

Sigsbee Charter School

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WALKING TRIP PERMISSION SLIP

Dear Parent:

As you know, Sigsbee is a marine science/environmental education focused school. We are excited to get children hands-on experiences that expose them to the many opportunities that Key West has available to them. The school's prime location enables teachers to walk students a short distance on base and introduce them to a variety of different ecosystems and their inhabitants. Possible adventures could include but are not limited to: mangrove exploration, hermit crab hunts, and native Florida species identification hikes. Other walking trips may include visits to the Commissary (grocery store) or Exchange (department store) on base.

There are circumstances where students will benefit from wading into the water (below the knees) to retrieve specimens. Teachers will send a notice home the day before the activity to inform you that your child will need adequate water, sunscreen, and water shoes. No bare feet or flip-flops will be allowed wading. Students must wear sneakers for all walking trips.

In the event that your child needs to be transported back to school before the trip is over, he/she will be driven in a personal vehicle.

Signing the permission slip below will allow your child to attend all walking trips on base.

Please allow _____ (student's name) to participate in activities that involve wading into waters no deeper than the student's knee.

Teacher: _____ Grade: _____

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____