GUIDELINES FOR WAIVERS OF LIABILITY FOR STUDENT TRAVEL OR ACTIVITIES

Waivers are needed when Schreiner University has full or limited control/duty of care and activity includes overnight travel.

Waivers are needed when Schreiner University has full or limited control/duty of care and activity is inherently dangerous.

Waivers are needed when Schreiner University is contractually obligated.

Waivers are not needed when Schreiner University has full or limited control/duty of care and activity does not include overnight travel, is not inherently dangerous, and Schreiner is not contractually obligated.

If Schreiner University does not have control of a voluntary activity, it owes no duty of care; therefore, no waiver is needed. Schreiner should strive to ensure that for any activity that it does not control there is a strong awareness of unrelatedness. Schreiner’s name should not be used with any advertising or activity materials.

One waiver can be used for repetitive similar activities for the semester or school year. Schreiner reserves the right to change the venue without notice.

Schreiner needs to know who is traveling for all activities (field trip registration/notification forms need to be submitted). Emergency contact forms should be completed.

Institution authorized drivers should be required if

- The student group or activity is associated with Schreiner University, or
- The activity has been authorized by Schreiner University, or
- Dollars to fund the activity pass through Schreiner University or its accounts.

Requiring institution-authorized drivers provides more protection than waivers.