

# FRIENDS ACADEMY

## Parent/Guardian Permission Form for Off-Campus Activities or Trips SOPHOMORE CLASS RETREAT DAY!

**Trip To:** Metropolitan Museum of Art, Central Park near 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Manhattan, NY  
**Trip Date:** September 18, 2015

### Educational Purpose:

To provide students the opportunity to retreat together as a class for a fun-filled day in the city, enjoying a Scavenger Hunt Adventure organized by Watson Tours at the Metropolitan Museum of Art, followed by lunch outdoors outside the museum which is located on 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue in Central Park in Manhattan.

### Permission to Participate

My child \_\_\_\_\_ may participate in the trip to the Metropolitan Museum of Art in Manhattan, NY. I permit him/her to travel by coach bus and to return to Friends Academy upon completion of the trip. I understand that this is a wholly voluntary and extracurricular activity and that I am under no obligation to complete this agreement.

While events and trips have an educational purpose attending trips or events is considered a **privilege** not a right. The school reserves the right to prohibit a student from attending a trip or event based on their academic or behavioral standing/history. In most cases students on disciplinary probation or warning will be excluded from field trips.

### Details of Trip

We will leave school at 8:30 AM via coach bus and travel to New York City. The visit to the museum is projected to last 2 hours, after which time we will have lunch. Busses will leave for transportation back to Friends at 2:45 PM. Approximate arrival time to Friends Academy is 4:15-4:45 PM. The advisors for the 10<sup>th</sup> Grade class will be chaperoning the trip.

### Student Behavior and Discipline

I acknowledge that my child must strictly adhere to Friends Academy's Fundamental Standards of behavior as described in the Student and Parent Handbook. I acknowledge that I have read and discussed the rules and expectations with my child. The school will handle all discipline cases in accordance with the policies and procedures described in the Student and Parent Handbook.

### Hold Harmless Agreement and Release

In consideration for being allowed to participate in this activity, I agree to hold the supervisor(s) and coordinator(s) of this activity, Friends Academy, its Board of Trustees, agents, officers and employees harmless for any and all direct, indirect, special or consequential damages, or costs, legal or otherwise, which I may incur as a result of my participation in this activity(ies) even if due to the negligence of Friends Academy or any person serving in the above-identified capacities

**Signature of Participant:**

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature of Parent/Guardian:**

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

Please return this form no later than:

September 15, 2015

## WATSON ADVENTURES

### Waiver for the Scavenger Hunt

I understand that the Watson Adventures scavenger hunt does not entail or require any action involving risks that exceed the normal risks of walking and taking transportation in a city. I acknowledge that I am responsible for my own safety and well-being during the Watson Adventures LLC scavenger hunt. I willingly and knowingly assume for myself, and my heirs, family members, executors, administrators and assigns, all risk of physical injury and emotional upset which may occur during the Watson Adventures LLC scavenger hunt, and I hereby agree to hold Watson Adventures LLC, its officers, employees, agents and/or volunteers, harmless from any and all liability arising out of my participation in the hunt.

Print name of scavenger hunt participant: \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent or Legal Guardian must sign for persons under the age of 18**

Signature of Parent or Legal Guardian of Applicant

\_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name of Parent or Legal Guardian of Applicant

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