



THE DIGITAL BUS STUDENT WAIVER

Parents/Guardians must read and sign this form PRIOR to their child participating in a project or program with The Digital Bus.

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Your child has the opportunity to participate in a project with The Digital Bus Program. Our mission is to cultivate skills and interest in science & technology among the youth of Hawai'i. During a Digital Bus project your child will utilize cutting edge technology & science equipment in the classroom & field environments to better understand their community's cultural, educational, & environmental literacy components. Some projects involve field-based research, in which case the classroom teacher will provide additional field trip permission forms and transportation arrangement information. *Please note The Digital Bus does not transport children. It is a mobile science and technology classroom which students use only while the bus is parked.

SECTION A: To be filled out by the Teacher	
Print Teacher Full Name:	School/Organization:
Project:	Date(s) Participated: July 2023 - August 2024
Island: <input type="checkbox"/> Maui <input type="checkbox"/> Moloka'i	<input type="checkbox"/> _____ (initial here). As the supervising organizer from the school/organization mentioned above, I will maintain supervision responsibilities of students during The Digital Bus Projects.

SECTION B: To be filled out by the Parent/Guardian	
Print Student's Full Name:	Grade:
Our/my child has our/my permission to participate in activities on and relating to The Digital Bus. We/I understand that my child will not be riding on The Digital Bus for transportation purposes, but that she/he will instead use The Digital Bus to participate in technology and science related learning activities. We/I understand these activities will take place in field (outdoor) and school classroom settings. We/I understand that any inappropriate or unacceptable conduct during our/my child's participation in the project, including inappropriate use of the internet, shall be grounds for revoking or suspending her/his access to and use of The Digital Bus. Furthermore, we/I understand that such conduct may result in additional discipline as determined by the student's school/organization.	

SECTION C: PHOTO/PUBLICATION RELEASE. *Signed letter of reason must be attached if opting out Of The Photo/Publication Release.*

Permission for Publication: We/I understand and agree that my child's work created or otherwise generated & photo while using The Digital Bus could be published on the internet at the sole discretion of the program. We/I understand and agree that my child's picture taken while participating in The Digital Bus project could be published either in print (i.e. brochures, fliers, newspaper) and/or on the internet (i.e. Digital Bus website) at the sole discretion of the program. No home address, telephone number, or last names will appear with such work or photographs. Children appearing in a group photo will not be identified individually.

Waiver and Release: On my/our behalf and on behalf of my/our child, I/we agree to waive and release The Digital Bus Program, any & all partnering programs, contractors, & funding sources (its officers, directors, employees, and agents) and agree not to sue any such person for any claims arising from the publication of my/our child's work or image generated while she/he participates in The Digital Bus Program/Project as set forth in this waiver form.

SECTION D: Strictly for reporting & funding purposes ONLY. Please fill in completely.

Ethnicity: Check all that applies.
 White or Caucasian Hispanic or Latino Japanese Hawaiian Black or African American
 Chinese Filipino Other: _____

Participant's Birthdate: _____ Gender: Male Female Non-binary

City: _____ Zip code: _____

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Parent/Guardian (Signature): _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian (Print): _____ Contact Phone: _____

Contact Email: _____