



# Chaperone Agreement Form

## Field Trips at The Ecclesial School

Field trips are designed to deepen and enrich student learning. These trips complement our nature studies program, connect students to the beauty, architecture, and life of the church, and bring insights into the history taught in each class. Our goal is to provide students with exciting, memorable experiences and parents an opportunity to experience learning with their child.

## Qualifications of a Chaperone

- Parent or guardian of a student has a valid background check on file.
- Demonstrates a track record of dependability and responsibility and a commitment to upholding the school's culture and discipline policy at all times. If driving students, has a valid driving record check, proof of insurance coverage, and valid driver's license on his or her person.

## Agreement

Because chaperones represent the school, appropriate and professional behavior is expected at all times for the duration of the trip. Each chaperone must agree to the following guidelines before attending a field trip.

I understand that chaperones are :

- Under the leadership of the trip leaders and must give them their full support.
- Vigilant, maintaining safety and ensuring that children are supervised at all times. They never let a child go anywhere alone.
- Fully engaged, setting aside work commitments and distractions like cell phones.

As a chaperone I will:

- Adhere to and will not deviate from the scheduled itinerary.
- Wear appropriate attire as an example to the students for field trip events.
- Refrain from all use of foul language or inappropriate conversation.
- Refrain from consuming alcohol, tobacco, or illegal drugs.

**By signing this form I affirm that I accept the responsibility of being a chaperone and agree to abide by all the above terms and to meet all requirements as specified by the trip leader.**

**Name (printed):** \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

I wish to contribute \$44 to cover the cost of obtaining a Background Check.

\_\_\_\_ Please bill my TADS account\_\_\_\_ I am including a check made out to "The Ecclesial Schools Initiative" (include "Background Check" in the memo line).