

**Dedham Public Schools
Duolingo
Informed Consent and Release**

I, the undersigned parent/legal guardian, hereby understand that Dedham Public Schools (DPS) is utilizing the services of Duolingo (<https://www.duolingo.com/> an online application owned and operated by Duolingo, Inc. (5900 Penn Ave, Second Floor, Pittsburgh, PA 15206) that helps student users learn World Languages. I also understand that as part of this activity my child will be providing his/her name, age, email address, and/or other personal and/or personally identifiable information in order to use this online application.

I understand that to the extent that either I or my child are provided with or create a password for the use of this site, that my child and I can help protect against unauthorized access to my child's account and personal information by appropriately protecting and limiting access to this password and appropriately logging off of the account when finished. I hereby acknowledge and agree that the Town of Dedham, Dedham School Committee and Dedham Public Schools do not own or control Duolingo and any of my child's works (name, image, likeness, spoken words, student work, performance, in any form, hereinafter collectively referred to as "Works") that are posted on or through this website shall be managed and controlled by Duolingo in accordance with its privacy policy and terms of service. I further acknowledge that my child and I have read Duolingo's [Terms of Use](#) and [Privacy Policy](#), true copies which are linked to this informed consent and release.

By entering into this informed consent and release and granting the permission as stated herein, I am expressly authorizing my child to participate, use and submit Works for posting on Duolingo. I also am expressly authorizing the Dedham Public Schools to use, in whole or in part, my child's Works in connection with Duolingo including without limitation, the posting of these Works on or through Duolingo.

I further understand that neither the Town of Dedham, Dedham School Committee and/or Dedham Public Schools and/or their respective officers, directors, agents and/or employees shall compensate either me or my child in connection with the posting of the Works on or through Duolingo.

By entering into this informed consent and release and granting the permission as stated herein, I also am releasing the Town of Dedham, Dedham School Committee and Dedham Public Schools and their respective officers, directors, agents and/or employees from and against any and all liability, loss, damage, costs, claims and/or causes of action arising out of or related to my child's Works being posted on or through Duolingo and/or for my child participating and using and Duolingo.

I have read this Informed Consent and Release and understand its terms. I sign it voluntarily and with full knowledge of its significance.

Child's Name: _____ Grade: _____

Child's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian's Name: _____

Parent/Guardian's Signature: _____ Date: _____