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AGREEMENT TO PARTICIPATE IN FIELD TRIPS AND OFF-CAMPUS ACTIVITIES

- Nature of Activity:** Maharishi Academy regularly conducts class field trips and special activities off the School's premises as an enrichment of the educational experience of your child. We have found these trips to be an exciting and enjoyable means to enhance the learning experience, though they involve a considerable additional degree of responsibility for our teachers and the Academy. In order to successfully continue these programs, we believe it is important that the student and parent be aware of their special responsibilities. We appreciate your reviewing and signing this Agreement to Participate at least annually, should you wish your child to continue to participate in these optional programs. Should you have any questions concerning these programs or any particular field trip, or special activity, please do not hesitate to contact us. We thank you for your cooperation.
- Insurance:** Our Academy provides a Student Accident insurance plan for the benefit of your child. However it may not cover any or all of a claim you may have as a consequence of an on or off campus school activity.
- Risks and Release:** The risks involved in any off-campus activity may be greater than those occurring on-campus in an environment we can more closely control and monitor. In balancing the risks against the advantages of such off-campus programs, the Academy has decided that we would like to continue these programs. However, in consideration for offering these off-campus programs, we kindly request that you, as the students' legal guardian, on behalf of your child and yourself, agree to release the Academy from any liability for uninsured or underinsured claims arising from these off-campus programs, other than student accident insurance claims, that may arise as a result of the Academy's negligence. This includes acts or omissions of our teachers, staff, volunteers, trip supervisors, agents, officers or trustees. Thank you for signing below to indicate your agreement.
- Request and Medical Authorization:** By signing below, you also request that your child be allowed to participate in any field trip or special off-campus school activity planned by the Academy for his participation and you consent to his participation in those activities throughout the school year. You also agree to the provision of any emergency medical procedures or treatment required for your child during any such activity and consent to the trip supervisors taking, arranging for, or consenting to these procedures or treatment.
- Instructions:** You understand that your child's continuing participation is based on his following all instructions from the Academy's representatives.

Name of Child(ren):

1. _____
Last First Middle

Agreed by (Parent) _____
(Name printed) (Name signed) (Date)