



Permission for Supervised Walks/Excursions & Field Trip Policy

I, _____, give permission to City Neighbors Hamilton
print parent/guardian name

Charter School to escort my child, _____,
print child's full name

entering grade _____, on any excursions and/or walks planned and supervised by school personnel.

I understand that individual permission slips will be provided to me in advance for all-day excursions and/or field trips that require my child to be transported by vehicle. In the event that I refuse permission for my child to participate in a field trip or all-day excursion, or my child doesn't arrive on time, I understand that my child will remain behind with another class or supervised by other school staff. I understand that my child will not be permitted to participate in any field trip or all-day excursion unless a signed permission slip is on file in the school office. I understand that verbal permission is not sufficient for my child to be able to participate in field trips or all-day excursions.

Parent/Guardian signature _____ Date _____

This authorization is in effect for the school year 2011-2012.

Please check one of the following:

I may sometimes be available to act as chaperone on walking excursions. Please contact me at the following phone number and/or email address:

I will be unable to act as a chaperone on walking excursions.

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Walking Excursions

Throughout the course of the school year, teachers will utilize the neighborhood surrounding City Neighbors Hamilton as a valuable learning resource by taking walking excursions around the community.

These excursions may be planned or spontaneous and might include nature walks, exploration to gain familiarity with surroundings, photography, the collection of material used for lessons, or many other learning opportunities.

Please be sure your child dresses appropriately for these outings.

Field Trips

Field trips are not only enrichment opportunities, they are an integral component of the CNH program. Field trips bring learning to life, connect students to the larger world, and often help make the theoretical real.

Advance notice will be given for field trips, via the Monday Mailer, and parents/guardians will be required to sign permission slips in order for their child to attend each scheduled field trip.

Please let your child's teacher know in advance if your child will not be able to participate in a field trip. If your child does not return a signed permission slip or if your child does not arrive on time, he/she will not be allowed to participate in the field trip. If your child does not participate in a field trip, he/she will be given appropriate schoolwork while being supervised by other school staff.

Adult supervision will be provided for all school-sponsored trips, and parents are often needed to chaperone. Parent chaperones are acting as agents of the school and responsible for the safety, behavior, and well being of a group of children. A proper adult-student ratio is required in order for a field trip to occur.