

PARENTAL CONSENT FORM

Parents/Guardians please read the following and if you have any questions please contact Debbie Kiely at St. Lawrence College for clarification. After you read, your signature will be required:

By signing this form, the Parent/Legal Guardian gives permission for their child, who is a minor, to participate in the St. Lawrence College Marine Emergency Duty training course.

The Marine Emergency Duty training course is comprised of two days of classroom learning and one day of practical sessions outdoors and at an indoor or outdoor swimming pool. These practical exercises will involve physical activities including:

- Carrying and operating a portable fire extinguisher weighing up to 30 pounds (13.6 kg);
- Hauling pressurized hoses and operating a fire nozzle under pressure;
- Stepping from a pool deck into deep water while wearing a keyhole lifejacket and being momentarily submerged;
- Floating/swimming while wearing a keyhole type lifejacket or immersion suit (student is not required to be a competent swimmer);
- Righting overturned life rafts while wearing life jackets and/or immersion suits.

By signing this Consent Form, the Parent/Legal Guardian further agrees to release St. Lawrence College, their directors, officers, employees, contractors, instructors, representatives, servants, assigns, agents and volunteers from all responsibility for any property damage, bodily injury, liability, costs and expenses and claims of every nature and kind howsoever arising from, or in consequence of, such student's participation in this Marine Emergency Duty training course, except if such damage is caused by the negligence of St. Lawrence College.

Participant

Date

Parental Consent (for applicants under 18 years of age)

I, _____ hereby give consent for my son/daughter
_____ to participate in the St. Lawrence College Marine Emergency
Duty training course, to be held on _____. I acknowledge that I have read the information
above.

Parent/Legal Guardian

Date

