

**Youngstown State University Summer Honors Institute
Waiver and Release**

In consideration of the opportunity afforded me to participate in the YSU 2009 Summer Honors Institute (SHI) and recognizing the possible risk to which I voluntarily subject myself in participating in certain activities, including but not limited to American Poetry, Creating Electronic Music, Crime Scene Analysis, Digital Illustration and Design, Documentary Filmmaking, Engineering Design, Analysis, and Rapid Prototyping, Entrepreneurship, Health & Healthcare for the 21st Century, Potato Cannon: Applications of Thermodynamics, Robotics, I hereby knowingly, freely and voluntarily, for myself and for my heirs, executors, administrators and personal representatives, waive any claim, demand or cause of action, of any kind whatsoever, arising from or related to any SHI activity from which any liability might accrue to the State of Ohio and Youngstown State University and its employees, officers, trustees, agents or representatives from any such liability.

In further consideration, I grant permission to the State of Ohio and Youngstown State University and its employees, officers, trustees, agents or representatives to use photos of participants and/or their work, student projects, surveys, and other materials developed during my participation in the YSU 2009 SHI for the purpose of publicity (SHI web site/brochures), research and reports to the State Department of Education.

Student's name: (Printed)	
Signature of Student	Date
Signature of Parent/Guardian	Date

**Honor Code of Conduct for
YSU Summer Honors Institute Participants and Staff**

The Summer Honors Institute has a **zero tolerance** policy for misconduct. Participants are expected to follow the same rules of conduct as YSU faculty, staff and students (e.g., no abuse of alcohol, drugs, etc.) In addition, participants are expected to:

1. Sign in upon arrival, lunch, and dismissal. No one may sign in for you.
2. Wear your I.D. badge while on campus so that you may be identified as a participant in the Summer Honors Institute.
3. Attend all assigned classes while on campus.
4. Follow all instructions of the director, faculty, and assistants.
5. Maintain courtesy toward fellow students and other individuals at the Summer Honors Institute.
6. Leave campus only with explicit permission from the director.
7. Maintain appropriate dress for the Institute, (e.g., shorts, t-shirts or casual tops--no bathing suit or similar tops).
8. Disregard for any of the above rules will be sufficient for dismissal from the Institute at the discretion of the director.

The participant and parent have read and reviewed the *Honor Code of Conduct* and agree to abide by these guidelines.

Signature of Student	Date
Signature of Parent/Guardian	Date

To be completed by students residing outside the local area:

While attending the YSU Summer Honors Institute, I will be staying with the following family member or adult individual:

Name _____ Local Phone _____

Local Address _____