

RICK EVANS TRANSPORTATION
RELEASE AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK

In consideration of Rick Evans Transportation, Inc. ("RET") providing transportation services for students to attend the, I hereby agree to release, indemnify, and discharge RET, its officers, directors, employees, agents, representatives, independent contractors and Yreka Union School District (collectively "the Released Parties") on behalf of myself, my parents, my heirs, assigns, personal representatives and estate as follows:

1. I am aware of the COVID-19 pandemic and related governmental orders, directives and guidelines, (collectively "Directives"), including directives for frequent hand washing, social distancing and use of face masks in public locations. I am aware that RET provides bussing and transportation services utilizing its vehicles to the public and to students. As a result, I am aware that I could be infected, seriously injured or even die due to COVID-19. I am voluntarily choosing to enter RET vehicle(s) providing transportation services for the **2021/2022** school year and do so with knowledge of the risks involved and I elect to participate in spite of the risks.
2. I hereby voluntarily release, forever discharge, and agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Released Parties from any and all claims, demands, or causes of action, which are in any way connected with or arising from COVID-19 and my transportation by RET, including any such claims which allege negligent acts or omissions of the Released Parties.
3. I understand RET does not have insurance coverage for COVID-19 related claims. I certify that I have adequate insurance coverage to cover any injury or damage I may cause or suffer while being transported, or else I agree to bear the costs of such injury or damage myself.

By signing this document, I acknowledge that if any COVID-19 related injury is caused in whole in part from my transportation with RET, I may be found by a court of law to have waived my right to maintain a lawsuit against the Released Parties on the basis of any claim from which I have released them herein. I have had sufficient opportunity to read this entire agreement. I have read and understand it, and I agree to be bound by its terms.

Date: _____

Student Signature

Student Printed Name

Grade

PARENT'S OR GUARDIAN'S ADDITIONAL INDEMNIFICATION

(Must be completed for participants under the age of 18)

In consideration of RET transporting my child to and from school, I further agree to hold harmless the Released Parties from any and all COVID-19 related claims which are brought by, or on behalf of my child, and which are in any way connected with RET's transportation of my child for school related purposes.

Date: _____

Student Signature

Parent/Guardian Signature

Phone