



**Child Assent Form**  
**NSU Assent to be in a Research Study Entitled**  
***Impacting Student Behavior by Implementing Home Visits***

**What is a research study?**

We are asking you to be in a research study. Research helps us learn new things. Only people who decided they want to help will be in the study. We will tell you about the study and then you should take time to make your decision. You should talk to your parent or guardian before you decide.

**Who is doing this research study?**

This person doing this study is John Doe with the Fischler College of Education at Nova Southeastern University. He will be helped by Sue Faculty, EdD.

**Why is this study being done?**

This study is to find out if home visits help you with homework habits and classroom behaviors.

**What will happen to me in this study?**

If you want to be in this research study, you will be asked to complete two surveys that will take about 30 minutes each. The surveys will ask questions about how you feel about homework and being in your classroom.

**How long will I be in the study?**

You will take the survey two times. It will take about 30 minutes to complete the survey each time.

**What are the good things about being in this study?**

There are good things that might happen. You may get better at completing homework and your classroom behavior may improve.

**Will being in this study hurt me?**

We do not think you will be hurt by helping us with this study.

**Do I have other choices?**

Yes, you can decide not be in this study.

**Will people know I am in the study?**

The people doing the study will know that you are in the study along with your parents and teacher. They will not tell anyone else. If they talk about the study or write about it, they will not use your name.

**Is it ok if I say “No, I do not want to be in the study”?**

You do not have to be in this study if you do not want to. No one will be mad or upset with you if you change your mind. You can decide at any time to stop being in the study.

**Who can I talk to about the study?**

If you have questions now, feel free to ask us. Remember, you should talk with your parents or guardian about this study.

If later you have more questions about the study, you can contact John Doe, who can be reached at (555)555-5555.

If you have questions about the study but want to talk to someone else who is not a part of the study, you can call the Nova Southeastern University Institutional Review Board (IRB) at (954) 262-5369 or toll free at 1-866-499-0790 or email at [IRB@nova.edu](mailto:IRB@nova.edu)

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**Do you understand and do you want to be in the study?**

I understand and all my questions were answered.

- I want to be in the study.
- I do not want to be in the study.

**Child Assent Signature Section**

I have voluntarily decided to be in this research study.

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Printed Name of Child

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Signature of Child

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Date

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Printed Name of Person  
Explaining the Study

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Signature of Person Explaining the Study

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