



* STUDENTS MAY NOT ATTEND DoD STARBASE & WILL BE SENT TO THE SCHOOL UNLESS FORM IS COMPLETED IN FULL AND SIGNED BY A GUARDIAN *

Parent/Guardian Permission for Student to Attend DoD STARBASE

Student: _____

School: _____

Teacher: _____

Trip Dates: _____

Destination: *DoD STARBASE Idaho Gowen Field, Building 207, 208, &209*

Activity: Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math

Mode of Travel: District Vehicle

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Health Information: Please list any health information that we should be aware of and any precautions that should be taken.

Home Phone: _____

Work Phone: _____

Emergency Contact Name: Who should we contact in case of an emergency if parent/guardian cannot be reached?

Emergency Instructions: Please provide any specific instructions for us to follow in case of illness or accident. _____

Phone: _____

Relationship to Student: _____

Hospital: Is there a Hospital Preference for minor injuries? If so, please list.

DoD STARBASE Idaho and Gowen Field Educational Outreach Agreement:

I hereby grant permission for the aforementioned minor to participate in the DoD STARBASE Idaho program listed above. I understand that DoD STARBASE Idaho reserves the right to terminate participation in the program when it is deemed to be in the best interest of either the participant or the program. Should any property be damaged that is owned by the United States, I am aware that I may be asked to replace/repair that property if caused by my child's actions/inactions. I also acknowledge that photographs and video may be used from time-to-time to document and promote DoD STARBASE Idaho activities and hereby consent to the use of *photographs* and *video* of the aforementioned minor for these purposes unless otherwise indicated below. Further, as consideration for my child's participation in this program, I agree to release, hold harmless, and defend the United States Government, the Department Defense, the Idaho National Guard, the State of Idaho, and their respective officers, employees, agents, and volunteers, from and against any and all liability, claims, demands, actions, debts, liabilities and attorney's fees arising out of or in any way related to the youth's participation in the program. Moreover, I hereby authorize my child to receive emergency medical treatment whenever it is deemed reasonably necessary at any U.S. Military Facility or any other medical facility when a U.S. Military Medical Facility is not available. Please select this box ☐ to **opt out** of having your student's photograph or video content posted on our media sites.

Guardian Signature: **X** _____

Date: _____



DoD STARBASE

DoD STARBASE: "To engage elementary students with Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (**STEM**) to help our next generation meet future advanced technology needs."

Who we are

STARBASE Idaho is an innovative science, technology, engineering, and math outreach program funded by the Department of Defense. Sponsored and supported by the Idaho National Guard, the program provides 25 hours of STEM instruction to 5th grade students. The goal of DoD STARBASE is to raise the interest and improve the knowledge and skills of youth traditionally under-represented in **STEM** careers, providing a highly educated and skilled American workforce that can meet the advanced technology requirements of America.

What we do

DoD STARBASE is the only national program focused on introducing **STEM** to elementary students. The intensive 25 hours of hands-on STEM curriculum introduced to **STARBASE** students is aligned with National Science Standards. The program targets upper elementary age students because during this time period in children's lives, they are developing an image of their capabilities. By the time most **STEM** programs are available for youth in middle and high school, **STARBASE** has already introduced youth to the idea that a future in **STEM** is possible.

A visiting class explores new technologies such as computer aided design (CAD) and robotics, as well as concepts of physics and chemistry while relating them to math, inquiry and the engineering process. Our goal is to offer **STEM** equipment, expertise and resources that may not currently be available in elementary schools. With the help of local **STEM** businesses, industry, educational institutions and professionals, as well as the military resources on Base, **DoD STARBASE** can introduce students to **STEM** careers.

We look forward to teaching and learning alongside your student!

<https://dodstarbase.org/> , <https://imd.idaho.gov/front-page/starbase/> & www.facebook.com/STARBASEID/

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Courtney Taylor".

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