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PERMISSION AND RELEASE CONDITIONS

I (and parent or guardian if applicant is under 18) am an applicant for an educational tour provided by Adventure Student Travel, LLC (hereinafter referred to as "AST"). By signing this Application, I understand and agree to the following:

1. I understand that my tour begins and ends as set out in the Group Travel Agreement.
2. I agree to release, indemnify and hold harmless my school, my school board of education, my group leader, the chaperones on tour, AST and its affiliates (including parents, members, agents and employees of AST as well as AST itself) (the "Released Parties") from, and agree not to sue the Released Parties for, any claims that I may have arising from, or in connection with, any personal injury, bodily injury, mental anguish, emotional distress, physical, property or other damage that I may suffer from any cause whatever related in anyway to my participation in an AST tour. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, I release, indemnify and hold harmless the Released Parties from, and agree not to sue them for any personal injury, bodily injury, mental anguish, emotional distress, physical, property or other damage that I may suffer from the Released Parties' negligence other than from intentional or reckless acts by such parties. I further agree to release, indemnify and hold harmless the Released Parties from any and all acts of God, war (whether declared or undeclared), Terrorist activities, incidents of politically motivated violence, illness or quarantine, strikes or government restrictions or the acts or omissions of any other agents over which the Released Parties have no direct or indirect control, including, without limitations, airlines, railways, bus companies, hotels, shipping companies, guides and sub-contracted agents or tour operators. This release also includes activities not offered by AST that may be considered risky including, but not limited to, horseback riding, scuba diving, snorkeling, river rafting, etc.
3. I understand that an air carrier's liability for loss of or damage to baggage or property, or for death or injury to person, is limited by their tariffs, or the Warsaw Convention, or both. I also understand that a motor coach company's liability for loss of or damage to baggage or property, or for death or injury to person, is limited by their booking terms and conditions.
4. I agree to abide by all local laws when abroad, including those concerning drugs and alcohol. (Minors must have parents' permission to use alcohol even if the local law would otherwise permit them to.) I understand that if I abuse or disobey such laws, even unintentionally, I waive my right to a refund of any part of the fee. I also understand that should local authorities be involved, I will be subject to the laws of the country I am visiting.
5. I understand and agree that AST has the right to make changes in tour itineraries and departure dates, and to modify transportation arrangements, including the use of substitute airlines.
6. I understand that by enrolling in this tour, I have made the choice to travel with the teacher/chaperone organizing my group, and I understand that this choice is not the responsibility of AST. Such chaperones are not agents for, or employees of AST. The Released Parties shall not be liable for the actions, or non-actions, of the chaperones. I understand that a chaperone must accompany me on the tour.
7. I understand that it is my responsibility to secure the necessary travel documents (passport and visa[s]) unless specifically arranged for the groups by AST. Failure to do so does not constitute grounds for a refund.
8. I understand that I will be required to pay for any phone calls or incidental personal expenses that I incur at hotels, as well as for any damage I cause to hotel rooms, buses, or other property.
9. I understand that this tour has been designed for students, as reflected in the pacing, educational content, accommodations and other aspects of the tour.
10. I understand and agree that this agreement and AST's Group Travel Agreement constitute the entire agreement between AST and me with reference to the subject matter herein, and I do not rely upon any promises, inducements or agreements not herein, including but not limited to any oral statements made to me by any agents or employees of AST, or by my school. This agreement may be amended or modified only in writing, signed by both parties. The waiver by AST of any provisions of this Agreement shall in no way affect the remaining provisions of this Agreement, and this Agreement shall be interpreted as if such clause or provision were not contained herein.
11. I understand and agree that this agreement shall be governed in all respects, and performance hereunder shall be judged, by the laws of Missouri. In the event of any claim, dispute or proceeding arising out of my relationship with AST, or any claim which in contract, tort, or otherwise at law or in equity arises between the Released Parties, whether or not related to this agreement, the parties submit and consent to the exclusive jurisdiction and venue of the courts of the Missouri and of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Missouri.
12. I understand and consent that AST may use any film likenesses taken of me and any of my comments while on an AST tour for future publicity without compensation.
13. I understand that the Tour Fare presented to me by the group leader is based upon a minimum number of paying participants (unless otherwise noted) and the group's failure or inability to meet such minimum number of paying participants may necessitate changes to the Tour Package and/or increase the Tour Fare.
14. I understand that Adventure Student Travel reserves the right to pass along to myself and the group any and all fees, charges, and surcharges (including and without limitation to fuel surcharges) imposed by service providers, including and without limitation to airlines, motor coach companies, and other common carriers.

Sign your application only when you have read in full and understood the contents of this release agreement. This application must be signed and returned to AST, along with initial deposit.

Birth date of student traveler _____ Gender of traveler M F Passport ID # (Cruise/International Trips) _____

Print Name (student) _____ Print Name, Circle One: (parent/guardian) or (adult traveler) _____

Signature _____ Date _____ Signature _____ Date _____

Mailing address _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____ Email _____

School Name _____ Travel Dates _____