

## **SKI AND SNOWBOARD CONTRACT 2025-26**

The following terms and conditions must be acknowledged and abided by students and acknowledged and accepted by natural parents in the Rocky Mountain International Student Program (RMISP). The purpose of this document is to require and support safe and responsible skiing/snowboarding by all students.

- 1) I ski/snowboard safely and conscientiously at all times and follow the Alpine Responsibility Code (see box at right).
- 2) I will not ski/snowboard Out of Bounds or on closed runs (Important: ski resorts will revoke passes of students caught skiing/snowboarding Out of Bounds or on closed runs; rescue and injuries incurred in these areas will not be covered by medical insurance.
- 3) I understand that I am not permitted to backcountry or heli-ski while in this program.
- 4) I will not ski/snowboard on runs that exceed my ability level.
- 5) I understand that I cannot ski/snowboard alone and that I must always ski/snowboard with another person or in a small group.
- 6) I will always carry a cell phone with me.
- 7) I will not build or use jumps unsanctioned by the local ski resort.
- 8) I will not flip or "invert" off of any jumps.
- 9) I will wear an <u>approved</u> helmet at all times.

Failure to comply with the above-listed terms and conditions and/or any verbal instructions given by RMISP or resort staff will result in natural parent notification, suspension of ski/snowboard privileges, program probation or dismissal.

## STUDENT ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

I will be safe, responsible, and compliant with this contract and the Alpine Responsibility Code when I ski and/or snowboard.

Student name

Signature

Date

## PARENT ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

I understand that my/our child may have the opportunity to ski/snowboard with the program, their host school, their host family, or with their friends. I accept the risks associated with my/our child skiing and/or snowboarding during their stay in Canada as part of RMISP and confirm my acceptance of the terms and conditions articulated above. I further acknowledge that it is my/our responsibility to inform the Director of International Education if my/our child requires learn-to-ski/snowboard lessons as provided by the ski resort in my child's host community. I/we will cover the cost for these lessons payable to the local ski resort.

Parent #1 name	Signature	Date
Parent #2 name	Signature	Date

ALPINE RESPONSIBILITY CODE THERE ARE ELEMENTS OF RISK THAT COMMON SENSE AND PERSONAL AWARENESS CAN HELP REDUCE. REGARDLESS OF HOW YOU DECIDE TO USE THE SLOPES, ALWAYS SHOW COURTESY TO OTHERS. PLEASE ADHERE TO THE CODE LISTED BELOW AND SHARE WITH OTHERS THE **RESPONSIBILITY FOR A SAFE OUTDOOR EXPERIENCE.** Always stay in control. You Always use proper devices 6 must be able to stop, or to help prevent runaway avoid other people or objects. equipment People ahead of you have the right-of-way. It is your Observe and obey all posted 7 signs and warnings. responsibility to avoid them. Keep off closed trails and 8 Do not stop where you obstruct a trail or are not closed areas. 3 You must not use lifts or terrain if your ability is impaired through use of visible from above. 9 Before starting downhill or merging onto a trail, look 4 alcohol or drugs uphill and yield to others. You must have sufficient 10 If you are involved in or physical dexterity, ability and 5 witness a collision or accident, you must remain knowledge to safely load, ride and unload lifts. If in at the scene and identify yourself to the Ski Patrol. doubt, ask the lift attendant. Know the Code - Be Safety Conscious It is Your Responsibility C.W.S.A.A.