



Note: A signed copy of this document must be on file in the WCA office prior to the student starting classes for the 2020-21 school year.

Waiver of Liability and Health Screening Agreement

Whitefish Christian Academy intends to conduct in person instruction for the 2020-21 school year to the full extent it can safely do so under governing law and best practices given the limitations inherent in our small school. I/We (individually and jointly hereinafter "I") have been provided and am familiar with WCA's general procedures relevant to in-person instruction for the 2020-21 school term. Although WCA has a plan to help protect program participants, I/we understand that WCA cannot fully protect my child/student and/or family from risks which may be encountered as a result of my child attending the school and/or my family participating in any school-sponsored program this year.

Specifically, I realize there are "Covid-Related Concerns" relevant to attending WCA during the 2020-21 school year. "Covid-Related Concerns" for the purposed of this document includes Covid-related illnesses and is more fully defined as: natural, mechanical, and environmental conditions and hazards which independently or in combination with any activities may result in the exposure to certain risks including exposure to coronavirus (Covid-19), or to other biological agents, virus or similar bacteriological agent. It includes the necessity of being quarantined. It also includes any Covid-related or Covid-exacerbated illness that may result in medical care, known and unknown adverse effects, hospitalization, or even death.

I understand inherent risks and dangers are involved with participation in attending school and acknowledge the existence of risks which are not obvious or predictable. I intend this release to extend to injury or loss which results from both obvious or predictable risks, as well as risks that are unpredictable and not obvious or known, which may affect myself, my child/student, and my family. I understand that we are in dynamic times with issues arising from Covid-19, and I have an obligation – independent and separate from WCA -- to stay current regarding "Covid-Related Concerns" and best practices so that I can make the most appropriate decisions for my family with respect to participate in WCA programming. I will not rely on WCA for that information. I recognize that the fact that WCA may be offering certain programming does not mean participation in that programming is appropriate for my child/family.

I agree that prior to coming to campus, a parent/guardian will conduct a daily health screening to ensure that my/our children do not enter WCA campus (or attend an off-campus WCA activity) if they have any coronavirus symptoms, if they are required to stay home under any WCA guidelines, or if I otherwise have any concerns about their health or the health of others who will be on campus. I authorize WCA personnel to take my child's temperature without further permission at any time if WCA has a concern that a fever may be detected.

In consideration of myself, my child, and my family, I, and any legal representatives, heirs and assigns, hereby release, waive, and discharge WCA, its officers, directors, employees, agents, and representatives from all liability for any loss or damage, and any claim of damages resulting therefrom, on account of any injury, illness or exposure (including but not limited to medical

expenses, injury and/or death) relevant to "Covid-Related Concerns" by me or my child/family attendance at and participation in WCA programming.

I agree to indemnify WCA, its officers, directors, employees, agents, and representatives from any loss, liability, damage, or cost that may be incurred due to my child/student/family member participation in WCA programming, whether caused by WCA or otherwise. I fully understand that risks exist (and that some risks may be unknown) with respect to participation WCA programming and "Covid-related Concerns", and I, on my behalf and behalf of my family, agree to assume those risks, known or unknown.

This release, waiver, and indemnity agreement is intended to be as broad and inclusive as permitted by applicable laws and that if any portion thereof is held invalid, it is agreed that the balance shall, notwithstanding, continue in full legal force and effect.

I understand that by signing this agreement, I am giving up on behalf of my child/student and myself/family certain legal rights and remedies including the right to recover damages in the event of death, personal and/or bodily injury of any kind, property loss or damage, expenses of any nature whatsoever including attorney's fees, and other losses that my student(s)/family or that I may sustain in association with my family's participation in the program.

I HAVE CAREFULLY READ THE FOREGOING RELEASE AND KNOW AND UNDERSTAND THE CONTENTS THEREOF. I SIGN THIS RELEASE VOLUNTARILY WITH FULL KNOWLEDGE OF ITS SIGNIFICANCE, INTENDING TO BE LEGALLY BOUND THEREBY.

Dated this _____ day of _____, 2020.

Parent/guardian printed name: _____

Parent/guardian signature: _____

Parent/guardian printed name: _____

Parent/guardian signature: _____

