



**Challenger Learning Center of Northwest Indiana, Inc.  
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Hammond, IN 46323  
(219) 989-3250**

**Culinary Cultivators Summer Camp Release Form 2026**

For the safety of our students, only registered students will be permitted to participate in this summer camp. These registration and release forms **MUST BE COMPLETED AND TURNED IN UPON REGISTRATION** to secure your child's spot in camp. To submit these forms, you will need to upload them when registering or, you can **email them directly to Sandra Palmerin at [admin@clcnwi.com](mailto:admin@clcnwi.com)**. If you are having any issues, please call (219) 989-3250 to speak with a staff member.

<b>Student Name</b>	<b>Home Address</b>	<b>City, State, Zip Code</b>
<b>Name of School &amp; District</b>		<b>Grade Level in Fall of 2026</b>
<b>Parent/Guardian Name</b>	<b>Email Address</b>	<b>Phone Number</b>
<b>Emergency Contact (not yourself)</b>	<b>Relationship to child</b>	<b>Emergency Phone Number</b>

Please list special needs or concerns we should be aware of (ex. IEPs, Medication, ASD)  
(Not food allergies):

**Fill out for Culinary Cultivators Camp enrollment:**

I understand that my student is required to bring his or her own lunch/snacks/drinks for **Monday, July 27, 2026.** I understand that my student **will be outdoors partially, and will need to wear appropriate clothing and shoes for all activities.**

I understand that my student will be outdoors for lunch and other activities (weather permitting) and be exposed to farm animals, grass, dirt, Sun and heat, and that Challenger Learning Center of Northwest Indiana is **not** responsible for my child's needs in regards to sunscreen, allergy medicine, or hygiene.

I understand that students may be exposed to ticks, mosquitoes, bees, wasps, and other bugs that can cause physical injury or allergic reactions, and that Challenger Learning Center of Northwest Indiana is **not** responsible for my child's needs in regard to bug spray or allergy medication (i.e. EpiPens).

I understand that payment and release forms for this program are due **no later** than Tuesday, July 14<sup>th</sup>.

I understand that all programs will take place outside of Challenger Learning Center of Northwest Indiana at *Fair Oaks Farms, Local Restaurant, and Dawn Food Products, Inc.* in Fair Oaks Indiana & Crown Point, Indiana.

I understand that the Challenger Learning Center of Northwest Indiana does not have facilities for waiting for my child to finish camp for the day, and will make other arrangements to wait off-site until the designated pickup time of my student.

I understand that if my student misses a day of summer camp, Challenger Learning Center of Northwest Indiana is not responsible for missed activities or financial compensation.

I understand that my student should not be on their cell phone throughout summer camp, and will tell my child that cell phones must remain in student bags, except in cases of emergencies or situations cleared with Challenger NWI Educators.

I hereby consent for my child, \_\_\_\_\_, to attend programs at the Challenger Learning Center of Northwest Indiana, Inc.

I, the undersigned, am the parent or legal guardian of the following named minor:

\_\_\_\_\_, and enter into the above stated release on the minor's behalf.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent/Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date



## Participant Code of Conduct 2025 – 2026

The Challenger Learning Center of Northwest Indiana, Inc., strives to give all participants a positive educational experience while they are at the Center. Our expectation is that all students will rise to their greatest potential and realize what a valuable life experience their visit will be.

Students' behavior must reflect positively on them. Mutual respect between students and for the Challenger staff is expected, along with a positive attitude and enthusiastic participation.

All equipment, materials, and other participants must be treated with respect. This extends to our building, grounds, and displays, as well as in regards to our staff, camp participants, and their belongings. Participants must not engage in behavior like fighting, roughhousing, stealing, name-calling, teasing, etc....

Materials used in a camp or module must be kept organized, sanitized, and in their designated workspace as instructed.

If a camper violates the above conditions, the following steps will be taken:

- 1) *Warning from the Flight Director/STEM Educator*
- 2) *Flight Director/STEM Educator Intervention (Example: Break, Sit out, Time out, Alternative Activity, etc.)*
- 3) *Possible Removal from Program*

### Zero-Tolerance Policy

Behaviors that will NOT be tolerated and will result in an immediate call to parents and ultimate removal from the program include, but are not limited to:

- Abusive, obscene, offensive, vulgar, or ANY unacceptable language
- Physical attacks
- Inappropriate behavior
- Refusal to cooperate
- Endangerment
- Excessive tantrums
- Stealing
- Inappropriate use of cell phones

We understand consequences of violating the above Participant Code of Conduct conditions, and promise to adhere to Challenger Learning Center of Northwest Indiana's Zero-Tolerance Policy.

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Signature of Participant

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Date

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Signature of Parent/Guardian

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Date

CLCNWI Code of Conduct Permission Form 2026

Participant's Name	
Parent/Guardian Name	
(Initial)	<p>I understand that...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Participants are to arrive no earlier than 10 minutes before the program begins. <b>The bus will leave PROMPTLY at 9:30 am, so if students arrive any later than that, they will NOT be able to participate in camp.</b></li> <li>• Parents/guardians must walk participant to building and sign student in before leaving premises.</li> <li>• Participants must be picked up no later than the scheduled ending time for the program. *A late fee may be charged and payable at the time participant(s) are picked up</li> <li>• Participants will not call, text, access personal email, or access non-class websites/Apps during camp unless in case of emergency.</li> </ul>
(Initial)	<p>I understand that...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Discipline at CLCNWI is handled with much care and thought. Redirection and positive reinforcement is used to help participants understand proper behavior. Participants not following the conduct policy may be suspended or expelled from programs with no refund.</li> <li>• Challenger Learning Center of Northwest Indiana may contact me at any time for emergencies, inquiries, or disciplinary issues.</li> </ul>
(Initial)	<p>I understand that...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Due to staff limitations, my child may not receive 1-on-1 guidance from STEM educators at every moment during camp, but will always be supervised in a group setting by qualified staff members</li> <li>• Some unique needs of students may be outside of staff expertise, so additional explanation may be needed to guarantee that my child's experience is the safest and best it can be.</li> </ul>
(Initial)	<p>I will...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Review and reinforce the Participant Code of Conduct Permission Form and other program policies with my child prior to the start of camp.</li> <li>• Call the Challenger Learning Center of Northwest Indiana offices in the event that my student will not be able to attend camp for the day.</li> <li>• Disclose any specific needs of my child to the Challenger Learning Center of Northwest Indiana staff in order for them to better serve my child. These needs include, but are not limited to: toilet training, verbal communication, medical issues, etc.</li> </ul>

**Challenger Learning Center of Northwest Indiana  
Culinary Cultivators Release and Waiver Agreement**



1. This Release & Waiver Agreement is made this day \_\_\_\_\_ (month/day/year) by and between (1) Guardian of participant that is under the age of eighteen (18), and any of the Participant's and Guardian's respective heirs, beneficiaries, personal representatives or assigns; and *Challenger Learning Center of Northwest Indiana, Inc., Fair Oaks Farms, Local Restaurant, and Dawn Food Products, Inc.*
2. **Waiver of Liability & Claims.** I understand and acknowledge that participating in a Challenger Learning Center of Northwest Indiana, Inc. program involves potential, although highly unlikely, loss or damage to personal property and bodily injury. In consideration of participation in the program(s) by my child, the undersigned hereby releases from any legal liability the *Challenger Learning Center of Northwest Indiana, Inc., Fair Oaks Farms, Local Restaurant, Dawn Food Products, Inc and RSI Truck & Bus Repair.* and its administrators, board members, teachers, employees, volunteers, any and all staff and agents from any and all liability for damage, injury, or death, or any claim based upon negligence on the part of the Challenger Learning Center of Northwest Indiana and its administrators, board members, teachers, employees, volunteers, and agents arising out of or related to the participation mentioned above.
3. **Indemnity.** In the event any person not a party to this agreement makes any claim or files any lawsuit against the *Challenger Learning Center of Northwest Indiana, Inc., Fair Oaks Farms, Local Restaurant, Dawn Food Products, Inc and RSI Truck & Bus Repair,* its administrators, board members, teachers, employees, volunteers, and agents relating to the participation mentioned above, the undersigned agrees to indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the Challenger Learning Center of Northwest Indiana, its administrators, board members, teachers, employees, volunteers, and agents from any and all such claims and lawsuits, including the payment of all damages, expenses, costs, and attorney's fees. I authorize my child to be admitted into a hospital or facility for medical treatment if necessary while participating in this program. I do further accept the responsibility for the payment of expenses related to that treatment.
4. **Emergency Medical Care.** If emergency medical care is required for my child, and if permission is not available in a timely manner, then the undersigned authorizes appropriate emergency medical care as deemed necessary by emergency medical personnel, a physician, or the medical facility providing treatment.
5. **Damage & Expulsion.** Challenger Learning Center of Northwest Indiana, Inc. reserves the right to dismiss any participant deemed detrimental to the program(s). We do not tolerate violent behavior or loud and abusive language directed at our instructors or at fellow participants. Parents will be held liable for damage to the Challenger Learning Center of Northwest Indiana, Inc.'s property caused by the reckless behavior of their child.
6. **Refunds & Cancellations.** No refund of program(s) fees will be made for late arrivals, early departures or no shows. Cancellations within less than 30 days before program will not qualify for a refund.
7. **Governing Law.** The agreement is deemed to be entered into the State of Indiana and to be governed and enforced pursuant to the law of the State of Indiana.
8. **Transportation.** Parents and/or guardians give their permission to Challenger Learning Center of Northwest Indiana, Inc. to transport any camp participant from one activity to another by authorized members of RSI Truck & Bus Repair within an authorized RSI School Bus to and from camp activities.

I, the undersigned, am the parent or legal guardian of the following named minor: \_\_\_\_\_  
And enter into the above stated release on the minor's behalf.

Signature of Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

# Challenger Learning Center of Northwest Indiana Photo & Media Release and Waiver Agreement



I hereby grant Challenger Learning Center of Northwest Indiana, Inc. permission to photograph and video record my child or myself while involved in activities during Culinary Cultivators summer camp. I give Challenger Learning Center of Northwest Indiana, Inc. permission to use any photographs, video footage, or voice recordings of my child or myself taken during their activities in the Culinary Cultivator summer camp on their website, social media, or marketing materials, both printed and digital.

I understand that I have the right to request, in writing, to have a photo removed from the Challenger Learning Center of Northwest Indiana, Inc. website or social media account(s) within 10 working days of my request.

I understand that all rights, title, and interest in the photography or videography obtained belongs to Challenger Learning Center of Northwest Indiana, Inc., and that I will receive no financial compensation for the use of these photos and/or videos.

Challenger Learning Center of Northwest Indiana may edit, copy, alter, or revise the photos or videos as they see fit. Challenger Learning Center of Northwest Indiana will retain control over the use and distribution of the photographs and videos.

I, the undersigned, am the parent or legal guardian of the following named minor: \_\_\_\_\_  
And enter into the above stated release on the minor's behalf.

Signature of Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_