

**University of Pennsylvania**  
**Consent for Participation in a Research Study**

**Protocol Title:** Investigating language representation and processing

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We are conducting a research study about language representation and processing. The following survey should take about 15 minutes to complete.

You will be asked to read some sentences, and rate how acceptable and natural they sound to you on a scale. For a small number of the sentences presented, you may also need to answer a comprehension question by typing into a text box. The experiment should take approximately 15 minutes. You will be paid for your participation after completion at a rate of \$10 USD per hour.

There are no risks of any kind involved in this study.

If you have read this form and have decided to participate in this online experiment, please understand your participation is voluntary and you have the right to withdraw your consent or discontinue participation at any time without penalty or loss of benefits to which you are otherwise entitled.

Your responses are anonymous. Data collected in this study may be stored and shared for future research in a de-identified fashion. It would not be possible for future researchers to identify you. This can be done without again seeking your consent in the future, as permitted by law.

You may print this form for your records.

You must be at least 18 years old to participate. ***If you are not 18 or older, please do not complete the survey.***

This research has been reviewed by the Institutional Review Board (IRB). If you have any questions about your rights as a human research participant at any time before, during or after participation, please contact the Institutional Review Board (IRB) at (215) 898-2614 for assistance.

*Please keep this sheet for your reference.*