

Human Informed Consent

Texas Middle School Science Fair Students (Junior Division)

Student Researcher(s): _____

Title of Project: _____

Hi! I'm working on a science fair project and would like your help. Please read this form with your parent or guardian. It explains what I'll be doing in my project and what I'll be asking you to do. If you agree to participate, please sign at the bottom.

About My Project

Why I'm doing this project: (Write your project purpose in simple words.)

What you'll be doing if you participate: (Explain the activity, survey, experiment, etc.)

How long it will take: (Example: "About 10 minutes.")

Are there any risks or things to watch out for?: (Example: "Increase in heart rate or breathing rate due to exercise")

How your privacy will be protected: (Example: "Your answers will stay private. I won't use your name in my project.")

Questions?

If you or your parent/guardian have any questions, you can contact:

Adult Sponsor/Teacher: _____ **Phone or Email:** _____

Your Participation is Voluntary

You don't have to participate if you don't want to, and you can stop at any time. You don't have to answer anything you're uncomfortable with.

Sign below if you agree to help me:

Adult Informed Consent or Minor Assent:

Date Reviewed & Signed: _____

Research Participant Printed Name

Signature

Parental/Guardian Permission: (if applicable)

Date Reviewed & Signed: _____

Parent/Guardian Printed Name

Signature