

**Assent form for minor persons participating in a research project**

**PROJECT TITLE: Safety Decisions in Adolescence and Early Adulthood**  
HREC ethics ID 27613

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1. I assent (give my permission) to participate in this project. The purpose of this research is to investigate how humans determine when they are safe and when they are in danger.
2. I understand that this project is for research purposes only and not for treatment.
3. I understand that my parent must give their permission for me to participate in this project by signing a separate form. I understand that my parent will not have access to the information I provide as part of this project.
4. I understand that my participation is voluntary and that I am free to withdraw and my parent is free to withdraw me from the project at any time without explanation or prejudice.
5. I understand that non-identifiable data (i.e., data with all participants' identifying features removed) from this study will be stored indefinitely and made available to external investigators for use in approved research projects.
6. I understand that the data used in this research project may also be used in future projects conducted by this research team.
7. I understand that the information I provide will be kept confidential and safeguarded subject to any legal requirements.
8. I understand this research is funded by the Brain & Behavior Research Foundation (Grant #30788) and from University of Melbourne.

**If you consent to participate, please click the button below.**