



Program Learning Contract & General Waiver for ECOS Nature Discovery

Student Name (print clearly) _____

Race/Ethnicity US Census Categories (our grant providers ask us to collect this data)
Please check all that apply to your child

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| <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian / Alaska Native | <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic or Latino |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asian | <input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Black or African American | <input type="checkbox"/> White |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Other / Prefer not to answer |

Green Works offers programming for students in Kansas City, Missouri. Programming involves components including but not limited to hands-on nature and science activities, outdoor recreation activities such as hiking or birding, field trips, service projects, or community events. This document covers participation in all programming including any Green Works event the students might participate in after high school.

Responsibilities of the Student

1. Practice honesty, be on time, and behave kindly to the instructors and other kids in the program. Maintain a cooperative attitude, proper health and grooming habits, dress appropriately and be willing to learn.
2. Participate fully in all activities, including service projects and field trips and dress appropriately for any projects and field trips (closed-toe shoes and socks, long pants or long skirts, or jackets and gloves when needed.)
3. Follow all rules communicated by staff including cell phone use and Covid.

Responsibilities of the Parent/Guardians

1. Encourage your child to participate in all activities.
2. Share the responsibility for the conduct of your child including following cell phone rules.
3. Ensure your child has transportation to and from the program and is appropriately dressed.

Personal Conduct

Students will behave in a manner that is not disruptive, disrespectful, or unsafe. If a student behaves in a manner that is counter to this, participation will be swiftly terminated

Non-Discrimination

Green Works will not discriminate based on race, color, religion, sex, national origin, sexual orientation or physical disability.

Program Structure

Green Works programming typically involves classroom work, hands-on experiments or activities, outdoor nature and science activities, service projects, field trips, and community events. Signature of the parent/guardian on this document grants permission for the student to participate in all programming including field trips. Parents will be informed in advance of all field trips that involve vehicle transportation from the program host site.

Insurance Coverage

Students and parents/guardians are responsible for healthcare, accident, disability and hospitalization insurance and expenses. Green Works will not provide student insurance or cover these expenses. Student and parent/guardian assume full responsibility for any disclosed or undisclosed physical or emotional problems that might impair the student's ability to complete a Green Works program or participate fully. Student and parent/guardian release Green Works, and all partners including but not limited to the Missouri Department of Conservation, and the city of Kansas City, Missouri, from any liability for injury to student, damage to, or loss of student possessions.

Medical Treatment

Student and parent/guardian do hereby release and forever discharge Green Works and all Green Works' partners (including but not limited to those listed prior) from any claim whatsoever which arises or may hereafter arise on account of any first aid, treatment, or service rendered during a program.

Assumption of Risk

Student and parent/guardian understand that the programming activities may include work that may be hazardous and hereby expressly and specifically assume the risk of injury or harm in the activities and release Green Works and Green Works partners (including but not limited to those listed prior) from all liability for injury, illness, death, or property damage resulting from the activities. Staff will follow recommended Covid procedures; however, Green Works assumes no liability for virus transmission.

Photographic Release

Student and parent/guardian do hereby grant and convey unto Green Works and partners all right, title, and interest in all photographic images and video or audio recordings made by Green Works or program partners during Green Works activities including but not limited to any royalties, proceeds, or other benefits derived from such photographs or recordings.

Research and Evaluation Data Release

Student and parent/guardian do hereby grant and convey unto Green Works the right to share non-identifying student information including student's performance in Green Works programming with a third party for the purposes of research and evaluation.

Grievances

The grievance contact is Green Works President, Kate Corwin, 816-304-8400, kate@greenworksskc.org.

General Release

Student and parent/guardian release, discharge and covenant not to sue Green Works or any Green Works partner (including but not limited to those listed prior), their governing boards, employees or agents as to any and all liability that may arise out of injury, harm, or death to student, or property damage, resulting from participation in Green Works programming. This includes but is not limited to any injury arising in the course of third party transportation or walking to a program site.

Students and parent/guardian expressly agree that this Release is intended to be as broad and inclusive as permitted by the laws of the State of Missouri, and that this Release shall be governed by and interpreted in accordance with the laws of the State of Missouri. Student and parent/guardian agree that in the event that any clause or provision of this Release shall be held to be invalid by any court of competent jurisdiction, the invalidity of such clause or provision shall not otherwise affect the remaining provisions of this Release, which shall continue to be enforceable.

Emergency Aid

If I am not immediately available, I authorize the Green Works staff or volunteers to furnish and/or obtain emergency medical treatment if necessary for my child during their participation in the program.

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY, (if different from parent/guardian below -print clearly)

Name, telephone number _____

Signature:

Parent/Guardian Full name (print clearly) _____

Phone number _____ Email _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ **Date** _____