

Whitehead Institute Expedition: Bio Waiver and Release of Claims

I, _____ the undersigned parent of _____, a minor, do hereby consent to his/her/their participation in the Whitehead Institute for Biomedical Research's ("WIBR's") Expedition: Bio Program that utilizes teachers, projects and materials from Whitehead Institute's Partnership for Science Education ("Program") and will occur on a selected session of either July 8-19 or August 12-23, 2024. I understand that the Program will be comprised of guided learning experiences that my child will participate in onsite at Whitehead Institute, 455 Main Street, Cambridge, MA.

I understand that this is not a demonstration laboratory but a working lab where various hazards may exist. Whitehead personnel and scientific staff will conduct the session and ensure that no radioactive, toxic, nor hazardous materials will be in active use in proximity to students during the duration of the program.

I understand that my child will be expected to observe all safety requirements and Whitehead rules, including being supervised at all times during this visit.

I understand that this event may be photographed and/or videotaped by Whitehead Institute staff, representatives or collaborators. I authorize the use of any such photographs and/or videotape for any lawful purpose in print or electronic form including printed or electronic publications or communications, websites, or other means of distribution or transmission, now known or hereafter developed. I hereby waive any right to inspect or approve any such media and authorize the use of my child's likeness in perpetuity and without any compensation to me. I hereby assign all right, title and interest in and to all such media capturing my child's likeness and agree that all such media shall be owned by Whitehead Institute.

I hereby forever release, acquit, discharge, and covenant to hold harmless Whitehead Institute for Biomedical Research from any and all actions, causes of action, and claims on account of, or in any way growing out of, directly or indirectly, the participation of my minor child in the Program, and all known and unknown personal injuries or property damage which may occur now or hereafter, which I may have as the parent of the minor child identified above, and also all claims or right of action for damages which the minor has or hereafter may acquire, either before or after he/she/they has reached his/her/their majority resulting from his/her/their participation in the Program.

Date

Parent's Signature