

Magic Bus Centre for Learning & Development

Parent's Consent Form

Child's Name: _____

Age: _____

Name of School: _____

What is this form?

The consent of a parent of guardian is needed before your child takes part in a programme at the Magic Bus Centre for Learning & Development. The purpose of this form is to provide you with sufficient information so that you are fully informed when you decide to either decline or provide your consent.

What is it like at the Magic Bus Centre for Learning & Development?

Your child will be coming to a centre, which was built for the purpose of learning and development. They will be sharing a natural environment with birds, insects, snakes and animals that belong to this area. The centre is open all year round and your child will enjoy a variety of weather conditions depending on the time of year. Your child will be sleeping in a bunk bed in one of our airy dormitories or may also pitch and sleep in a tent if they take part in an outdoor overnight trek.

What will my child do there?

The beautiful Magic Bus Centre for Learning & Development is situated in a hilly, rural area, with a river flowing through it and is surrounded by flora and fauna. Your child could experience nature walks, activities in and around the river, treks and overnight camps. They will have the opportunity to play, engage in supervised games and enjoy the thrill of rock climbing, rappelling, balancing and working in teams on our challenge courses.

Why will he do these things?

We believe that by providing such experiences, your child is likely to take back to the city, important lessons around themselves, their environment and being with others.

Will it be risky?

Magic Bus will help your child experience the environment and will present them with exciting physical and mental challenges. We reduce risk by a process of close supervision, continual inspection; and all our staff follow documented health and safety procedures. We however cannot name, control or remove every kind of risk, as learning is enhanced by such challenges when experienced in a safe environment. You therefore need to understand that there are risks, which could lead to an injury. We do not want to frighten you but want you to be conscious of the fact that activities do include some inherent risk and that Magic Bus is no under liability whatsoever in retrospect to loss or damage of life, limb and property while attending the programme.

What to we need from your child?

To maintain our safe learning environment we need your child to follow all reasonable instructions from our staff and conform to our centre rules. In the unlikely event that we are unable to manage your child's behaviour the camp leader or Magic Bus staff has the right to send them back home. In the event of any damages to property and loss of equipment incurred through negligence, or other expenses we may also seek recovery of costs from you.

How does the insurance cover work?

We provide personal accident insurance to all participants on our programme, but not for pre-existing ailments.

Cover:

Personal accident up to Rs. 100,000

Medical expenses up to Rs. 50,000

If the instructions of Magic Bus staff or its support staff are not followed, all liability of Magic Bus shall lapse.

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So if I sign the consent, what does it mean?

- You have informed Magic Bus of all important medical information or needs of your child by completing the personal medical history form
- You understand the type of activities your child will experience
- You understand that although we take safety seriously we cannot remove all risks
- You give your permission in the unlikely event of an accident for us to arrange for medical care
- You understand that your child will need to act responsibly and reasonably
- You understand that our aim is to provide safe learning experiences for your child

I need to know more!

We would welcome any calls, questions or visits from parents or guardians with a need to know more.

As my child is under 18, I am signing as the parent or guardian to reflect my understanding and acceptance of the risks involved in attending programmes offered by the Magic Bus Centre for Learning & Development in accordance with the description above.

I give permission for my child to participate:

Name of parent or guardian: _____

Relationship: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____

Mobile: _____

Email: _____