



Dear Parent/Guardian of _____,

Your child has been chosen to participate in trips to local colleges and high schools through their afterschool program, _____.

These trips will focus on college awareness and high school success through fun and informative activities co-facilitated by high school peer leaders and college students. The dates and locations of these trips are:

- Friday April 4, 2008: Trip to UMass Amherst
- Friday April 11, 2008: Trip to Holyoke Community College
- Friday April 18, 2008: Trip to Amherst College
- Wednesday April 23, 2008: Trip to Hampshire College plus tours of Dean Technical High School and Holyoke High School (to be confirmed)

We have rented a bus through UMass Amherst Field Trip services, which will pick your child up at their afterschool program _____ at _____pm for each trip, and we will drop off your child at their program **by 8pm on each of the Friday trips, and by 6pm on the Wednesday trip.**

On Friday May 9, 2008 in Holyoke, we will be hosting an evening event where we will provide your child with a certificate of completion for these trips. We will send you invitation with more details closer to the date of this event, and we hope that you will be able to attend.

If you have any questions or concerns feel free to contact Jelisa @ ---, Mishy @ --- or _____ at _____ from your child's program.

<u>Transportation Schedule</u>				
Pick Up Location (Note: youth should look for a school bus from UMass Field Trip Services)	Pick Up Time, Fri 4/4; 4/11; 4/18	Return Time, Fri 4/4; 4/11; 4/18	Pick Up Time, Wed 4/23/08	Return Time, Wed 4/23/08
NEARI Jump Start , 70 Summer St	3:20pm	By 8pm	10:40	By 6pm
El Arco Iris , corner of Sergeant St. and Canal St	3:30pm	By 8pm	10:50	By 6pm
Holyoke Boys and Girls Club , 70 Nick Cosmos Way	3:40pm	By 8pm	11am	By 6pm
TBA	3:45pm	By 8pm	11:05am	By 6pm

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Informed Consent Form for Upcoming College & High School Tours

As the parent or legal guardian of _____,
Full legal name of child

I hereby give my permission for this child to participate in a field trip to the following local colleges and schools on these dates:

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I understand that my child will be picked up at their afterschool program, _____ at _____ for each trip, and that they will be dropped off at their program by 8pm on each of the Friday trips, and by 6pm on the Wednesday trip.

I give permission for this child to participate in activities included in this field trip or activity, such as: transportation to and from the event (if applicable), physical activity (such as campus tours and games), and attendance at workshops/performances.

I give permission to the colleges to provide first aid, should the need arise. In the event of an emergency, I also give permission to the physician, selected by the adult in charge, to hospitalize or secure medical treatment for this child, as needed. _____ (Parent/Guardian's Initial)

Does this child have any medical conditions that we should be aware of?

Food or other allergies: _____ Respiratory issues: _____

Medications: _____ Other: _____

In case of emergency, I can be reached by phone at (home #) _____ (cell #) _____

If I cannot be reached, please contact _____ at (#) _____
Name of Emergency Contact

Print: _____ Signed: _____ Date: _____
Parent or Guardian

Student's Cell Phone #: _____ Student's Home #: _____

Do you give Student Bridges permission to take photographs, videotapes and interviews of this child, and to use these in printed materials (such as program newsletters & website)? Yes No

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