

Lab Kit Safety Information and Liability Waiver

Taylor Made Science supplies a basic materials lab kit to all science students so that they may complete the labs at home during online classes. Please be aware that this kit may contain toxic chemicals and other materials that may be harmful if not used according to written and verbal safety instructions. Parents are responsible for the maintenance and security of this lab kit at all times, including the following:

1. Keep all contents of the lab kit out of reach of young children and pets in the home. Contents may contain toxic chemicals, sharp objects, and/or small objects that can present a choking hazard.
2. Know where to locate all Safety Data Sheet (SDS) documentation if the need arises. SDS documents can be found at <https://taylormadescience.com/onlinescience/lab-safety/> for all chemicals considered toxic and/or that are not already found commonly in your home.
3. Make sure that your science student uses the contents of the kit only as instructed in their science course. All materials will be needed during the year, and many will be used more than once. Ensure that your student takes care of all materials, keeps all materials together until the end of the school year, and keeps the kit securely stored between classes.
4. Make sure that your science student follows all instructions about disposal of waste produced during lab. Clean-up/disposal instructions will be given to students during the live, online class.
5. If any materials or supplies are lost or damaged and are still needed to complete labs throughout the year, the parent will be responsible for replacing the item(s) at their own expense. Please know that one kit is prepared for each child and no extra kits or materials are available from the teacher. The parent will have to find replacements or substitutes directly from stores and vendors.
6. The cost of the lab kit supplies is covered by the nonrefundable Lab Supply/Registration Fee that is paid at the time of registration. As part of their class, all supplies in the kit belong to the student and no materials need to be returned to the teacher. Please make sure that any leftover chemicals are disposed of properly at the end of the school year. Everything else may be kept and used by the student. Each year new kits are made that contain all equipment needed for that year. Students do not need to keep/reuse equipment from year to year.

By signing this document

- *I agree to take full responsibility for the maintenance and security of all materials provided to my student in the lab supply kit.*
- *I agree to replace any items lost or damaged throughout the school year so that my student may participate fully in the remaining labs.*
- *I agree to accept full responsibility to keep the contents of this kit out of the reach of any small children and pets that may be in my home.*
- *I agree to ensure that my child uses the contents of the kit responsibly as needed during in-class labs and follows all lab safety instructions both written and verbal.*
- *I agree to properly dispose of any leftover chemicals at the end of the school year.*

Parent or Legal Guardian (Printed Name)

Parent or Legal Guardian (Signature)

Date

Waiver of Liability

This agreement releases Taylor Made Science (Cheryl Taylor) from all liability relating to injuries that may occur from the participation in at home labs and/or the misuse of the contents of the lab supply kit. By signing this agreement, I agree to hold Taylor Made Science (Cheryl Taylor) entirely free from any liability, including financial responsibility for injuries incurred, regardless of cause.

I also acknowledge the risks involved in participating in at home labs. These include but are not limited to cuts, skin irritation, allergic reactions, and eye injuries. I acknowledge that I voluntarily give consent for my child to participate, and that all risks have been made clear to me. Additionally, I acknowledge that I have been notified of where to find SDS documentation for any hazardous chemicals in the kit.

I give permission for my child, _____, to use the contents of the lab supply kit to complete science labs during class. I forfeit all right to bring a suit against Taylor Made Science (Cheryl Taylor) for any reason. I will also make every effort to ensure that my child obeys all safety precautions as listed in writing and as explained verbally, and I will encourage them to ask for clarification when needed. I also agree to ensure that the contents of the lab kit are kept out of the reach of small children and pets and used only as instructed as a part of my child's science class.

By signing below, I acknowledge that I fully understand and agree to the terms above.

Parent or Legal Guardian (Printed Name)

Parent or Legal Guardian (Signature)

Date