

VOLUNTEER ACKNOWLEDGMENT

Environmental Leaders of Color Inc (ELOC)

Thank you for volunteering with ELOC! As a volunteer, you help us deliver environmental education and opportunity to youth across our communities. Please read and sign below.

I agree to the following during my time as an ELOC volunteer:

- 1. Conduct.** I will act respectfully and professionally, follow the direction of ELOC staff, and help maintain a safe, positive, and welcoming environment for students and everyone I interact with.
- 2. Student safety & privacy.** I will keep confidential any private information about students, families, donors, and staff that I encounter, and I will not share students' names, images, or personal information outside of ELOC without permission.
- 3. Appropriate boundaries.** I will maintain appropriate boundaries with students, will not be alone one-on-one with a student out of view of other adults, and will report any safety concerns to ELOC staff right away.
- 4. Conflicts of interest.** I will let ELOC staff know if I have a personal, family, or business connection that could create — or appear to create — a conflict with ELOC's interests (for example, a financial interest in a vendor or partner ELOC works with). I will not use my volunteer role for personal gain.
- 5. Voluntary role.** I understand that I am serving as an unpaid volunteer and that this is not an employment relationship.

I have read and understand this acknowledgment and agree to follow it while volunteering with ELOC.

Volunteer Name: _____

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

For volunteers under 18 — Parent/Guardian:

I give permission for my child to volunteer with ELOC and confirm that we have read and agree to this acknowledgment.

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____