

PERRY HIGH SCHOOL SERVICE LEARNING PROGRAM

Waiver of Claims, Release of Liability and Covenant Not to Sue

I/We hereby request that _____ [Name of Student] (hereinafter "the Student") participate in the Perry High School Service Learning Program (the "PSL program") in which the Student will participate in work and volunteer activities for a service partner. In exchange for the opportunity to participate in the PSL program, I/We acknowledge that I/We have been informed about the nature of the PSL program and the manner in which it will be conducted. Having such knowledge, I/We sign this Waiver of Claims and Release of Liability and Covenant not to Sue:

1. **This is a legally binding Waiver of Claims, Release of Liability and Covenant not to Sue made by and on behalf of the Student.**
2. I/We, the undersigned, request that the Student be permitted to participate in the PSL program and acknowledge that Student's participation is not mandatory but optional.
3. I/We understand that the Perry Local School District will not be providing, nor will be responsible in any way for the Student's transportation for the PSL program. Instead each Student will be responsible for the Student's transportation to and from the service partner and its activities. In this regard, I also understand and appreciate the significant dangers associated with the Student's responsibility for providing his/her own transportation in relation to the PSL program, and understand and agree that I/we have assumed all risks involved with transportation related to any facet of the PSL program.
4. I/We understand that while Perry High School personnel have made arrangements with many of the service partners participating in the PSL program to accept Perry High School Students for the PSL program, Perry Schools personnel will not be present for the Student's participation in any of the activities the Student undertakes or participates in with the service partner. I/We also understand that the service partners' personnel are not employees of the Perry Schools and have not been interviewed or had their backgrounds reviewed by the Perry Schools. I/We understand that I/we may meet the service partners' personnel and discuss the service partners' programs and plans for the Student by contacting the service partner directly. I/We, fully understand and agree that the District will not be responsible for or supervise the Student during any time he/she is away from the Perry High School, and specifically cannot be responsible for or supervise the Student with respect to his/her participation in the PSL program while at a service partner location or during transportation to and from the service agency or its programs.
5. I/We understand that both the Perry Local School District and the service partners that are participating in the PSL program accept Perry High School Students with the express understanding that each participating Student will be covered by and will have signed this Waiver of Claims and Release of Liability and Covenant not to Sue, and in the absence of this Waiver of Claims and Release of Liability and Covenant not to Sue, neither the Perry Local School District nor the service partner would accept the Student for participation in the PSL program.

6. In consideration of the Student being permitted to take part in the PSL program, I/we do hereby release, waive, forever discharge and covenant not to sue the Perry Local School District Board of Education, its employees, administrators, board members, agents and insurers, [collectively "the District"], and the PSL service partners and their employees, clergy, agents and insurers, [collectively "the service partner"] from and against any and all liability from harm, injury, damage, claims, demands, actions, causes of action, costs, and expenses of any nature which the Student may have or which may hereafter accrue to the Student, arising out of or related to any loss, damage or injury that may be sustained by the Student or by any property belonging to the Student in relation to his/her participation in the PSL program or transportation to or from the PSL program. I/We understand and agree that this Waiver of Claims and Release of Liability and Covenant not to Sue covers liability, claims and actions caused entirely or in part by any acts or failures to act of the District or the service partner including but not limited to negligence, mistake, or failure to supervise while the Student is participating in the PSL program or traveling to or from the PSL site.

7. I/We explicitly agree that the Student wishes to participate in the PSL program in accordance with the conditions imposed by this Waiver of Claims and Release of Liability and Covenant not to Sue and the undersigned understand and agree signing of this Waiver of Claims and Release of Liability and Covenant not to Sue is a condition of the Student's participation in the PSL program.

8. We, the undersigned, have carefully read this Waiver of Claims and Release of Liability and Covenant not to Sue and understand its contents and sign it of our own free will.

THIS DOCUMENT IS A RELEASE OF LEGAL RIGHTS. CAREFULLY READ THE DOCUMENT AND BE CERTAIN YOU UNDERSTAND THIS RELEASE BEFORE SIGNING.

 Parent/Guardian Signature
 (Required for Students under 18)

 Student Signature

 Parent/Guardian Name (Print)

 Student Name (Print)

 Date

 Date

 Parent/Guardian Signature
 (Required for Students under 18)

 Parent/Guardian Name (Print)

 Date