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ANSTO Big Ideas 2020

Student and Parent/Guardian Permission Form

What is ANSTO Big Ideas?

ANSTO Big Ideas encourages students to creatively communicate the work of an Australian scientist and explain how their work has inspired them to come up with a Big Idea to make our world a better place. It is intended to engage and support Australian students in years 7-10 in Science and encourage them to pursue studies and careers in STEM.

Entries to Big Ideas must be submitted and supported by the students' classroom teacher. If your entry is chosen, then the team of 2 students and 1 teacher will win the opportunity to participate in an all-expenses paid Science Experience at either the Australian Synchrotron in Melbourne (Years 7-9) or the ANSTO Lucas Heights Campus in Sydney (Year 10). Tentative travel has been postponed to June 2021 due to COVID-19.

Applications are only accepted directly from teachers. If you would like to participate in Big Ideas, you and your parents will need to fill in this form and return it to your teacher to submit with your entry.

Student details

First name

Surname

Gender

Female

Male

Other

Prefer not to say

Date of birth

Mobile

Email

School

Special requirements

Do we need to be aware of any of the following for the student?

Allergies

If yes, Epi-pen?

Medical conditions

Medication requirements
(include any prescription
medication or other)

Dietary requirements

Travel considerations (e.g.
motion sickness,
accessibility)

Any other requirements

Parent/guardian details

Full name

Phone

Mobile

Email

Alternative emergency contact details

Full name

Relationship to student

Mobile

Terms and Conditions

Duty of care for the Student remains with the Student's Teacher for the duration of the Science Experience. This duty of care will be transferred to ANSTO Employees whilst students are participating in Science activities on the ANSTO campuses.

STUDENT CODE OF CONDUCT

The health, safety and well-being of all participants and staff are paramount at all times.

1. Students must obey all lawful and reasonable instructions from ANSTO employees at the Science Experience such as (but not limited to) all instructions, directions and procedures relating to work health and safety.
2. Students must not consume, use, or be in possession of alcohol, illegal substances, or cigarettes whilst participating in the Science Experience. This includes being onsite at any ANSTO campus, at any special events, at accommodation or traveling to and from special events.
3. Once registered at ANSTO, students must not depart from the ANSTO environment without the approval of an ANSTO employee.
4. Students should be aware that they are representing their school, family and ANSTO. Students must not engage in behavior during their participation that harms the reputation of, or discredits, any of the above. Students will always be expected to be on their best behaviour. This includes, but is not limited to, complying with this Code of Conduct.
5. No bullying, disrespect of other students, teachers, ANSTO employees, or any other attendees on the Science Experience will be tolerated.
6. There is to be:
 - Respect for the ANSTO site and all property
 - No bullying or harassment of others
 - No interference with other people's property
 - No Student in the room of another after 'lights out'
7. If students have any problems or concerns, they should report them to an ANSTO Employee as soon as possible.
8. The student's Parent/Guardian will be liable for any damage or loss caused to ANSTO's property resulting from the student's behavior.
9. Once registered at ANSTO, students must attend all approved activities unless given permission to do otherwise by an ANSTO employee.
10. Students are required to take care of their possessions while on the Science Experience. ANSTO will not accept liability for lost or damaged possessions.
11. Students must wear enclosed footwear and any clothing or protective equipment when requested by an ANSTO employee.

ANSTO reserves the right to expel and cancel a participant's attendance at the Science Experience for any breaches of any Code of Conduct Rules. If expulsion occurs, the student's parent/guardian will be contacted, and appropriate travel arrangements will be made. Any resulting additional expenses will be the responsibility of the student's parent/guardian.

CONSENT TO APPLY FIRST AID

In the event of any emergency, injury or illness, you authorise any ANSTO employee to obtain on your behalf and at your expense any medical assistance, treatment and transportation as deemed necessary.

The Parent or Guardian confirms that they are not aware of any condition or illness other than that declared that may prevent the participant from participating in the Science Experience.

TRANSPORT

All transportation to, from and between the ANSTO sites, accommodation and activities will be arranged by ANSTO. The Parent or Guardian gives permission for ANSTO to transport the student by means of the ANSTO bus driven by an ANSTO employee or public transportation accompanied by the student's teacher and/or an ANSTO employee.

PRIVACY COLLECTION STATEMENT AND CONSENT

The personal information that ANSTO may collect includes the names of the student, Parent/Guardian and Teacher, the name of your school, the student's age, state or territory location, photographs, voice recordings and video recordings. ANSTO may use information obtained in the course of the Big Ideas and the Science Experience in printed and digital materials and websites including reports, brochures, fact sheets, websites, case studies, promotional videos and multimedia presentations. The materials may be used by media outlets. Personal details may also be used to contact the student, Parent/Guardian or Teacher regarding future ANSTO events or to seek your feedback on the Science Experience.

The information will only be used for the purposes outlined above, except where required by law. ANSTO respects your right to privacy of your information. Your contact details will remain strictly confidential and will be stored securely to comply with privacy regulations.

Parent/guardian signature

I am aware that my child has been nominated by their teacher for ANSTO Big Ideas and I support their application. I have read and agree with the Terms and Conditions for ANSTO Big Ideas 2020. If the teacher's application is successful, I give permission for my child to attend the Science Experience with their teacher in either Sydney or Melbourne in June 2021 (flights, travel, accommodation and meals are covered by ANSTO - participants from Western Australia may need to leave earlier to allow for travel time). Parents and guardians will be provided with full details if the application is successful.

Signature

Date

Student signature

I have read and agree to the attached Terms and Conditions (including the Student Code of Conduct).

Signature

Date

Teacher signature

I have read and agree to the attached Terms and Conditions.

Full name

Signature

Date