

# Noah's Ark Preschool

9185 Lexington Avenue North, *Circle Pines, MN 55014*

## *AGREEMENT/PERMISSION FORM*

*The Minnesota Department of Human Services* requires that *each student have on file an agreement/permission form, signed by the child's parent/guardian. Please read our parent handbook (found on our website: [oslcnahsark.com](http://oslcnahsark.com)), then sign, and return this form prior to your child's first day of class.*

- > I have read the Noah's Ark Parent Handbook and agree to comply with the rules and regulations regarding fees, health, clothing, and other items specified in the handbook.
- > I agree to notify the school two weeks in advance of withdrawal, should such an event occur. If withdrawn without notice, I understand that a month's tuition will be charged.
- > I have read the Behavior Guidance and Discipline Policy and the Withdrawal/Termination Policy of Noah's Ark and agree to comply with the policy.
- > I grant permission for my child to use all the school equipment (including the playground) and participate in all activities of the school.
- > I grant permission for my child to leave the school premises under the supervision of staff members for field trips. I understand that I will receive written notice of the destination and purpose of each field trip prior to the trip and must sign and return the permission slip if my child is to participate.
- > I understand that parental permission will be obtained (in writing) before any occasion of research or assessment involving children at preschool.
- > I give my permission for my child's picture to be taken by the staff to be shared with the class and parents. On occasion pictures will be used in the brochure and on the website. If you do not wish to have your child's picture taken, please let us know, in writing.
- > I give permission to the school staff to allow my child to use hand sanitizers when soap and water is not available.
- > I give permission to the school staff to seek emergency care if I cannot be reached or am delayed in coming.
- > I give permission for my child to be transported by ambulance to the closest hospital (Unity Hospital) or designated hospital of my choice in case of a life-threatening emergency.
- > I will provide non-aerosol sunscreen for my child (if requested by the school) and I give my permission to the staff to apply the sunscreen before going outside during the summer months.
- > I understand that when public health authorities recommend use of insect repellents due to a high risk of insect-borne disease, I will be asked to provide non-aerosol insect repellent containing DEET for my child to prevent insect related diseases such as ticks which can transmit Lyme disease and mosquitoes which can transmit West Nile Virus and other viruses. I give my permission to apply this repellent to my child.
- > I understand that Noah's Ark does not have 'diaper changing facilities' and if my child has an 'accident' while at school that a staff member will assist my child in cleaning themselves. Staff will let parents know if the child has an 'accident'. If the child's clothes are wet, the child will be sent home in clean dry clothes that the preschool has on hand. We ask parents to wash and return the clothes they are given to wear if theirs are wet.
- > I understand that the health and safety information collected from families and the child's physician are confidential and kept in a file in the director's office (which is locked during non-school hours) and that I will be asked to keep this information current. I also understand that besides me, my child's file is available to the director, my child's teachers, and the Department of Human Services.

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_