



Final Waiver Form

Dear URJ Heller High School in Israel Participant, Parents and Guardians:

PLEASE READ THIS LETTER WITH EXTREME CARE. It contains a **release of liability**. Your participation in the NFTY-EIE High School in Israel is subject to the terms and conditions contained in this letter.

After reviewing these terms and conditions, you and your parents (guardians) must sign this letter and return it to us. By signing this letter, you (the participating student) and your parents (guardians) acknowledge your full understanding of, and agreement to, all of the terms, conditions and understandings contained in this Release Letter.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

Assumption of Risk and Release of Liability: You recognize and understand that participation in URJ Heller High School in Israel (Heller High) is voluntary and involves risks, which are inherent in travel abroad. In addition, in recent years there have been acts of terrorism and other acts of violence committed around the world, particularly in Israel, but in other locations as well. You are aware that terrorist acts and other violent incidents pose additional risks of travel and participation in your Program. You are further aware that the U.S. State Department has issued warnings concerning travel in Israel. While the staff of the various NFTY travel programs adhere to safety and security protocols, they cannot, of course, guaranty the safety of the participants in the program.

In consideration for the planning and execution of the Heller High School in Israel by the Union for Reform Judaism, you and your parents (guardians) accept any and all risks associated with participation in your Program, including but not limited to the risk of terrorist acts and of personal injury and damage to personal property, and you and your parents (guardians) hereby release from liability and from any claims with respect to any of such risks all of the following entities and individuals: the Union for Reform Judaism, the officers, trustees and employees of the Union for Reform Judaism (individually and in any fiduciary or representative capacity), the North American Federation of Temple Youth (NFTY), URJ Heller High School in Israel, and the Youth Division of the Union for Reform Judaism, as well as all of their employees, agents, representatives, and affiliates and those acting on their behalf (all hereinafter referred to as "the releasees"). By agreeing to this release, **you and your parents (guardians) understand that the releasees will have no liability, nor can any claim be made**, for any loss or damage to your property or for any physical injuries or death, or for any damage, loss or expense resulting from any illness, injury, death or accident which you may suffer during your program, including any injuries or consequences suffered as a result of terrorist or hostile acts.

You should also understand that the Union for Reform Judaism does not have available to it any insurance which covers acts of terrorism or their consequences.

Sincerely,

The URJ Heller High School in Israel

We hereby affirm that we have read the foregoing TERMS AND CONDITIONS set forth in this release letter, and that we will be bound by these TERMS AND CONDITIONS, and we hereby release the Union for Reform Judaism, the officers, trustees and employees of the Union for Reform Judaism (individually and in any fiduciary or representative capacity), URJ Heller High School in Israel, North American Federation of Temple Youth (NFTY), and the Youth Division of the Union for Reform Judaism, as well as all of their employees, agents, representatives, and affiliates and those acting on their behalf, from any and all liability.

Participant's Signature DATE: ____/____/____

Participant's Name (please print) _____

Parent/Guardian's Signature

Parent/Guardian's Address

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Please sign, date, scan and attach the signature page and upload it to your CampInTouch account, email it to rkulwin@urj.org, or send by fax to 212-504-8031.

**URJ Heller High School in Israel students will not be permitted to board their flight to Israel without submitting a signed copy of this form to Robin Kulwin, Heller High Director of Admissions