

## Parental/Guardian Consent Form (Under 18)

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Number: \_\_\_\_\_

The University of Reading is committed to the safety and well-being of all its students. As students who are under 18 are regarded as children under UK law we require that you consider the following points and complete the form below if you wish your child to accept our offer of a place to study at the University of Reading:

1. I understand and accept that the University of Reading does not accept parental responsibility for my child
2. I understand and accept that the University of Reading is an adult environment and that my child will generally be treated as an adult
3. I consent to the University of Reading acting on medical advice in the best interests of my child to authorise emergency medical treatments if it is not possible to contact a parent or appointed guardian
4. I consent to the activities that my child will be undertaking as a necessary part of his or her studies
5. I understand and accept that the University of Reading's internet and email services are provided on the principle of unsupervised and unmonitored access
6. I understand and accept that, while studying at the University of Reading, my child will be subject to UK law and the rules and regulations of the University.

I confirm that I agree to the above statements  Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

### ***For families who are not based in the UK:***

***You will need to appoint a UK-based guardian\*, who will be responsible for your child's welfare whilst he/she is living in the UK. The guardian is an English speaking adult (over 18) who the University can contact in case of an emergency, should the need arise, and can act in loco parentis. The UK-based guardian may be a relative or friend of your family living in the UK but you should discuss these responsibilities with them and ask their consent before providing the University with their contact details. Please confirm the details of the UK-based guardian you have appointed below.***

UK-based Guardian Name:	
UK-based Guardian Address:	
UK-based Guardian Contact Phone Number:	
UK-based Guardian Email Address:	

Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

*\* If you do not have a contact in the UK who is willing and able to act as a guardian there are a number of agencies who will, for a fee, make guardianship arrangements for you. The Association of Educational Guardians for International Students (AEGIS) inspects and provides accreditation to guardianship organisations in the UK in line with current UK legislation. Further details are available at: [www.aegisuk.net](http://www.aegisuk.net)*