



# Jupiter Christian School

## Consent, Waiver of Liability, and Medical Release for School Trip and Traveler's Covenant

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade: 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> Grade

Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Activity: Middle School Retreat

Destination(s): Palm Beach Gardens Aquatic Center – Burns Road

Date of Departure: 8/23/19 Time of Departure: 7:50am Time of Return: 2:50pm Where to Return from: Bible Teacher or Upper School Office

### Traveler's Covenant

By my signature below (student and parent recognition of review), I promise to honor my group leader and the trust of the JCS authorities, in the following ways:

- I agree to make choices that reflect a sincere desire to uphold the peace, purpose, and purity of this trip and to refrain from involvement in any conduct that is detrimental to me, others in our group, or Jupiter Christian School. I do so with a clear understanding that this trip is a wonderful privilege which has been afforded to me. I therefore agree to comply with the standards and expectations of JCS as explained in the Parent and Student Handbook. Below are several specific policies which can affect the safety, productivity, and success of this trip for me and others.
- I agree to submit to the authority of my trip leader in all matters, including travel directives which may include but are not limited to the limits and boundaries regarding trip movement, and be punctual for all meeting times, attentively listen to information and instructions provided verbally and otherwise, and comply with all instructions.
- I agree to hold to hours of curfew and lights out requirements. My chaperones will be taking precautionary measures to ensure my safety and well-being for the evening, and I will in no way disrupt the trip or dishonor myself, peers, family, school, or others by violating these expectations.
- I agree to submit to all JCS policies regarding drug, alcohol and tobacco use and the purchase thereof.
- I agree to submit to JCS policy regarding the physical display of affection toward others.
- I agree to submit to JCS policy and wear clothing that is both modest and appropriate.
- I will immediately comply, without argument, with any instruction given by a chaperone as they act *in loco parentis* and care for my well-being.
- I agree to be respectful toward all persons and conduct myself in an upright manner. This includes, not just fellow JCS travelers and strangers, but also taking into consideration the laws and social customs of the place of travel.
- Should I become aware of any violation of the above statements or of any in the Parent Student Handbook, I will report this to my group leader immediately.

**Consequences** - Failure to adhere to policies and procedures may result in consequences including, but not limited to, the following:

- Immediate return home from the trip with the entirety of expenses (including any accompanying chaperone) borne by the parent/guardian.
- Expulsion or suspension from school.
- Placement on Behavioral Contract which may include forfeiture of participation in extra-curricular activities during the term of contract.
- Forfeit all overnight JCS trips for the duration of the school year and beyond as determined by school administration.
- Any additional consequences during or after the trip which are in conjunction with the principles and policies found in the Parent Student Handbook.

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Student Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

### Consent, Waiver of Liability, and Medical Release

- I hereby, willingly, authorize consent for my child to attend this trip. I acknowledge the risks involved in off-campus trips, including overnight, local, domestic, and overseas trips. I understand the inherent dangers of travel; transportation; potential interaction with those not affiliated with the school and others whose paths may cross while away from campus; local (to the destination and along the way) customs, health concerns, criminal activity, meteorological occurrences, and other factors. On behalf of my minor child, myself and my spouse, I release Jupiter Christian, its employees, chaperones, agents and other representatives of Jupiter Christian from any and all responsibility and liability for any injuries or any damage to my child or my child's property and I hereby release Jupiter Christian from any claim, demand, injury or damages whatsoever, including without limitation, those damages from acts of passive or active negligence on the part of Jupiter Christian, its employees, chaperones, agents and other representatives. I do hereby expressly forever release and discharge Jupiter Christian, its employees, chaperones, agents and other representatives from all such claims, demands, injuries, damages, actions or causes of action. I acknowledge that I have carefully read this paragraph and full understand that this is a waiver and release of any and all liability.
- I grant permission for JCS personnel and coordinating organizations, if applicable and necessary, to act in my place, for the best interest of my child, in the event of a need for any medical attention and I am unable to be reached, or in case of an emergency where time is determined essential by accompanying school personnel. I agree to bear all costs with my insurance provider for transportation, medical treatment, emergency care, and all other related costs. No costs shall remain with the school or school personnel for the entire care of my child. Any charges made on behalf of my child for his/her care will be placed on my child's school account.
- I have provided JCS, in writing or via the online enrollment process, all pertinent medical information for my child's well-being on the trip.
- If my child causes any property damage, personal injury, or other, solely or in concert with others, I will bear the cost of any and all remunerations to all parties, including local agencies including legal expenses, local entities, and to JCS if determined appropriate by JCS administrative personnel.
- I have read all the information regarding this trip. I am aware of the purpose, itinerary, guidelines, accommodations, and contact information provided for a JCS person accompanying the students.
- I am not aware of any psychological or physical reason, diagnosed or otherwise, why my child cannot participate and comply with any guideline, chaperone directive, or expectation which has been presented for the trip or found in conjunction with the Parent Student Handbook. I also agree to inform the Upper School Principal in writing if I become aware any time prior to departure.
- If JCS is providing transportation, the student must travel on the JCS provided transportation unless JCS will not be providing transportation back to school. If JCS is not providing transportation back to school, the student may drive their personal vehicle or have their parent drive them. They may not transport other students. If a student misses the bus, it is his/her responsibility to secure transportation. If JCS is not providing transportation, it is the responsibility of student and parent to arrange transportation.

I have read, affirm, and support the Traveler's Covenant and agree to the Consent, Waiver of Liability, and Medical Release.

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Parent Signature

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Date