This permission form outlines some of the school programs and activities. As a parent, you have the right to withdraw or limit your child’s participation at any time.

1. LOCAL EXCURSIONS
These are minor, no cost excursions within Paynesville. They may occasionally involve bus travel, in the event of wet weather or for smaller children. You will always receive notice of these excursions through the school newsletter or area newsletters sent home. Parents who do not wish for their child to participate in a specific excursion are asked to contact the school expressing their wishes. All other excursions, camps and swimming will be subject to your specific approval before you child can take part.

2. HEAD LICE INSPECTIONS
Regular vigorous brushing of hair will damage lice eggs and prevent eggs from hatching. A whole school head lice check is carried out at the beginning of each term and families are notified if live lice or eggs are found. Trained members of the school community conduct this check. At other times if head lice are suspected students will be sent to a designated staff member for inspection. The school has a Robicomb, which can be run through hair to detect lice. In cases where head lice are found you will be informed and, in an effort to halt the spread of the head lice, asked to come and collect your child. Please note: The Department of Health requires that where a child has head lice, that the child should not return to school until appropriate treatment has commenced. We can provide you with pamphlets and advice sheets regarding treatment if you would like.

3. PUBLICATION OF STUDENT WORK & PICTURES
During the course of the year children’s work or personal photographs may be published in local or state newspapers, in the DE&T Education Times, appear on television or the internet. Parents have the right to withdraw permission for this to take place. If you agree to have your child’s work or photograph published now, but circumstances can change during the year, please notify your child’s class teacher immediately if you wish for this permission to cease.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION
Prep to Grade 3 students participate once a week in the Religion in Life Agreed Syllabus for Primary children; they also attend Church Services once a Term. All students in the school attend a specially organised church service, usually once a term. These services are at no cost to families, with students walking to the various churches with Paynesville. The local excursion form covers permission. The Church Service is run in conjunction with the Religion in Life Agreed Syllabus. If you do not wish for your child to attend the Church Services please mark the appropriate box and your child will participate in other activities within the school.

Please complete the permission form on the reverse side of this sheet. (Please complete one form for each child)
STUDENT ……………………………….
GRADE ………….

LOCAL EXCURSIONS
My child has permission to participate in the local no cost excursions in the Paynesville area:

YES / NO

I authorise the teacher in charge of the above programs to consent where it is impracticable to communicate with me, to the child receiving such medical treatment as deemed necessary.

HEADLICE INSPECTIONS
I agree to allow a head lice inspection of my child should the need arise
I do not agree to allow a head lice inspection of my child should the need arise.

PUBLICATION OF STUDENT WORK / PICTURES IN MEDIA SOURCES
I understand that from time-to-time the school may wish to publish examples of student projects, photographs of students, and other work in the Local Newspaper, Education Times, School Newsletter or other media sources.

My child’s work and photographs can be published through these media
I would prefer that my child’s work and picture not be published through these media sources

PUBLICATION OF STUDENT WORK / PICTURES ON THE INTERNET
I understand that from time-to-time the school may wish to publish examples of student projects, photographs of students, and other work on an Internet accessible World Wide Web Server or printed media.

My child’s work and photographs can be published through these media
I would prefer that my child’s work and picture not be published through these media sources.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION
I give permission for my child to participate in the Agreed Syllabus Religious Education program (where available)
I give permission for my child to attend the school church services throughout the year
I would prefer my child does not participate in the Religious education program or attend the church services.

Signature of Parent or Guardian .............................................. Date ..............................................