

The University of Texas at Austin's
Engineer Your World
Participant Agreement

Congratulations on having been selected to teach *Engineer Your World's Engineering Design & Analysis (EYW: Design)* course on your high school campus this coming school year! *Engineer Your World* is offered by the UTeach*Engineering* program in the Cockrell School of Engineering at The University of Texas at Austin. This agreement outlines your role and responsibilities as a participant in the program, both during the summer professional development institute (PDI) and as an instructor during the academic year. To confirm your participation in the PDI session to be held June 21 – July 2, 2021, please sign and return this form by the requested date.

A. Participant Responsibilities – Professional Development Institute

You have read and agree to the following policies of this program:

1. You will maintain 100% attendance during the summer PDI.
2. You will complete and submit all required assignments, including all pre-work assigned in preparation for the PDI and all synchronous and asynchronous activities scheduling throughout the virtual PDI.
3. You will pass all required skill-checks during the PDI (e.g., building a circuit, writing and executing a software program).
4. You will complete all required assessments during the PDI.
5. By participating in the *Engineer Your World* program, you agree that all materials that you produce relating to the professional development program during the program period (“Engineer Your World Materials”), including lesson plans, artifacts and teaching materials developed by you, become the exclusive property of the University of Texas at Austin (“UT”). You and *Engineer Your World* consider the Engineer Your World Materials to be a work made for hire. If for any reason the Engineer Your World Materials would not be considered a work made for hire under applicable law, you hereby sell, assign, and transfer to UT the entire right, title and interest in and to the copyright in the Engineer Your World Materials and all works based upon, derived from, or incorporating the Engineer Your World Materials. Subject to the provisions and requirements of this Agreement, UT grants you a non-exclusive, royalty-free license to copy, modify and publicly display the Engineer Your World Materials for academic, noncommercial purposes. In consideration of this license, you grant UT a non-exclusive, royalty-free license to any derivative works you may create involving the Engineer Your World Materials, and you agree to promptly forward to UT copies of such derivative works.

B. Participant Responsibilities – Academic Year

The *Engineer Your World* team performs an evaluation on program elements including the *Engineer Your World* curriculum, professional development, and ongoing teacher support programs. In support of these evaluation efforts, we request the following, annually, of all educators teaching *Engineer Your World*.

1. You will implement the *Engineer Your World* curriculum as provided by The University of Texas at Austin. You will make a good-faith effort to complete the entire curriculum. You will not add any

outside projects or engineering content to the course except in the case where time remains at the end of the year, after the completion of the full *Engineer Your World* curriculum.

2. If applicable, you will allow *Engineer Your World* staff to observe your high school for program evaluation purposes only.
3. You will complete any *Engineer Your World* survey requested of you, including at the beginning of and end of each academic year.
4. You will administer any *Engineer Your World* surveys requested of your students, both at the beginning and end of each academic year.
5. You will participate in ongoing support and professional development opportunities offered by *Engineer Your World* throughout the academic year.
6. You should share materials that you produce relating to the curriculum (*e.g.* schedules, grading rubrics) with *Engineer Your World* so that we may share these resources with the broader *Engineer Your World* teaching community.

I have read the conditions herein, and I accept the terms of this agreement.

Signature: _____

Printed Name: _____

School: _____

Date: _____

Please keep a copy of this form for your records and return the signed and dated form by the requested date. You may scan and email the form to lcotlar@austin.utexas.edu or upload it to the [UTBox widget](#).