

(Updated January 27, 2025)

INDIANA ENVIROTHON CODE OF CONDUCT, MEDICAL RELEASE, PHOTO/VIDEO RELEASE

Envirothon Team Member: You are representing your school, team, family and yourself by participating in the Indiana Envirothon. Please take care to be responsible and respectful during the event. This form must be read, appropriately completed, signed and the policies followed during all Indiana Envirothon contests.

Envirothon Team Coach: Please be sure to read each release and ensure that everything is filled out accurately.

1. Behavior always should be a positive reflection on you, your school and sponsoring organization.
2. Student conduct is the responsibility of the advisor/teacher. Each student is responsible to report to their advisor on their activities and whereabouts at all times during the competition.
3. You are expected to attend all general sessions and scheduled activities. Please be on time and show respect for those in the audience and on stage.
4. Students will report any accident, injuries or illnesses to their advisor and/or Indiana Envirothon staff.
5. If a student is found responsible for stealing, vandalism, fighting or weapons, the student and his/her parents/guardians will be expected to pay any and all damages.
6. Students are prohibited from using alcohol, drugs or tobacco products, e-cigs included. Violators will be asked to leave the contest, and the team will be disqualified.
7. Indiana Envirothon and its participants operate on a nondiscriminatory basis without regard to race, color, religion, national origin, gender, age, marital status or physical/mental challenges.
8. Students, Coaches, and Envirothon Volunteers will be held to all the above listed policies. Should a student, or anyone else, disregard any of these policies, Indiana Envirothon Planning Committee has the authority to ask the student to leave and subject the team to disqualification. A letter will be sent to the school and parents/guardian of the offender. Please report incidences directly to the Vice-President of the Indiana Envirothon who also acts as arbitrator.

I have read the above Code of Conduct for the Indiana Envirothon and agree to abide by these policies. (Student initials)

I understand first aid will be available and students closely supervised. If any serious illness or injury occurs, medical and/or hospital care will be administered. I agree that members of the Indiana Envirothon are not responsible in case of accident or injury. I understand that in case of serious illness or injury, parents will be notified, but if it is impossible to contact us immediately, we give permission for emergency treatment or surgery as recommended by a licensed attending physician.

YES NO (Parent's initials if student is under 18; Student's initials if 18 or over)

NOTE: The reported conditions below will NOT prevent students from participating in the Envirothon Contests. This information will be kept confidential. Check any physical condition organizers should know about:

Heart: Diabetes: Convulsions: Ear Infections:

Date of last tetanus shot: _____

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Special Medications: _____ Allergies _____ Other: _____

Student should not participate in: _____ Polio vaccination? YES NO

Does the student need reasonable accommodation to participate? YES NO If yes, what accommodation should be considered? _____

Photos and Videos may be taken at the Regional and State Indiana Envirothon contests. If a team does not have a release for each student, team photos and/or video will not be taken.

I hereby give my consent for my child's (if under 18) photo to be taken and used for news releases, brochures and marketing tools used to promote Indiana Envirothon and the National Conservation Foundation (NCF) Envirothon.

YES NO (Parent's initials if student is under 18)

Student is 18 or over and gives their own consent (Student's initials if applicable)

I hereby give my permission, assent, to use my images for Indiana Envirothon purposes.

YES NO (Student's initials if under 18)

Please fill in the following completely and legibly:

_____	_____	_____
Printed Student Signature	Signature of Student	Date
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Printed Parent/Guardian Signature	Signature of Parent/Guardian	Phone Number Required
_____	_____	_____
Printed Advisor Name	Signature of Advisor	Date

School Name _____ Team Name _____