Weber State University Field Trips Statement of Understanding/Release

http://www.weber.edu/ppm/Policies/4-10 FieldTrips.html

STATEMENT OF UNDERSTANDING:

I hereby acknowledge and agree that:

- 1. I expect and intend to participate in one or more field trips sponsored by Weber State University during the current academic year ending June 30.
- 2. In consideration of the university's sponsorship and direction of field trip(s), I hereby state that I have read and understand the terms and conditions of *Weber State University's Field Trips Policy and Procedure* (PPM Section 4-10) and specifically agree to be bound by it.
- 3. I agree and understand that during the field trip I will be under the care, control and custody of a field trip director approved by Weber State University, and I specifically agree to comply with all reasonable directions and instructions from the trip director during the trip.
- 4. I understand that if I do not comply with this policy, I will be required to reimburse the University for transportation costs required to return me to the campus.
- 5. I fully understand and acknowledge that there are specific risks of injury to person and/or property that are associated with field trips, including risks related to travel hazards, terrain, weather, eating and sleeping arrangements, and other circumstances. I also certify and represent that I am not presently under any form of medical treatment for physical infirmity, chronic illness, or mental disorder that could affect my safe participation in field trip activities.
- 6. I fully understand and acknowledge the following about the field trip accident insurance policy the university provides:
 - a. The insurance only provides coverage for activities undertaken during the field trip or during travel to or from the field trip destination while *directly supervised* by the university-appointed trip director.
 - b. The insurance only provides medical coverage for illness or death due to accidents.
 - c. The insurance requires payment of \$100 deductible for a medical claim.
 - d. The insurance maximum limits are \$10,000 medical and \$25,000 accidental death or dismemberment.
 - e. The insurance is a reimbursement type policy which requires the participant to:
 - 1) Pay for any medical services at the time they are provided.
 - 2) Request and complete the necessary claim forms from the university Department of Public Safety upon return from the field trip.
 - 3) Submit the forms to the university's insurance carrier along with the required medical receipts.

RELEASE:

- 7. I have read this *Statement of Understanding/Release* and agree to the terms set forth herein.
- 8. I further agree to release Weber State University, its employees, agents and volunteers from any and all liability for any claims I may have for damages as a result of my participation in this field trip.

Participant's Name	Participant's Signature	Date
(If participant is under age 18, at	t least one parent or legal guardian must sign bel	low.)
Parent's or Legal Guardian's Name and Signature		Date