

**Parent's or Guardian's Informed Permission Form**

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY BEFORE SIGNING

*A first-hand experience with laboratory procedures is an important part of many courses in psychology. At NYU, we take advantage of our faculty's active research programs to give students that experience. Students in most courses participate in carefully supervised studies, thus gaining otherwise unobtainable experience with original research in psychology.*

*We have both department and university-wide committees that approve studies for our students. These committees are very exacting in enforcing high ethical standards. Each of the research projects contains safeguards designed to protect the rights and welfare of the students who participate. All records are confidential, so the privacy of the student's data is protected.*

**The Study:** Your child, \_\_\_\_\_, is invited to take part in a study named **Go with your guts 2**. It is being conducted by Dr. Ravit Nussinson who is the principal investigator. She can be reached at the Psychology Department, Meyer Building, 6 Washington Place, rm. 755F, (212)-998-7763 or at [ravit.levy@nyu.edu](mailto:ravit.levy@nyu.edu). The faculty sponsor of this work is Prof. John Bargh who can be reached at [john.bargh@yale.edu](mailto:john.bargh@yale.edu).

**Its Purpose:** The study is designed to learn more about intuitive processing of information

**Its Procedures:** If you give permission for your child to be in this study, he or she will be asked to do the following complete a series of short tasks involving the processing of visual information. Some of the tasks will be conducted on the computer and others are paper and pencil tasks. Participation will take no more than 1 hour.

**Its Risks:** There are no known risks associated with this study.

**Its Benefits:** Although your child will receive no direct benefits for participation in this study, it may make your child more aware of how knowledge is discovered in psychology and help the investigator better understand connections intuitive processing of information and different kinds of activation of the hemispheres.

**Consent:** Participation in this study is completely voluntary. Non-participation or withdrawal will not affect your child's grade or academic standing in any way. Further, once participating, he or she may withdraw at any time and still receive his/her 1 hour credit offered in exchange for that participation.

**Privacy:** Confidentiality of your child's research records will be strictly maintained by assigning a random number to his data. No personal information will be kept with his data. His/Her research records will be kept in a safe place for up to 5 years and will be then be erased or shredded.

**Debriefing:** On completing the study your child will receive a thorough written explanation of it that you may ask to see

*The information above has satisfied me such that I agree that my child may participate in your study. If I have any additional questions or want to report a problem, I may reach the researcher, Dr. Ravit Nussinson, or his/her Faculty Sponsor, Prof. John Bargh, at their contacts provided above. For questions about my child's rights as a research participant, I may contact the University Committee on Activities Involving Human Subjects (UCAIHS), Office of Sponsored Programs, NYU, (212) 998-2121.*

*I have received a copy of this permission document to keep.*

Permission Granted for my Child's Participation

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Parent's or Guardian's Signature

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Date