

## PERSONAL RELEASE FORM – Synergy Schools Solar Challenge 2025



I, \_\_\_\_\_, as the parent or lawful guardian of  
\_\_\_\_\_ ("Child") hereby:

1. irrevocably authorise and grant Synergy (including its successors and assigns) the right to:
  - a. collect personal information of me and the Child, including our names, and age of the Child and by taking audio and visual recordings and photographs of the Child in relation to the Synergy Schools Solar Challenge;
  - b. edit the audio and visual recordings and photographs of the Child in relation to the Synergy Schools Solar Challenge into photographic images, film recordings, television recordings, sound recordings, program/campaign/information packages, web campaigns (which may include other recordings and material), and/or other works derived from the images and/or recordings (the **"Recording"**);
  - c. use and disclose, without restriction, the Child's name, voice, image, physical likeness, any and all attributes of the Child's personality or performance, and other information relating to the Child in connection with the Recording for a period of four years from the date of this form (**"Appearance"**);
  - d. screen and broadcast the Recording, including but not limited to, on television, the internet and via other mediums including social media platforms for a period of four years from the date of this form; and
  - e. use and license others to use the Recording in all media throughout the world for a period of four years from the date of this form, including for the purposes of publicity, advertising, sales and promotion of the Synergy Schools Solar Challenge in all mediums, including the internet,
2. acknowledge that any personal information (including in the Recordings and Appearance) of the Child or you, is collected for the purposes outlined above, facilitating participation into the Synergy Schools Solar Challenge. If this personal information is not collected by Synergy, the Child may not be eligible to participate in the Synergy Schools Solar Challenge. Synergy usually discloses personal information of the kind collected as part of the Synergy Schools Solar Challenge to the Science Teachers Association of Western Australia for the same purposes, and is unlikely to disclose this personal information to overseas recipients.
3. release Synergy from any liability (except for any liability which cannot be excluded by law, or liability which arises from the wilful misconduct or the negligent acts or omissions of Synergy or its associates) resulting from:
  - a. the blurring, distortion, alteration, optical illusion or use in composite form of the Child's Appearance, whether intentional or otherwise, that may occur or be produced as a result of the reproduction, communication or editing of the Recording; and
  - b. the Use of any personal, proprietary or other right that I or the Child may have (if any) in relation to the Recording,
4. acknowledge that Synergy owns and shall own all rights, title and interest in the Recording (including intellectual property rights) and irrevocably and unconditionally assign to Synergy all rights, title and interest (including all present and future copyright and other intellectual property rights) in and to the Recording from the date of its creation,
5. acknowledge that Synergy may assign or license the Recording to the Science Teachers Association of Western Australia for the purposes of publicity, advertising and promotion of the Synergy Schools Solar Challenge for a period of four years from the date of this form,
6. consent to Synergy doing any act in relation to the Recording that is permitted by this release, even if that act would, apart from this release, infringe any moral rights in the Recording (to the extent that I or the Child is entitled to assert any moral rights (as conferred under the *Copyright Act 1968* (Cth)) in the Recording),
7. waive any right that I may have to inspect and/or approve the Recording or the advertising or printed or electronic copy that may be used in connection with the Recording, or to control the Use of the Child's Appearance in the Recording, or the disclosure of the Recording,
8. acknowledge that Synergy is not obliged to use the Recording, and
9. warrant that I have full power to enter into this release on behalf of myself and the Child and that the terms of this release do not in any way conflict with any commitment on my part or the Child's part.

References to "the Recording" in this release includes any and all edited versions made by Synergy.

References to "Use" in this release means: to use, reproduce, copy, publish and/or exploit; to mix, edit, duplicate, adapt, re-use and/or create derivative works; to assign, license and/or sub-license; to publicise and/or market; and/or to exhibit, perform, communicate, broadcast and/or distribute by any present or future media.

*[Please tick]*

☐ *I acknowledge and agree that this Personal Release Form will be provided by the school to the Electricity Generation and Retail Corporation t/a Synergy.*

Signed (by parent or guardian): \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Print name (of parent or guardian): \_\_\_\_\_

Child's age: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact number: \_\_\_\_\_

School name: \_\_\_\_\_

You can access Synergy's privacy policy which contains information about how you may access or request correction of you and your Child's personal information as well as information about how you may complain about our privacy practises at <https://www.synergy.net.au/privacy>.

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