

R2C Consent/Enrollment Form

September 27, 2018

Consent Block

Welcome to the Rhode2College!

We're excited to start this journey with you. To begin, we need you and your parent or guardian to consent to participate in the Rhode2College program. On the next few pages, you will find the following:

1. An overview of the Rhode2College program structure.
2. Consent and release of student data.
3. Rhode2College terms and conditions.

At the end of each section, you will be prompted to initial, indicating that you understand and consent to the content in the section.

After initialing all sections, you will be asked to sign, acknowledging that you have read and agree to the terms of consent.

After you sign, your parent or guardian will be asked to initial and sign the parent sections of the consent form.

Lastly, we will ask you some questions about yourself and your current preparation for life after high school. Once you've completed these steps, we will send you your first gift card for within one week and deposit your first payment for your college savings account. You'll get a \$25 gift card and \$75 in your college savings account.

The Rhode2College program ("Program") is a unique partnership between the College Board, the State of Rhode Island, the Rhode Island Department of Education and the Innovative Policy Lab (IPL), being administered by the Innovative Policy Lab ("the Program Administration"). This Agreement, Consent and Release serves as a binding contract between the student, hereafter referred to as "Student," and the student's legal parent or guardian, hereafter referred to as "Parent or Guardian," and the Program Administration. By signing this agreement, the Student and the Parent or Guardian accept the terms and conditions of the Rhode2College program and agree to strictly adhere to the program requirements.

DISCLAIMER: The Spanish version of this form is a translation of the original in English for information purposes only. In case of a discrepancy, the English original will prevail.

Student Consent: Program Structure

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Advanced Coursework	Students will enroll in and successfully complete at least one course that helps demonstrate their readiness for college and career. This can be any course on the Rhode2College Advanced Coursework list, which will be provided on the Rhode2College website for students to reference. Coursework may include dual enrollment, concurrent enrollment, Advanced Placement®, Work-based learning, and/or career preparation including those offered by the Advanced Course Network and PrepareRI Dual Enrollment Fund.
Apply for financial aid	Students will complete the FAFSA to apply and be eligible for federal financial aid. R2C will provide guidance and resources to assist with applying for aid.
Apply to colleges	Students will select a list of schools and complete the required materials to submit the Common App, including submitting scores to higher education institutions.
Periodic check-ins	Students will answer brief questions via text message periodically throughout the program to check in on their current status and college

	preparation. Questions will be designed to remind students about college, preparing for college, and the benefits of a college degree.
Enroll in an accredited higher education institution	Students will matriculate and enroll in an accredited higher education institution in the Fall following their high school graduation. This can be any accredited high education institution.

- **For each milestone, the Program Administration will notify Students of the following at least 3 weeks prior to the milestone deadline:**
 1. How much Students will earn immediately and in savings for the upcoming milestone.
 2. Milestone verification instructions and requirements.
 3. When payment will occur following milestone completion verification.
 4. Milestone completion deadline.
- **Milestones can be verified only in the manner indicated in the instructions from the Program Administration.** Students who do not follow the verification instructions for a milestone will not receive payment for that milestone.
- **Where applicable, milestone verification will rely on electronic timestamps to determine whether a Student met the completion deadline.**
- **It is the responsibility of the Student to complete all steps required for milestone completion and verification by 11:59PM on the day of the milestone deadline.** For example, if a milestone deadline is November 28, 2018, Students have until 11:59PM on November 28, 2018, and any submissions at or after 12:00AM on November 29, 2018 are considered late and Students will not receive payment.
- **For each milestone completed by the deadline and according to all verification instructions, Students will earn the following:**
 1. A small immediate payment (for example, \$10-\$50) in the form of an electronic gift card sent directly to the Student (“Cash-for-Completion”), and
 2. A larger amount (for example, \$50-\$100) that will be put aside for the Student in an account that can be accessed upon enrollment in an accredited higher education institution (“Savings Funds”).
- **Students can earn up to \$2,000 total, approximately \$1,500 received upon college enrollment and \$500 in immediate cash payments in the form of gift cards.**
- **To access Savings Funds, Students must enroll full-time in an accredited higher education institution in the Fall immediately after high school graduation.** Students will verify enrollment by sending the Program Administration an unofficial transcript from their school’s registrar. If this verification is not received by 11:59PM on October 31, 2020, Students will not be able to access Savings Funds. If verification is received before this deadline, Students can expect to receive Savings Funds by 11:59 PM on December 31, 2020.

- **Students will not be removed from the program for missing a milestone but will not earn money for any missed milestones.** If all milestones are completed fully and on time, the Student will earn \$2,000.
- **Students will receive immediate payments through electronic gift cards sent to their preferred email address and phone number.** Students will receive their Savings Funds through a physical gift card sent to the address they provide following enrollment in an accredited higher education institution. To receive the Savings Funds, Students must provide a legitimate physical address to Program Administration by 11:59PM on October 31, 2020.
- **The Program Administration will communicate with Students primarily through Rhody,** a texting chatbot, who will text Students the above information, along with periodic reminders and tips for college and the application process.
- **Program Administration will provide instructions for Students to update their contact information, if necessary.** Students will not receive payment for any milestones missed because of out-of-date contact information that Program Administration was not aware of at least 7 days ahead of the milestone deadline.

Type your initials below to indicate consent to the above Program structure:

Student Consent: Use of Data

I UNDERSTAND AND AGREE to the following conditions regarding the use of data:

I understand, agree and grant permission to the Program and the Program Administration to possess and/or analyze my personally identifiable information (“PII”), meaning data which may include any of the following: (1) my name or that of my parents or guardians, (2) specific home address, (3) client or personal identification number, (4) date of birth, (5) a list of personal characteristics or other information which would make the individual's identity immediately traceable; and my confidential information (“CI”), meaning data which may include any of the following: (1) academic test scores including the PSAT™10 and/or the SAT®, (2) data regarding any of the Program milestones, (3) information regarding how I spend the money I earn through the Program or (4) my participation in and completion of advanced coursework, on the condition that the Program and the Program Administration shall take all reasonable steps to protect the confidentiality of my PII, specifically including, but not limited to, the maintenance of this data solely on a secure, dedicated computing environment with security and access safeguards and policies providing for the security and the anonymization of all of my PII and compliance with all relevant privacy laws and data sharing agreements between the Program partners.

I understand and agree that any intellectual property, including but not limited to Program documents, reports, drawings, articles, journal publications and other works

which are developed or produced pursuant to this Program, including all copyright and other intellectual property rights to such work product, are owned exclusively pursuant to legal agreements by and among Program partners and the Program Administration. I further understand, agree and grant permission to the Program and the Program Administration to use my photographs, motion pictures, recordings of any kind or any other record of my participation in the Program for any legitimate purpose. I further understand and agree that the Program and the Program Administration shall ensure that the possession and handling of relevant education records, as defined under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (“FERPA”), 20 U.S.C. § 1232g, and its implementing regulations, 34 C.F.R. pt 99, or personally identifiable information contained in such records, or information that is protected under applicable state law, are in compliance with FERPA and state law as applicable.

I understand, agree and grant permission to the Program and the Program Administration to possess and/or analyze data on my use of Official SAT® Practice on Khan Academy®, as it relates to Program implementation and evaluation, on the condition that the Program and the Program Administration shall take all reasonable steps to protect the confidentiality of my PII and CI, specifically including, but not limited to, the maintenance of this data solely on a secure, dedicated computing environment with security and access safeguards and policies providing for the security and the anonymization of all of my PII and CI and compliance with all relevant privacy laws and data sharing agreements between the Program partners.

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Student Consent: Terms and Conditions

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- I have reviewed the eligibility requirements for the Program and affirmatively state that I meet the eligibility requirements and have provided truthful information on my registration form.
- I have reviewed the Program structure and the use of data conditions and understand that my participation will occur according to the structure described above and agree to the use of data described above.
- I can earn up to \$2,000 total, approximately \$1,500 in the form of a physical Visa prepaid re-loadable card received upon college enrollment and \$500 in immediate cash payments in the form of gift cards.
- I cannot receive payment for any missed or late milestones. If I do not inform the Program Administration of out-of-date contact information at least 7 days before a milestone deadline, and thus miss a milestone deadline, I will not be able to receive payment for that milestone.

- Once I receive gift card funds, I am solely responsible for them. If anything happens to the gift card that prevents me from using it (ex. it is lost, stolen, etc.) the Program Administration will not replace it.
- I must enroll in an accredited higher education in the Fall after I graduate from high school, or I will not be able to access the Savings Funds that I earned during the Program.
- The completion and tracking of each milestone will be managed primarily on a phone or tablet application (“App”).
- Upon verified enrollment in an accredited higher education institution, I will receive my compensation with encouragement to use the funds for books and college-related expenses, though my use of the funds will not be restricted by the Program Administration.
- My compensation in the Program may result in my owing taxes to my local, state and/or federal government and that I, and not the Program or the Program Administration, shall be responsible for, and pay when due, all taxes resulting from Program compensation.
- A violation of any of the Program terms or conditions or providing falsified or fraudulent information during the registration process or during the Program shall result in my termination from the Program and may result in my forfeiting of all Program compensation.
- IPL and the Program Administration, as well as their leaders, directors, officers, employees, contractors, agents, volunteers, members and representatives, are not responsible for any injury, loss or damage of any kind whatsoever sustained by me or my property while participating in the Program.
- I assume and accept all risks arising out of, associated with or related to my participation in the Program.
- I waive and release IPL and the Program Administration, as well as their leaders, directors, officers, employees, contractors, agents, volunteers, members and representatives, from any and all liability for any loss, damage, injury or expense that I may suffer, or that my next of kin may suffer, as a result of my participation in the Program due to any cause whatsoever.
- I indemnify and hold harmless IPL and the Program Administration, as well as their leaders, directors, officers, employees, contractors, agents, volunteers, members and representatives, from any and all liability for any damage to the personal property of, or personal injury to, any third party resulting from my participation in the Program and to indemnify and hold harmless IPL and the Program Administration from any and all claims, demands, actions and costs for any loss, injury, damage or expense whatsoever that might arise out of my participation in the Program. I understand that participating in the Program may result in claims or grievances and that IPL and the Program Administration will have a process for resolving claims or grievances related to the Program and further agree that I waive the right to pursue claims and/or grievances in any other manner than as provided in the Program by the Program Administration.
- This is a legal agreement and having read this agreement and knowing these facts and in consideration of my acceptance in the Program, I, for myself and anyone entitled to act on my behalf, waive and release IPL and all Program

fundere and sponsors, their representatives and successors from all claims or liabilities of any kind arising out of my participation in this Program, even though that liability may arise out of negligence or carelessness on the part of the persons named in this agreement.

- I have been advised to seek the counsel of an attorney and an accountant relative to my obligations pursuant to this agreement and that this agreement constitutes the complete understanding of the parties and supersede any other prior agreements. I further understand and agree that this agreement shall be construed in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth in this agreement, and the law of the State of Rhode Island without regard to choice or conflict of laws principles that would cause the application of any other laws and that should any provision of this agreement be determined to be unlawful by a court of law or adjudicative body with jurisdiction over the parties, the remaining provisions of this agreement shall not be impaired and will continue to remain in full force and effect.

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Student Consent: Signature

By entering your enrollment code, full name, today's date, and signing below, you agree to participate in the Rhode2College program as it has been described to you, you agree to abide by the terms and conditions, and you release your data to Program Administration.

Do you consent to the above?

- Yes
- No

Please enter the 6-digit enrollment code found in your program invitation letter:

Please enter your full name:

Please enter today's date (mm/dd/yyyy):

Sign your full name below using a mouse or your finger:

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- A violation of any of the Program terms or conditions or providing falsified or fraudulent information during the registration process or during the Program shall result in the Student's termination from the Program and may result in the Student's forfeiting of all Program compensation.
- IPL and the Program Administration, as well as their leaders, directors, officers, employees, contractors, agents, volunteers, members and representatives, are not responsible for any injury, loss or damage of any kind whatsoever sustained by the Student or the Student's property while participating in the Program.
- I assume and accept all risks arising out of, associated with or related to the Student's participation in the Program.
- I waive and release IPL and the Program Administration from any and all liability for any loss, damage, injury or expense that the Student may suffer, or that my next of kin may suffer, as a result of the Student's participation in the Program due to any cause whatsoever.
- I indemnify and hold harmless IPL and the Program Administration from any and all liability for any damage to the personal property of, or personal injury to, any third party resulting from the Student's participation in the Program and to indemnify and hold harmless IPL and the Program Administration from any and

all claims, demands, actions and costs for any loss, injury, damage or expense whatsoever that might arise out of the Student's participation in the Program. I understand that participating in the Program may result in claims or grievances and that IPL will have a process for resolving claims or grievances related to the Program and further agree that I waive the right to pursue claims and/or grievances in any other manner than as provided in the Program by the Program Administration.

- This is a legal agreement and having read this agreement and knowing these facts and in consideration of my acceptance in the Program, I, for myself and anyone entitled to act on my behalf, waive and release IPL and all Program funders and sponsors, their representatives and successors from all claims or liabilities of any kind arising out of the Student's participation in this Program, even though that liability may arise out of negligence or carelessness on the part of the persons named in this agreement.
- I have been advised to seek the counsel of an attorney and an accountant relative to my obligations and the Student's pursuant to this agreement and that this agreement constitutes the complete understanding of the parties and supersede any other prior agreements. I further understand and agree that this agreement shall be construed in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth in this agreement, and the law of the State of Rhode Island without regard to choice or conflict of laws principles that would cause the application of any other laws and that should any provision of this agreement be determined to be unlawful by a court of law or adjudicative body with jurisdiction over the parties, the remaining provisions of this agreement shall not be impaired and will continue to remain in full force and effect.

Type your initials below to indicate consent to the above terms and conditions:

Parent Consent: Signature

By entering your full name, today's date, and signing below, you agree to allow your child to participate in the Rhode2College program as it has been described to you, you agree to abide by the terms and conditions, and you consent to the release of your child's data to Program Administration.

Do you consent to the above?

- Yes
- No

Please enter your full name:

Please enter today's date (mm/dd/yyyy):

Sign your full name below using a mouse or your finger: