

Get permission to take an underage athlete abroad



One cannot travel abroad without permission of everyone with parental responsibility for a child.

Taking a child abroad without permission is child abduction.

Get permission from someone with parental responsibility

A letter of consent from the person with parental responsibility for the child is usually enough to show you've got permission to take them abroad.

You might be asked for the letter of consent at a UK or foreign border, or if there's a dispute about taking a child abroad.

Several unaccompanied minors are being stopped on their return to the UK and asked for their unaccompanied minor permission letter.

It is prudent for all Sports Team Managers if travelling with an unaccompanied minor to have a letter of consent signed by both parents giving permission, clearly stating where they are staying and who they are travelling with.

A sample letter of consent can be downloaded on the next page or on the DeaflympicsGB website in Word format.

To Whom It May Concern:

I (We), _____ (Insert full name(s) of custodial and/or non-custodial parent(s)/legal guardian(s)), am (are) the _____ (lawful custodial parent and /or non-custodial parent(s) or legal guardian(s)) of

Child's full name: _____
Date of birth (DD/MM/YY): _____
Place of birth: _____
British passport number: _____
Date of issue of British passport (DD/MM/YY): _____
Place of issue of British passport: _____

_____ (Child's name), has my (our) consent to travel with:

Full name of accompanying person: _____
British or foreign passport number: _____
Date of issue of passport (DD/MM/YY): _____
Date of issue of passport (DD/MM/YY): _____

To visit **Turkey** during the period of _____ (dates of travel: departure and return).

During that period, _____ (child's full name) will be residing with _____ (name of the person where the child will be residing in foreign country) at the following address: (full address) _____
_____ Telephone/mobile numbers (daytime and evening): _____

Any questions regarding this consent letter can be directed to the undersigned at the following address: (full address) _____
Telephone/mobile numbers (daytime and evening): _____

Signature(s): _____ Date: _____
(Full name(s) and signature(s) of custodial parent, and/or non-custodial parent(s) or legal guardian(s))

Signed before me, _____ (name of witness), on _____ (date) at _____ (location).

Signature: _____ (name of witness)