



## **PARTICIPATION IN A SCHOOL-SPONSORED FIELD TRIP**

**Name and description of the trip:** 5th Grade Field Trip Experience to Cross Timbers Middle School

**Date of the trip:** February 5, 2025

**Brief itinerary:** Fifth graders will experience one of our district middle schools to further prepare their transition to sixth grade and receive middle school information (e.g. fine arts exposure, etc.)

**Mode of transportation:** District buses

**Origination point:** Glenhope Elementary School

**Destination point:** Cross Timbers Middle School

**Number of students anticipated:** 114

**Number of adult employees and chaperones:** 6

**Cost per student (if applicable):** \$0

**Student should bring:** Nothing

- ☐ My child may participate in this activity
- ☐ My child may not participate in this activity

**Name of student:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Guardian signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**In case of an emergency, please contact one of the following:**

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|----|-------|-------|
| 1. | _____ | _____ |
|    | Name  | Phone |
| 2. | _____ | _____ |
|    | Name  | Phone |



## **PARTICIPATION IN A SCHOOL-SPONSORED FIELD TRIP CONSENT & RELEASE FORM**

Recognizing that it is an educational benefit for students to participate in school-sponsored field trips and that it is not a requirement of the curriculum, parents/guardians are required to provide a signed consent and release form for their student to attend field trips.

I, \_\_\_\_\_ (parent/legal guardian name) am the parent or legal guardian of \_\_\_\_\_ (student). I hereby give my consent for \_\_\_\_\_ (student) to travel with and participate in the 5th grade Field Trip Experience to Heritage Middle School.

### **Student Injury**

I understand that while student safety is a high priority for the District, under state law, the District is not responsible for medical costs associated with a student's injury.

### **Transportation**

GCISD Board Policy FMG(LOCAL) states that students who participate in a field trip shall be required to ride in transportation provided by the District to and from the event. Exceptions may be made if the student's parent/guardian presents a written request to the principal three (3) days before the scheduled trip, requesting the student be allowed to ride with the parent, with another person designated by the parent, or the student be allowed to drive him or herself to the event. **The District shall not be liable for any injuries that occur to students riding in vehicles that the District does not provide.**

### **Consent & Release**

I, and on behalf of \_\_\_\_\_ (student), my personal representatives, successors, and assigns, hereby release and waive all claims for medical expenses, loss of services, or other claims, and I agree to indemnify and hold harmless the District, its Trustees, employees, and agents (except charter bus services) from all claims made against it or them on behalf of my child. I also agree to indemnify and hold harmless the District, its Trustees, employees, and agents from all claims made by third parties against it or them, which result from my child's actions on the trip.

**I understand that the District, its Trustees, employees, and agents are not waiving any sovereign or governmental immunity, which it or they have under Texas law.**

I have read and understand this release and sign it voluntarily and with full knowledge of its significance. This release applies to the trip identified above. I also understand that if I choose for my child not to participate in this field trip, that an alternate activity will be provided for my child at the campus.

Parent/Guardian signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_