## **School Garden Permission Slip**

School gardens engage students by providing a dynamic environment to observe, discover, experiment, nurture, and learn. They are living laboratories where interdisciplinary lessons are drawn from real life experiences, encouraging students to become active participants in the learning process. School gardens have been shown to increase self-esteem, help students develop a sense of ownership and responsibility, and promote healthy lifestyle choices including increased fruit and vegetable consumption.

Please fill out student information below to allow participation in the school garden. If you do not wish for your student to participate in the school garden, additional assignments may be given to meet learning objectives.

On garden harvesting days, students will be required to wear appropriate clothing (example: closed toed shoes). More information on required dress code will be given at a later date.

If you have any questions please contact garden coordinator:

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Homeroom: \_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Yes, my child has my permission to participate in the school garden.

Please list any allergies your child may have: \_\_\_\_\_

No, my child does not have my permission to participate in the school garden.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Phone Number

