTICIPANT & ATTENDING PARENT / GUARDIAN INFORMATION

Participant Full Name	Birth Date / Grade	
Attending Parent / Legal Guardian	Primary Cell Phone	
Parent Email	Alternate Phone	
Emergency Contact (not attending parent)	Relationship	Cell Phone

EMERGENCY & MEDICAL INFORMATION

Allergies / Reactions	Medical Conditions / Medications
Physical Limitations / Accommodations	Other Safety / Medical Information
Health Insurance Carrier	Member / Policy ID
Family Physician	Physician Phone

If none, write "None." Please notify KDO Academy of any material change before the trip.

PERMISSION, ASSUMPTION OF RISK & RELEASE AGREEMENT

This form is intended to protect KDO Academy, the church/property host, and the field trip destination to the fullest extent Pennsylvania law permits.

1. Permission and Parent Supervision. I am the parent/legal guardian of the participant named on page 1 ("Participant"). Participation is voluntary, and I give permission for Participant to attend this parent-accompanied day trip and its listed activities. **I understand that I must remain present with Participant for the entire trip and that KDO Academy staff do not assume custody or individual supervision of Participant.** I will supervise Participant, follow KDO Academy and facility rules, and promptly address any safety or behavior concern involving Participant.

2. Transportation. I understand that KDO Academy does not provide or arrange transportation for this trip. I am responsible for arranging transportation for myself and Participant, including a qualified driver, a reasonably safe vehicle, and legally required restraints. Any carpooling is privately arranged between families. I accept the ordinary risks associated with travel to and from the destination.

3. Acknowledgment and Assumption of Risk. I understand that field trips can involve risks that cannot be completely eliminated, including travel, walking on uneven/slippery surfaces, weather, crowds, food or allergens, illness, animals or insects, facility equipment or activities, slips/falls/collisions, and the actions of other people. The specific activities and known special considerations for this trip are listed on page 1. Injuries can be minor or serious. **With this knowledge, I voluntarily choose for Participant and me to attend. Participant and I attend at our own risk and, to the fullest extent permitted by law, accept the inherent and ordinary risks of participation.**

4. Medical Care and Expenses. Because I will be present, I retain responsibility for Participant's medical decisions. If an emergency occurs and I am temporarily unable to act, I authorize KDO Academy personnel to call 911, provide reasonable first aid, and obtain emergency assistance until I can resume responsibility. I authorize necessary sharing of the medical information on page 1 with emergency responders or the facility. I am responsible for medical and related expenses to the extent permitted by law, and I understand KDO Academy does not provide health or accident insurance through this form.

5. Release of Adult Claims; Released Parties. "Released Parties" means KDO Academy and its board members, officers, employees, instructors, volunteers, agents, and representatives; the church, ministry, property owner, or organization that hosts KDO Academy and their personnel; and the field trip destination/facility and its owners, operators, employees, volunteers, and agents. **To the fullest extent permitted by Pennsylvania law, I release and hold harmless the Released Parties from claims that belong to me personally and arise from this trip, including my derivative claims and claims based on a Released Party's ordinary negligence.** This release applies only to claims I have legal authority to release; it does not waive Participant's rights where Pennsylvania law does not permit a parent to do so, and it does not release gross negligence, recklessness, intentional misconduct, or other liability that cannot legally be released.

6. Family Responsibility; Indemnification; Property. To the fullest extent permitted by law, I am responsible for my own conduct and Participant's conduct. I agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Released Parties from third-party claims, property damage, losses, or reasonable defense costs caused by my conduct or Participant's conduct, including intentional misconduct or failure to follow reasonable safety instructions. Personal belongings are brought at our own risk. This paragraph does not require me to indemnify a Released Party for liability that cannot legally be shifted or released.

7. Pennsylvania Law and Acknowledgment. This agreement is governed by Pennsylvania law. If any provision is unenforceable, it will be limited or severed while the remaining provisions continue to the fullest extent allowed. I have read both pages, had the opportunity to ask questions, understand the risks and release language, certify that the information provided is accurate, and sign voluntarily.

I understand that a parent/legal guardian must remain with and supervise Participant for the entire trip.

Initials

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ATTENDING PARENT / LEGAL GUARDIAN SIGNATURE

Attending Parent / Legal Guardian Signature

Date

Printed Name

Relationship

STUDENT SAFETY ACKNOWLEDGMENT (recommended for students age 12+)

I will stay with my parent/guardian, follow KDO Academy and facility safety instructions, and tell an adult promptly if I feel unsafe, ill, or injured. Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

Please return both pages together.