

SPECIAL WINTER EXCURSION FORM / PARENTAL CONSENT

Participant Name: _____

School Name: _____

Select Activity: Skiing Snowboarding Nordic Skiing Tubing

Ability: Non Beginner Intermediate Advanced Date of Visit: _____

Non Skier or Non Snowboarder	First time skiing/snowboarding. Individual has never skied or snowboarded before.
Beginner	The student has skied or snowboarded once or twice or a few times per year and has experienced and maintained control on a number of novice hills of varying difficulty. He/she is able to stop and turn both directions with some success. They are comfortable on green/beginner and some blue/intermediate slopes. May need assistance with getting on or off the lifts.
Intermediate	The student has skied or snowboarded on many occasions and has experienced a variety of hills and different ski areas. He/she can turn and stop under control using recognized formal techniques. They can ski /board with confidence on blue slopes and possibly some black/advanced slopes.
Advanced	The student is an experienced and competent skier or snowboarder. He/she has received formal instruction, knows and understands the Alpine Responsibility Code and can demonstrate ability at an advanced level. Such students can be called upon to assist supervisors.

IF RENTING EQUIPMENT, PLEASE COMPLETE

DATE OF BIRTH	_____	HEIGHT	_____
WEIGHT	_____	cm	
kg		SHOE SIZE	_____

Rental Helmet Required Yes No

Please include the named participant in the PARK program offered only to Advanced level skiers/ snowboarders. It is suggested that you and your son/daughter view the Smart Style safety video found at: www.terrainparksafety.org. In addition each ski area may have other requirements for entering their terrain park.

Signature: Parent / Guardian _____

RENTAL EQUIPMENT

Bindings on equipment reduce the risk of injury when falling. They will not release under all circumstances and they do not guarantee safety in all cases. Parents must accept responsibility for equipment that is lost or damaged (other than reasonable wear and tear).

ALPINE / CROSS COUNTRY RESPONSIBILITY CODE

The Ontario Snow Resorts Association has produced an Alpine/Cross Country Responsibility Code which the named ski area _____ and the named school board _____ requires that you know and obey. Skiers/snowboarders must always ski/snowboard in control and be able to stop and change direction to avoid collisions with people or objects. The named ski area _____ may revoke a lift ticket for violation of the code or other unacceptable conduct.

With the exception of Cross Country/Snowshoeing, all Alpine participants must wear an appropriate snow sport helmet for school excursions to OSRA member facilities. OSBIE recommends that schools adopt a mandatory snow sport helmet policy regardless of ski