



PROGRAM PARTICIPATION GUIDELINES

1. Grade-Level Eligibility

- **5th Grade Only:** This program is designed exclusively for 5th-grade students.
- **No Other Grade Levels:** Students in other grade levels are not eligible to participate.
- **Split-Grade Classrooms:** Classrooms that include students from other grade levels are not eligible to participate unless the participating group consists exclusively of 5th-grade students.

2. Session Scheduling and Classroom Participation

- **One Classroom per Session:** Each participating teacher must schedule a separate session for their own classroom.
- **No Classroom Combining:** Teachers may not combine multiple classrooms, cohorts, periods, or teacher rosters into a single program session.

These requirements help us maintain appropriate instructional, safety, and classroom-management standards throughout the program.

3. Teacher Attendance and Supervision

Teacher Support: The participating teacher is expected to remain present and actively support the education program as needed throughout the session.

4. Student Behavior and Classroom Management

- **Teacher Responsibility:** The participating teacher retains primary responsibility for student discipline, behavior management, and classroom safety throughout the program.
- **School and District Standards:** Students are expected to follow all applicable school and Vector Control District rules and codes of conduct during the program.
- **Program Interruption:** The program instructor reserves the right to pause or terminate a session if disruptive student behavior occurs continuously.

5. Compliance and Program Eligibility

- **Policy Enforcement:** Failure to follow these guidelines, including combining classrooms, allowing unapproved grade levels to participate, or failing to provide

required teacher supervision, may result in the cancellation of the scheduled program session or reservation.

- **Future Eligibility:** Repeated non-compliance may result in the school losing eligibility for future free programming.

By participating in the program, schools and teachers acknowledge and agree to follow these guidelines. Our goal is to provide a safe, organized, and engaging educational experience for every participating classroom.