Program Transportation and Liability Waiver Statement

In the Confirmation of Admission process, student and parent/guardian must verify that each has read, accepts, and agrees to abide by the terms specified below for “Bringing a Vehicle to Campus”, “Program Transportation”, and “Program Liability”.

I. Bringing a Vehicle to Campus

Terp Young Scholars who use a personal vehicle and park at the University of Maryland do so at their own risk. Residential Terp Young Scholars who bring a personal vehicle to campus may not leave campus without prior written permission from their parent/guardian. No student is permitted to transport other program participants at any time. In all instances the student and parent/guardian agree to assume all risk and liability for the operation of the personal vehicle and for any passengers.

II. Program Transportation

Terp Young Scholars participate in program field trips which require transportation outside of the confines of the campus, throughout the greater Maryland-Virginia-District of Columbia region, and outside of the state for select course-related experiences. The participant and parent/guardian give permission to the University of Maryland to conduct transportation of students for these programmatic field trips. The participant and parent/guardian agree to assume all risk and liability surrounding participation.

III. Program Liability

Participation in Terp Young Scholars is completely voluntary. There are risks and hazards, minor and serious, inherent in any student activity conducted by the Terp Young Scholars program. Participants and their parents/guardians voluntarily assume all the risks and responsibilities surrounding participation, including, but not limited to damage, illness, and/or injury to person or property associated with participation in Terp Young Scholars. Furthermore, participants and their parents/guardians hold harmless, indemnify, release, and forever discharge the University, and all its officers, agents, and employees from and against any and all claims, demands and actions, or cause of action, on account of which may result from participation, and which result from causes beyond the control of, and without the fault or negligence of the University, its officers, agents, or employees, during the period of participation.