**SAMPLE INFORMED CONSENT LANGUAGE: SURVEY RESEARCH**

**(*Name*),** a researcher (***Students must state: A student/graduate student***) at Regent University are conducting a study on **(THE TITLE OF YOUR STUDY GOES HERE)**. (***Your name goes here again***) has explained to me the purpose of this research and the intended outcome. I understand that I will be asked to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (specific procedures regarding the subject participation here, including any potential risks) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. My participation in this study should take a total of about \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ hours/minutes. I understand that my responses will be confidential or that anonymity will be preserved (include appropriate term; “confidential” indicates that subjects’ identities and responses will be known to investigator but will not be divulged; “anonymity” indicates that subjects’ identities will not be known or connected to responses) and that my name will not be associated with any results of this study. I know that I may refuse to answer any question asked and that I may discontinue participation at any time.

I also understand that any grade, payment, or credit (include one of these situations, if applicable) for participation will not be affected by my responses or by my exercising any of my rights. Potential risks resulting from my participation in this project have been described to me. I am aware that I seek further information about this study by contacting **(RESEARCHER’s NAME GOES HERE)** at **(CONTACT INFORMATION GOES HERE)**.

I am aware that I must be at least 18 years of age to participate. My completion of the survey signifies my voluntary participation in this project.