

Student User Testing Research | Parent Consent Form

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We are a graduate student project team at Carnegie Mellon University in the Masters of Educational Technology and Applied Learning Science (METALS) program. Our project plan is to build a mobile application that uses in-depth data to help high school students track their academic and career goals.

Your high-school aged child has the opportunity to participate in a brief user testing session with one of our team members on our digital mobile prototypes for the application described above. The purpose of the user testing session is to learn how high school students will interact with the prototype and which features will best benefit their career-searching journey, so that our team can make the appropriate design decisions moving forward.

If you agree to allow your child to take part, we will conduct a user testing session with your child. You may be present during this session. The session will include questions about their opinions of the application screens, observing how they interact with the prototype, and having them think aloud as they walk through the application.

- The user testing session will be conducted in person at a time convenient for you & your child.
- The interview will take 40-60 minutes and will be audio-recorded and screen-recorded. We may contact you later to see if your child would be interested in for a follow-up interview (for additional compensation); however there would be no obligation to you or your child to participate again.
- Your child will receive a \$25 gift card of your choice as compensation.

- For students under 18, we will only interview those whose parents have provided signed consent.

We do not anticipate any risks to participating in this interview other than those encountered in day-to-day life.

Taking part in this interview is completely voluntary. Your child may skip any questions that they do not want to answer. You or your child are free to withdraw at any time. There are no penalties to skipping questions or withdrawing from the interview.

If you have any questions or concerns about this interview, please contact us at kyu1@andrew.cmu.edu.

Statement of Consent

By signing below, you agree that the above information has been explained to you and all your current questions have been answered. You understand that you may ask questions about any aspect of this interview during the course of the study and in the future. By signing this form, you agree that your child may participate in this interview.

PARENT SIGNATURE

DATE

PARENT EMAIL and/or PHONE NUMBER (for scheduling purposes)

PRINT YOUR CHILD'S NAME

Minor's Assent

This research has been explained to me and I agree to participate.

MINOR'S SIGNATURE

DATE