We the Future: America's Field Trip

2026–2027 Student Contest Parent/Guardian Permission Slip

Your student has the opportunity to participate in ***We the Future: America's Field Trip***, a nationwide contest sponsored by **Constituting America**—a nonpartisan educational 501 (c) (3) established in 2010 that teaches students of all ages about the U.S. Constitution. .

The contest invites students in grades 3–12 to answer the question, **"How is the Constitution Designed to Protect Americans' Freedoms?"** through original writing, artwork, or PSA. A total of 50 winners will have the opportunity to earn a variety of special prizes, including a once-in-a-lifetime field trip experience this summer to some of the nation's most iconic historical and cultural landmarks.

Submissions will be accepted until 5:00 p.m. PT/8:00 p.m. ET on **March 31, 2027**. Students under the age of 18 must have a teacher, parent, or legal guardian submit their entry. Teachers are required to obtain written permission from a parent or guardian prior to submitting an entry.

For the full contest rules, eligibility requirements, and frequently asked questions, visit ConstitutingAmerica.org/FieldTrip.

Please complete and return this form to your child's teacher.

Parent/Guardian Consent

I give permission for my child's teacher, _____, to submit an entry to the **We the Future: America's Field Trip** contest on behalf of my child, _____.

By signing below, I acknowledge and understand that:

- ★ Participation in this contest is voluntary, and no purchase is necessary to enter or win.
- ★ If selected as a winner, my child's name, grade level, school, state, and contest entry (writing, artwork, or PSA) may be shared publicly by Constituting America.
- ★ If my child is selected for recognition, their teacher may need to communicate with Constituting America and its partners regarding contest administration and prize coordination.
- ★ Should my child win, I, as the parent or legal guardian, will be contacted via email by the Contest Administrator with instructions on how to claim the prize.
- ★ Should my child win, I, as the parent or legal guardian, may be required to travel in Summer 2027.

NO PURCHASE NECESSARY. Contest ends 5:00 p.m. PT/8:00 p.m. ET on 3/31/27. Open to U.S. students (3rd – 12th grade); student's parent/legal guardian or teacher with parental permission must submit Entry on student's behalf (unless student is age of majority). Submission includes grant of license rights to Entry's Content. First Prize awardees must travel with parent/legal guardian on designated dates. Visit constitutingamerica.org/fieldtrip/rules for Official Contest Rules including full details including how to enter, eligibility requirements, prize description/restrictions, and judging procedure. Void where prohibited.

Parent/Guardian Contact Information

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Phone Number: _____

Parent/Guardian Email Address: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Date: _____