



**YMCA of Greater New York
New York YMCA Camp – Greenkill Outdoor Education Center**

Parental Agreement, Release, and Acknowledgement of Risk

1. I understand and acknowledge that the program, New York YMCA Camp, Greenkill Outdoor Education Center that I am entering my child into poses both known risks and unanticipated risks which include, but are not limited to, the points below.
2. This program entails certain risks which simply cannot be eliminated without jeopardizing the essential qualities of the activity. In addition to educational activities, my child may engage in physical activities including, but not limited to, outdoor activities, team building, wall climbing, hiking, sports and other athletic or recreational activities. Without a certain degree of risk, students would not improve their skills, and the enjoyment of the activity would be diminished.
3. The program exposes its participants to the usual risk of cuts and bruises. Other more serious risks exist as well. Participants can fall off equipment and suffer bodily injuries. Athletic and outdoor activities are inherently dangerous and I acknowledge this risk of injury.
4. I expressly agree and promise to accept and assume all of the risks existing in this activity with regard to my child. My child’s participation in this activity is purely voluntary, no one is forcing him/her to participate, and I elect to have him/her participate.

My signature below indicates that I have had sufficient opportunity to read this entire document and that I have read it, and agree to allow my child to participate in this program.

Name of Participant

School Name

Parent/Guardian Signature (if under 18)

Date

Name of Parent/Guardian

Parent/Guardian Phone #

Home Address

Email Address

Please return this form to the school as the school is required to hand these into Greenkill administration upon arrival. Thank you!