Dear Parents:

This year we will be using DIY, a free and secure online learning platform where kids can discover projects, share content, and learn new skills. In this learning environment, participants can interact with other participants interested in the same topics. DIY provides a safe and easy way to support learning beyond the classroom, and help students develop important online skills.

On DIY, students will be able to:

* Participate in group discussions that are monitored by DIY staff (participants cannot send private messages to other participants)
* Share pictures and videos of activities they complete.
* Access DIY from any computer or mobile device with Internet capabilities and receive notification reminders via email.

In order for your kid to use DIY, he or she must have your permission, and you must read and agree to the DIY Terms of Service (<https://diy.org/policies#tos>) on your child’s behalf. You must also read and agree to the DIY Privacy Policy (<https://diy.org/policies#privacy>). DIY takes privacy seriously and has full-time staff dedicated to protecting the privacy and safety of its users. Participants are never asked for their real name or location.

Please review the Terms of Service and Privacy Policy with your child and note that these policies may change over time, so you should review them again when you or your child receives a notification that they have been updated.

I hope that your kid will enjoy using DIY to assist their learning this year. You can learn more about DIY by visiting<https://diy.org/about>

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**I give consent for my child, listed below, to use DIY for class activities.**

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Student Name

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Parent Printed Name

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Parent Signature

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