Dear Parents/Guardians,

Greetings from OutBeyond,

OutBeyond is involved in conducting adventure-based learning camps for students and senior citizens. OutBeyond has been operating in Marathwada for the last six years. Over this period, we have taken approximately 1650 participants for Adventure based learning camps to offbeat locations like Wadgaon Dam near Nagpur, Great Himalayan National Park (H.P) and Melghat. Our list of clients from the Marathwada region consist of elite schools like Stepping Stones High Schools, Woodridge High, River Dale High School, Dnyanada English School, Samata International School Shirdi and Advait School Of Excellence, Parbhani.

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All these schools had given us repeat camps which vouches for our high standards. We now offer a unique OutBeyond experience for the duration of 4 Nights and 3 Days. Out of this 2 Nights go into travelling and the actual camp is for 3Days and 2Nights. This camp will be conducted at a campsite near Wadgaon Dam which is 42 km from Nagpur, this camp is periodically audited for safety and operational procedure by national and international agencies. This camp has catered to more than 22000 participants over the last 20 years.

At this OutBeyond program participants have various activities such as Wall Climbing, Net Climbing, Zip-Line, Still Water Rafting, Jungle Navigation, Rock Climbing, Night Trekking, Nature Trail, Rope Courses, Obstacle Course, Team Games and Swimming. Apart from these activities There are numerous session and games for facilitating experiential learning. There are over 30 activities at the campsite and in our 3 days camp we endeavor to conduct at least 10 of them according to the situation. The choice of the activities depends on many factors and the selection of activates is purely the prerogative of OutBeyond.

Taking the OutBeyond experience has many gifts for your child. Participants develop self-confidence and take the opportunity to lead. They become an organized person, being a responsible citizen, develop communication skills, become self-reliant and learn to go OutBeyond the ordinary. OutBeyond allows the participant to discover the world around us by venturing outside of our comfort zone.

Inclusions in the camp

- 1) Travel to and fro from School to the campsite by Ac luxury bus. The exact type of bus will be hired according to the no. of students participating.
- 2) All meals, food, snacks during the three days camp.
- 3) Fees for trainers.
- 4) All adventure and learning sessions.
- 5) Rent for equipment.
- 6) Facilitation, briefing and debriefing.
- 7) First Aid if required.
- 8) Two Staff members of the school for a 45 seater bus and one staff for a sleeper per bus.

Exclusions

- 1) Food during journey. Please note that no junk packed food is allowed.
- 2) Medical expenses beyond normal first aid.
- 3) Early/late departure from the camp in case of emergency or factors beyond control.

<u>Number of participants per camp</u> The number of participants is related to the bus occupancy capacity. The students are booked on first come first serve basis. In the unfortunate event that a participant does not get the opportunity to take the OutBeyond experience because of the lack of seat in the bus then the complete money paid will be refunded to the participant.

<u>Things to Bring</u>: Kindly refer and follow our "Things to Bring" document enclosed separately.

<u>Food:</u> OutBeyond takes food very seriously. Do not send any eatables with the students. The children tend to fill themselves with food they bring & do not eat the camp food. We provide plenty of fresh, nutritious & delicious food. Many children are fussy and do not eat certain things. We believe that every child should try everything in the camp, thus learn to be prepared for any eventuality. Wastage of food is strongly discouraged; the participants should finish everything in their plate. The motto is " Take what you eat and eat what you take."

<u>Communication</u>: Cell Phones or any electronic gadgets are strictly not allowed in the Camp. If any participant is carrying it, it be confiscated. To contact the participant, you may call the Teacher accompanying the students at allocated time slots. The participants cannot be disturbed during activities.

<u>Indemnity release form</u>: is at the back side of the registration form. This is to be filled and signed by the Parent/Guardian and returned. This is an important document and the participant will not be able to attend the camp, no refunds shall be applicable.

<u>Cancellation & Refund Policy:</u> Cancellation up to the Days prior to departure; up to 30days - 50%, up to 15days - 25%, less than 15days - 0%. All payments are to be made in cash and will be collected by the school.

<u>Being Out of the Comfort Zone</u>: We are living in a very competitive times. A person must have all round competence to survive & succeed. OutBeyond's well acquired belief is that the best way to be complete person is to start getting out of the Comfort Zone. OutBeyond is very safe, has constant supervision thus it provides a perfect environment for your child to venture away from the Comfort Zone and allows the child to grow and blossom. We seek your involvement in this endeavor. Out of the many ways to do this, but more important is not to restrict the child to try new things. Here are a few examples from our experience –

<u>Team Formation:</u> Some parents insist that their child is to be in the same team with her/his best friend and they should be always together. Unfortunately, this does not happen in real life. We encourage to make new friends interact with all sorts people and get out of their shell. Therefore, the formation of teams is purely a prerogative of Outbeyond, no request for Team changes will be entertained.

<u>100% Participation</u>: A few parents restrict their children & instruct them not to take part in some particular activities. OutBeyond encourages the participants to take part in all the activities since this is the best way to become self-confident and overcome phobias. We try to make every participant to join and take part in all the unique elements of our camp, for who knows when such an opportunity comes our way again! But then ultimately, we follow the tenet of "Challenge by Choice".

<u>Safety:</u> Last is the most important issue, SAFETY! We at OutBeyond consider safety as the prime priority. All our instructors are trained in First Aid and rescue. We carry a thorough first aid kit on each & every one of our camps, treks, and excursions. All the material used is thoroughly inspected for fitness. We are in contact with the nearest doctor & hospital just in case. A vehicle is at our campsites 24 hours in preparedness for any need. We understand how precious our participants are and we are proud to say that our preparedness and procedures have ensured that we have had not a single major mishap till now. Do help us to keep up this record by telling the participant to sincerely follow the instruction of the instructors because not doing so is very risky.

We look forward to have your child/ward to our next camp with great anticipation & enthusiasm!

With regards,

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(This document is to be retained by the Parents In case of any query please contact us. Thank you.)