

***STUDENT ASSENT FORM: HIGHLIGHTING EFFECTIVE TEACHING (HETS)
PROJECT***

Middle and High School (MHS)

**HIGHLIGHTING EFFECTIVE TEACHING STRATEGIES (HET) PROJECT:
Classroom management practices and instructional strategies of HIDEOE teachers**

We want you to be a part of our project. We want to share with you about this work. We will read the important info to you. If you have questions, please ask as we go along.

Before you decide to take part, it is important to know that:

- It is your choice to take part or not.
- You can stop at anytime.
- You parent or guardian must agree too.

What do we want to do?

- We want to see how your teacher creates an exciting and excellent classroom.
- We want to video your teacher and classroom.
- We want to share these videos with other teachers.

How will we do this?

- We will be visiting your classroom.
- We will watch lessons in your classroom.
- We will videotape and look for the things that make for good teaching.
- We will video 1-2 lessons in total over about 2-4 weeks.
- We will be looking at your teacher, but you might be in the video too.

How will this affect you?

- We will not ask you any questions or stop your normal classroom work.
- Participating in the study will not affect your grade.
- This will not change your relationship with your teacher.
- Remember, you do not have to take part and can stop at any time.
- You may be in the video doing inappropriate things, but it will be edited.
- It will not cost you anything to participate.

What will we do with the videos?

- We want to use these videos to help teachers become better.
- We may share approved videos in classrooms across the US.
- We might look at the videos for research purposes.
- We might talk about your classroom at meetings and in various reports.

What about my privacy?

- We promise to keep your information private.
- We promise to edit out your personal information.
- We will share videos with many people.

What is the benefit?

- We will use these videos to help teachers and your future teachers.
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You can decide at anytime to stop being in the video. Just tell your teacher or the researcher if you do not like the situation. If this happens, we will stop videotaping. Later on, if you decide you do not want to be in the video, talk to your parent/guardian and they will follow the directions to help you. Remember, your parents have a copy of this paper too. Please let us know as soon as any problems come up.

If you sign, you give permission to University of Hawaii-Leeward Community College (UH-LEECC) and Hawaii Department of Education (HIDOE) to use videotape your name, voice, work, and/or likeness. By signing, you understand that these recordings will be used for the purpose of this project and maybe shared with a wider audience through creative commons. Permission is granted until you decide to change your mind; however, in order for your change of mind, you must put it in writing and it will only be for future use of the videos.

Agreement to be in the HIGHLIGHTING EFFECTIVE TEACHING STRATEGIES (HETS) RESEARCH PROJECT

I have read this paper and agree to be in the project.

Yes, I agree to participate. No, I do not agree to participate.

Teacher's Name: _____

Your Name: _____

Your Signature: _____ Date: _____

Researcher's Name: _____

Researcher's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Questions?????

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