



LEARNING ELEMENTS

LOCAL WALKING OUTINGS STANDING CONSENT, RISK ACKNOWLEDGEMENT & LIMITED RELEASE

Sign only if consenting. This form applies to routine, low-risk local outings during the current enrolment period.

1. STUDENT INFORMATION

Student Full Name

Date of Birth

Age

Grade

2. PARTICIPATION REQUIREMENT AND SCOPE

SIGNED CONSENT REQUIRED

Only a student with this completed and signed form may participate in local outings. A student without this signed form will remain at Learning Elements and participate in supervised on-site activities.

I am the parent/legal guardian of the student named above and authorize the student, during the current enrolment period, to participate in routine, low-risk local outings led and supervised by Learning Elements staff. Outings will normally be on foot to nearby parks, playgrounds, libraries or community spaces within a reasonable walking distance. The specific destination, route, date and time may vary and may not be separately notified in advance.

This form does not authorize motor-vehicle transportation, swimming or water activities, skating, cycling, climbing, contact sports, inflatables, overnight travel, or any materially higher-risk activity. Separate written consent is required. Any third-party waiver must also be provided separately for review and signature.

3. SUPERVISION, SAFETY AND EMERGENCY RESPONSE

Learning Elements will provide reasonable care and supervision appropriate to the students' ages, the activity, known needs, location and applicable law; use reasonable group-management and counting procedures during departure, transitions, the activity and return; and carry a reasonable means of contacting Learning Elements, parents and emergency services. The student must remain with the group, stay within designated areas and follow staff, pedestrian-safety and facility instructions. Learning Elements may end participation, return the student to the centre and require early pick-up if a safety concern arises. If a student separates from the group or is unaccounted for, Learning Elements will promptly take reasonable steps to locate the student, supervise the remaining students, notify relevant venue or security personnel and the parent/legal guardian, and contact 911, police or emergency services if the student cannot be promptly located or an immediate safety risk exists.

4. RISK ACKNOWLEDGEMENT AND LIMITED RELEASE

Routine local outings involve ordinary and inherent risks that cannot be completely eliminated through reasonable precautions, including pedestrian and traffic crossings; uneven ground, curbs, slips, trips and falls; playground equipment; minor contact with other children; weather, heat, cold and sun; insects, plants, accidental allergen exposure, dogs, wildlife, members of the public, public facilities and ordinary illness exposure.

I understand these risks and voluntarily permit the student to participate. To the extent permitted by applicable law, I accept for myself, and acknowledge on the student's behalf, the ordinary and inherent risks that remain despite reasonable care and safety measures.

LIMITED RELEASE

To the extent permitted by applicable law, I agree to release Learning Elements and its owners, employees, teachers, volunteers and authorized representatives from liability for injury, loss or damage to the extent arising from the ordinary and inherent risks described above or from the student's unauthorized separation or deliberate refusal to follow safety instructions, provided that Learning Elements exercised reasonable care and supervision and complied with applicable law. Nothing in this form excludes or limits liability, statutory or consumer rights, or duties that cannot lawfully be excluded or limited under applicable Ontario law.

5. PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN ACKNOWLEDGEMENT AND SIGNATURE

By signing, I confirm that I have authority to provide this consent; the student's current enrolment health and emergency information remains complete and accurate; I consent to the outings within the scope above; I understand the risk acknowledgement and limited release; and I may withdraw consent in writing for future outings.

Parent/Legal Guardian Name

Phone

Parent/Legal Guardian Signature

Date