

**WORTHINGTON FIELD STUDIES, INC.**  
**Pacific Northwest, SUMMER 2006**

**1A. STUDENT AGREEMENT TO PARTICIPATE**

1. I agree to participate in the Field Ecology study trip course offered by Worthington Schools in cooperation with Worthington Field Studies, Inc. (W.F.S.I.)
2. I have received a listing of trip rules and consequences. I understand them, and agree to abide by them.
3. I understand the importance of following directions, and also agree to abide by any and all decisions of the trip leaders.
4. I agree to act in a safe and responsible manner at all times.
5. I agree to put the safety and welfare of the group first.
6. I agree to allow W.F.S.I. to use photographs of me on their website at [www.wfsinc.org](http://www.wfsinc.org) to promote future student trips. I understand that any photographs of me will not identify me by name.

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Student Signature

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Date

**1B. ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RISK**

I recognize that certain risks and dangers are involved in the trip. These include loss or damage to personal property, as well as injury or death due to items such as:

1. Inclement weather factors such as storms, high winds, flooding, lightning, cold temperatures, snow and ice.
2. Possibility of being hit by falling rocks or trees dislodged by others or by the forces of nature.
3. Accidents while traveling in motorized or non-motorized vehicles.
4. Accident or illness in remote places without immediate medical facilities available.
5. Falls or tumbles while hiking or climbing.
6. Drowning, hypothermia, or sun exposure.
7. Unpredictable actions of wildlife and insects.

I understand the dangers inherent in the trip activities, and appreciate the possible consequences of the risks involved - including the possibility of injury or death that could result from participation.

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Student Signature

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Date

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Parent Signature

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Date