

PINELLAS COUNTY SCHOOLS
BOAT/MARINE ACTIVITY INFORMED CONSENT

I (We) hereby grant permission for _____ to board

_____ from _____
Vessel Marina

I understand the following:

- 1) My child will be in a marine environment and thus possibly be exposed to various hazardous elements (wild life, extreme heat and sunlight, wind, rain, seawater, insects, motor fumes, ropes, chains, etc).
- 2) My child may become seasick
- 3) My child will be required to wear a Personal Flotation Device at all times while aboard the boat.
- 4) Emergency medical response may be delayed while offshore.

Please provide the following checked items for your child.

___ Sunscreen	___ Hat
___ Water	___ Other _____
___ Towel	___ Other _____

Important tips for the day of our trip.

- 1) Make sure your child wears closed toe, non-skid shoes. DO NOT wear sandals or flip-flops.
- 2) Do not allow your child to bring sensitive equipment (cameras, radios, etc).

___ This section applies only if this box is checked by your child's teacher.

Some trips involve a more hands-on approach to the study of marine science. In these cases, your child may be wading in shallow water to examine sea life or participating in similar activities. This may expose him/her to other hazards associated with an aquatic environment such as: some types of coastal vegetation and/or marine animals that have the ability to sting or bite, or submerged sharp objects.

My signature acknowledges that I have been informed of the reasonably expected hazards associated with the boating/marine activities in which my child will be participating.

Signature of Parent or Guardian

Date

This form must be used in addition to PCS Form 3-2718 Field Trip/Activities Participation Form