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Parental/Guardian Permission Form for Department Pool Participants Earning Credit
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Your child, __________________________, is invited to take part in a study named Learning about and
Remembering Other People 1. The study is designed to learn more about how we learn about and remember
others. The research is being conducted by Dr. David M. Amodio, who is a Professor of Psychology at NYU.

If you permit participation in this study, your child will be asked to:
• Have their brain responses recorded using electroencephalography (EEG)
• Complete computer tasks in which they learn about and try to remember other people
• Answer questions about themselves

Participation will take about 120 minutes, and will earn 2 credits for laboratory participation towards the course
research requirement. If your child withdraws from the study, your child will receive credit for the time
completed. Your child can fulfill the course requirement in other ways besides participating in research.

There are no known risks associated with participation in this research beyond those of everyday life.
Although your child will receive no direct benefits for participation in this study, your child may become more
aware of how knowledge is discovered in psychology and help the investigator better understand how
humans interact with others.

Taking part in this study is voluntary. Not taking part or withdrawing from the study will not affect your child’s
grades or academic standing in any way. Your child has the right to skip or not answer any questions he/she
prefers not to answer. When your child completes the study, a thorough verbal and written explanation of it will
be provided.

Confidentiality of your child’s research records will be maintained by assigning unique, confidential
identification numbers codes to your responses. All materials will be stored in a locked laboratory room,
accessible only to the PI and collaborators for research purposes. Data will be deleted and/or shredded 5
years after their publication, as recommended by the American Psychological Association. The de-identified
data from the study will be kept at least until 5 years after publication, as recommended by the American
Psychological Association. De-identified data may also be posted online when research results are published.
Information not containing identifiers may be used in future research or shared with other researchers without
additional consent.

The researcher cannot keep information confidential if they have concerns that someone is hurting children or
that your child might hurt themselves or someone else. In such cases, the researcher will inform people in
authority about their concerns.

If there is anything about the study or taking part in it that is unclear or that you do not understand, or if you
have questions or wish to report a research-related problem, you may contact the principal investigator, Dr.
David M. Amodio at 212-998-3875, david.amodio@nyu.edu, 6 Washington Place, New York, NY 10003.

For questions about your child’s rights as a research participant, you may contact the University
Committee on Activities Involving Human Subjects (UCAHS/IRB), New York University, (212) 998-4808 or
ask.humansubjects@nyu.edu, 665 Broadway, Suite 804, New York, NY 10012.

Please Turn Document Over to Provide Permission Agreement and Signature

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Permission

I hereby grant permission for my child, ____________________, to participate in this research study.

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Parent's Signature               Date