

CONSENT TO PARTICIPATE IN SAVE THE BAY'S EDUCATION PROGRAM (TEACHER/CHAPERONE'S WAIVER FORM & GUIDELINES)

Dear Participant/Teacher/Chaperone:

Through your organization, you will be participating in one of Save The Bay's educational programs. Save The Bay, Inc. is a member-based, non-profit organization that relies on memberships, grants and foundation support to continue our mission: *To Protect and Improve Narragansett Bay*. Please visit our website at www.savebay.org for more information.

During this program, you will learn about the ecology of Narragansett Bay by doing hands-on activities that may include a marine science cruise, a shoreline discovery walk or by exploring the underwater world of Narragansett Bay at our Exploration Center and Aquarium in Newport or at our Bay Center in Providence.

Save The Bay has provided marine-based environmental education for over 30 years. Over the years, we have earned the trust of teachers, parents and students throughout southern New England. We are proud to call ourselves a partner in education. Between our school-based and public programs, our educators work with over 40,000 people annually. Our Education staff are trained in First Aid/CPR and regularly hone their skills through participating in professional workshops. Our boat captains are licensed through the US Coast Guard. All of our education vessels are custom built to meet or exceed rigid US Coast Guard regulations. When aboard one of our education vessels, all participants under the age of 18 wear a Personal Flotation Device. To find out more about our education program, please visit our website at: www.savebay.org/education

Please note that if you do not sign the form, your will not be able to participate in the field experience.

IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS: Please feel free to contact me, Bridget Prescott, Director of Education at, 401-272-3540 ext. 137 or bkubis@savebay.org.

Please keep this page for your records, and sign the bottom of the next page indicating consent and return it with you.

We look forward to introducing you and your group to Narragansett Bay soon!

Sincerely,
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Bridget Kubis Prescott, Director of Education



Participant's Signature

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PLEASE READ CAREFULLY

RIGHT TO USE IMAGE. I irrevocably give, grant, and convey to Save The Bay, its successors, agents, and assigns, without compensation to me, or my Ward, the absolute right and unrestricted permission to copyright and/or use and/or publish (1) my name or the name of my Ward, (2) my image or my Ward's image or likeness on videotape or digital imaging, and (3) photographic pictures of me or my Ward, made through any media, in connection with photos or videotape taken of me or my Ward for any legal purpose whatsoever, including but not limited to the promotion of Save The Bay. I further waive any right that I or my Ward may have to inspect or approve the finished product. The videotape, photographs, and negatives will be the sole property of STB. I have read the foregoing and fully understand its contents.

CHECK AND SIGN ONE ONLY (A or B)

(A)CHECK IF YOU AGREE TO BE VIDEOTAPED AND/OR PHOTOGRAPHED DURING THIS PROGRAM AND GIVE CONSENT FOR THE PHOTOGRAPHIC OR VIDEO IMAGES TO BE USED ON SOCIAL MEDIAL OR OTHER PUBLICATIONS, FOR PRESENTATIONS ON SAVE THE BAY'S WEBSITE AND OTHER PROMOTIONAL MATERIAS, AND ACKNOWLEDGE THAT SUCH IMAGES OR VIDEOS WILL BE THE SOLE PROPERTY OF SAVE THE BAY:
Signature of parent or guardian: Date: OR
(B) CHECK IF YOU DO NOT WANT YOUR NAME OR IMAGE TO BE USED AS STATED ABOVE AND NOTIFY THE SAVE THE BAY STAFF AND/OR A LEADER OF THE SCHOOL THAT YOU DO NOT WANT HIS OR HER IMAGE TO BE USED.
Signature of parent or guardian: Date:



TEACHER/CHAPERONE GUIDELINES & AGREEMENT

Save the Bay Education programs are designed to be field-based, hands-on, inquiry driven, and guided by experienced Save the Bay Educators.

Your primary responsibility as chaperone is to **Assist the Educators** with:

- > Ensuring **SAFETY** of the group, and
- ➤ Helping foster a **COOPERATIVE TEAM ENVIRONMENT**.

Chaperones must:

- ➤ Be physically able to participate in all activities;
- ➤ Be a positive role model;
- > Be an active member of the team:
- ➤ Allow the educator to be the primary guide;
- ➤ Allow the educator to be the primary care giver in an emergency situation.
- *For Providence Bay Center field trips, check that the bus is parked at its specified parking lot (for bus) and not in the general parking areas for cars.

Chaperones must refrain from:

- Using tobacco products;
- Using electronic devices (like cell phones) unless absolutely necessary;
- Being alone with a student/participant;
- Interfering with student learning;
- Physically handling a participant, unless the participant poses an imminent threat to the safety of him/herself or others:
- Administering any medications to children other than your own;
- Treating your family member different from other participants.

Teacher/Chaperone Name
Teacher/ Chaperone Signature

School representing:

Teacher/Chaperone Contact Information (for our records only):

Address
City, State
Email Address

Email Address