

STUDENT AGREEMENT

This form is to be completed by the student.

If I am accepted as a student under the sponsorship of the School District No. 69 (Qualicum) International Program, I agree to obey and uphold the following rules and regulations:

1. Drinking of alcoholic beverages, except with the host family on appropriate occasions, is prohibited.
2. Use of non-prescription drugs is prohibited.
3. Operation of motor vehicles is prohibited.
4. Complying with all host family rules is obligatory. This applies especially to curfew rules.
5. Complying with all school rules is required.
6. I must return to my home country within the time limit prescribed in my letter of invitation.
7. In the event of problems, I will contact Mr. Ross Pepper before I contact my parents or the representative in my country.
8. Travel outside the School District when not accompanied by host family requires permission from program directors.
9. I must obey all Canadian laws including immigration status requirements.
10. Since I will be living with a family other than my own, I agree to regard the parent as my own, and respect them in every way. I understand that I will not be staying as a guest in the home, but as a family member, as is proper and usual in the country of my exchange family.
11. I understand that a good academic effort will be expected of me while participating in the Qualicum School District International Programs. I understand that should I exhibit disruptive behaviour that might result in my suspension from school, I may be sent home at my own expense.

If I do not respect the rules outlined above, I understand that I may be sent home at my own expense.

I further understand that as a representative of my homeland, I must be a good citizen and uphold and obey the laws of my host country. I agree to attend all orientation and preparation programs as recommended to me by the Qualicum School District International Programs representative.

Parent Signature: _____

Student Signature: _____

Date: _____



Risk Waiver

Qualicum International Student Programs



In consideration of the Qualicum International Education Program, and the School District 69 (Qualicum) offering my son or daughter _____ an opportunity to participate in a high risk outdoor recreational program, including kayaking, climbing, hiking, canoeing, snowboarding, skiing and surfing, I agree to waive any and all claims I may have against, and release from all liability and agree not to Qualicum International Education Program, School District No.69 (Qualicum),The Board of Trustees of School District No. 69(Qualicum) and its officers, employees, agents, volunteers and representatives, and the Ministry of Education for any personal injury, death, property damage or loss sustained as a result of my son or daughter's participation in the outdoor activity arising out of any cause whatsoever, including negligence.

I hereby give my consent, and acknowledge by my signature that:

My son or daughter has no illnesses, allergies or disabilities that may require special attention, except as described here:

I am aware of the usual risks and dangers inherent in participation in all of the activities associated with the outdoor recreational program, and of the possibility of personal injury, death, property damage or loss resulting from the activities. The dangers and risks may include, but are not limited to:

1. Rugged terrain
2. Rock fall and avalanches
3. Weather
4. The possibility that your student may not heed safety instructions or restrictions given to the group
5. Equipment breakages, failures
6. Delayed rescue, accessibility
7. Conduct of the guide, chaperone or other group members

My son or daughter and I understand that the school's and program's Code of Conduct applies during any of the program sponsored outdoor activities listed above. I will be responsible for any costs caused by my child's failure to abide by the Code of Conduct, including any costs to send him or her home.

Accidents can be the result of the nature of the activity and can occur with or without any fault on either the part of the student, or the school board or its employees or agents, or the facility where the activity is taking place. By allowing your child to participate in this activity, you are accepting the risk of an accident occurring, and agree that this activity, as described above, is suitable for your son or daughter. In signing the Consent and Waiver, I am not relying on any oral or written representation or statements made by this School Board and its servants, agents, employees, or authorized volunteers, or the Ministry of Education, to induce me to permit my student to take the trip, other than those set out in this Consent and Waiver.

I am 19 years of age or more and have read and understand the terms of this consent and waiver, and understand that it is binding upon me, my heirs, executors and administrators.

Date: _____

Signature of Parents/Guardians

Printed Name of Parents/Guardians

Signature of Witness

Printed Name of Witness

Address: _____

Note: This consent and waiver must be signed by ALL custodial parents and guardians of a child who is under the age of 19 years.



Medical Release

Qualicum International Student Programs



We grant the Qualicum School District #69 International Student Programs custody of the participant while in Canada including, but not limited to, all necessary functions to act as legal guardians and "in loco parentis" in any situation, especially in emergencies, including the possibility of permission for surgical operations, or any other medical treatment. The Qualicum School District International Program shall be the only agency to authorize any medical or mental health treatment of the participant.

We authorize the Qualicum School District #69 International Program to return him/her to his/her country of origin at his/her cost or that of his/her parents, if necessary, to submit to medical treatment, if this is deemed necessary by the above-mentioned people, after consultation with medical authorities. We confirm that at the time of signing this document the participant enjoys satisfactory health.

We grant the Qualicum School District #69 International Program permission to act on our behalf in anything pertaining to possible representation before the local authorities. This authorization shall be valid for the entire duration of the Qualicum School District #69 International Program in which the student is participating.

Date: _____

Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian

Printed Name of Parent/Legal Guardian



Personal Information Consent

Qualicum International Student Program

Freedom of Information & Protection of Privacy (FOIPPA)

Schools and school districts are authorized to collect, use, and share student personal information that is directly related to and necessary for their educational functions. For other school or education related purposes, parental or student consent is required.

In accordance with the BC Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act, the Board of Education of School District 69 (Qualicum) and the Qualicum International Student Program are seeking your consent to collect, keep, use and share photographs, videos, images and/or names of students in a variety of publications and on the QISP or School District's website(s) for education related purposes, such as recognizing and encouraging student achievement, building the school community, and informing others about school and District programs and activities.

Personal Information Protection Act (PIPA)

Additionally, outside media (including radio, television, newspapers, and other print and online media) are sometimes permitted or invited to come to the school or to school activities and allowed to take photos or video, or conduct interviews with students for the purposes of promoting public understanding of school programs, building public support for public education, and encouraging student achievement.

Parents and guardians should be aware that when outside media are permitted access to schools for general journalistic purposes, the consent requirements of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act do not apply because the School District is not collecting, using or disclosing personal information. Media organizations are subject to the Personal Information Protection Act (PIPA) however, under PIPA, the media organization does not require consent if its purposes are purely journalistic.

Note: School and School District staff cannot control news media access, photos/videos taken by the media or others in public locations (such as field trips, or off school grounds) or school events open to the public, such as sports events, student performances, school board meetings, etc.

Please check "A" or "B". DO NOT check both.

A.	<input type="checkbox"/>	I GIVE MY CONSENT for the Qualicum International Student Program or School District 69 (Qualicum) to collect, keep, use and share my child's name and/or image for purposes consistent with the previously outlined information and for my child to participate in activities to which the outside media may be invited. I understand that images and information posted on the Internet may be stored and accessed outside of Canada.
B.	<input type="checkbox"/>	I DO NOT GIVE MY CONSENT to the use and disclosure of my child's name and/or image for the previously outlined information and request that the School District and its staff take all reasonable steps to avoid having my child's image or name collected or published by outside media when they are present in school or at school activities of the School or School District for this school year.

Signatures:

Student First and Last Name: _____

Student Signature: _____

Parent/Guardian First and Last Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Date: _____