

## Terra Fair Junior RED and Topic Checklist for Adult Sponsor

This completed form is required for ALL Junior RED and all Topic Presentation projects.



To be completed by the Adult Sponsor with the student(s):

Student Name (all if team): \_\_\_\_\_

Presentation/Project Title: \_\_\_\_\_

My fair is:      TNRSEF (Potsdam)                       TRFSEF (Rochester)

Circle Y (yes) or N (no) to each statement and add your initials on each line.

Y N \_\_\_\_ 1. Student will make a topic presentation only; NO DATA WAS GATHERED OR REPORTED.

(If YES > skip to next page)

Y N \_\_\_\_ 2a. This project involves the following area(s) and REQUIRES PRIOR APPROVAL before experimentation begins.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Human Subjects (including surveys) | <input type="checkbox"/> Controlled Substances  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Nonhuman Vertebrate Animals        | <input type="checkbox"/> Recombinant DNA        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Pathogenic Agents*                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Human or Animal Tissue |

\*All bacteria, fungi, etc. isolated from the environment should be considered potentially pathogenic.

(If YES > You MUST contact your school's Scientific Review Committee (SRC) or your fair's SRC for approval before starting any experimentation. The contact info is on your fair site at [TerraFairs.org](http://TerraFairs.org).)

Y N \_\_\_\_ 3. This project involves human subjects, including surveys.

You must have written parental permission for all minors and direct adult supervision. Human subjects' information must be kept confidential. No names or pictures of the people involved may be used in the exhibit. Attach any surveys to this form.

Y N \_\_\_\_ 4. This project involves the hazardous substances or devices checked below.

A Designated Supervisor must provide proper supervision to the students.

- Chemicals (i.e., hazardous, flammable, explosive, or highly toxic substances; mutagens, carcinogens, and all pesticides). I have reviewed with student proper safety procedures for using chemicals. Do NOT bring chemicals or flames to the Fair. I supervised their use.
- Equipment (i.e., welders, lasers, voltage greater than 220 volts, temperatures over 110C, pressures over 50 lb psi including air, water, steam, etc.). I have reviewed with the student proper operational procedures and safety precautions for the equipment used by the student. I supervised their use.
- Firearms. I have reviewed with student proper safety standards for firearms use. I supervised their use. The student will NOT bring firearms to the Fair.
- Radioactive Substances. I have reviewed the proper safety standards for each radioactive substance the student will use. I supervised their use.
- Radiation (i.e., x-ray, nuclear, unshielded ionizing radiation of 100-400 nm wavelength). I have reviewed with the student proper safety methods concerning the type of radiation the student will use. I supervised their use.

## Terra Fairs Junior RED and Topic Approval Form

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Team members' Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Student's grade is: 6 7 8 9 10 11 12

Signing this form confirms that parents, students, and sponsors have read, understood, and followed Terra Fairs safety guidelines found on the website [www.TerraFairs.org](http://www.TerraFairs.org). The student has permission to participate in the regional fair.

The parent/guardian signature on this form grants permission to Terra to take photographs or video of the student and/or project for promotional, educational, and safety purposes. Rights to compensation or remuneration are waived and all photos and video taken become the property of Terra. By signing this form, permission is given to publish your child's name on the website or media.

If the parent/guardian does not wish photographs or videos to be taken, a separate letter must be signed and the original received by March 1<sup>st</sup> by: Terra Science & Education, Attn: Media Release Letter, 835 West Genesee St., Syracuse NY 13204.

_____ Student's Printed Name	_____ Student's Signature	_____ Date
_____ Parent's Printed Name	_____ Parent's Signature	_____ Date
_____ Student's School	_____ Parent's EMAIL (printed)	
_____ Parent Address	_____ Parent City and Zip	_____ Parent Phone
_____ Teacher's Printed Name	_____ Teacher's Signature	_____ Date

These signatures are required for  
 all Topic Presenters and  
 Junior RED students.

_____ Designated Supervisor (if applicable)	_____ Designated Supervisor's Signature	_____ Date
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_____ SRC Signature (RED students)		_____ Date
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THIS APPROVAL FORM AND THE ADULT CHECKLIST MUST BE SUBMITTED ONLINE BY THE FAIR DEADLINE LISTED ON YOUR FAIR WEBSITE. Verify at [www.TerraFairs.org](http://www.TerraFairs.org). Questions? Contact [TerraFairs@terraed.org](mailto:TerraFairs@terraed.org).