

Amsterdam School Annual Parent Consent & Release Form

We require that you and your children *sign this form to indicate your consent* in three areas vital to school operations; the student handbook, field trips, and technology use. Please read it carefully, sign in the appropriate places, and *return to school ASAP*. Your signature on this paper verifies the statements in each of the four sections below.

Handbook Consent:

I will read the *10-11 Amsterdam School Handbook* when received (due out the week of 9/13/10) and familiarize myself and my children with the policies and guidelines.

Field Trip Consent:

During the school year the teachers will schedule field trips which will take the students on educational experiences away from the school. Parents will be notified of these field trips as they are scheduled by a written notice sent home with the student. This notification will tell the nominal cost (if any) for each student as well as the place, date, and time of the field trip. School district personnel will take all normal precautions to ensure student safety on all trips.

Field Trip Release:

On field trips during the school year I hereby expressly relieve, indemnify, save and hold harmless the Amsterdam School District, the Board of Trustees of the district, and all agents or employees thereof from and against any and all liability or claims arising from injury or damage to person or property or both caused by or resulting from said child's acts, omissions or conduct while on said trip. I also release and relieve the aforementioned district and personnel from any and all liability or claims arising from injury or damage suffered or incurred by said child as a result of the acts, omissions, or conduct while on said trips. I also release and relieve the aforementioned district and personnel from any and all liability or claims arising from injury or damage suffered or incurred by said child as a result of the acts, omissions, or conduct of any person, other than the negligence of said district or personnel. It is further understood that I shall have the responsibility of advising said child of the risks, which are known or should be known, of such trips. I further agree to assume the responsibility of seeing that my child cooperates and conforms to the fullest extent with the school directions and instructions of the school officials in charge.

Acceptable Technology Use Agreement & Release:

I have read and agree to the *Amsterdam School Information Technology Policy Handout*. I understand that if I violate the rules my computer privileges can be terminated and I may face other disciplinary measures. I give permission for my child to use the **Internet** for educational purposes. I hereby release the district, its personnel, and any institutions with which it is affiliated, from any and all claims and damages of any nature arising from my child's use of, or inability to use, the District system, including, but not limited to claims that may arise from the unauthorized use of the system to purchase products or services. I understand that I can be held liable for damages caused by my child's intentional misuse of the system.

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

Student Signatures: _____

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