

Lesson Plan/Unit Rights Transfer Agreement

1. In exchange for the opportunity to have my lesson plan/lesson plan unit considered for use in the United States Mint's HIP Pocket Change Lesson Plan Project (the "Project"), by indicating I agree to this rights transfer agreement, I assign to the Mint in perpetuity without compensation all right, title and interest in the lesson plan/ unit [No. _____ Titled _____] I am submitting, including but not limited to all titles, key words, subject areas, goals, activities, etc. and other field information I enter through forms on the United States Mint HIP Pocket Change website, and any other materials I deliver to the Mint relating to the lesson Plan/unit) (all together referred to as "Lesson Plan/Unit"), and all renewals and extensions.
2. I understand that I will not be able to inspect or approve the Lesson Plan/Unit or any promotional materials that may be created for it or the Project, that the Lesson Plan/Unit may be edited or altered, and that any or all of the Lesson Plan/Unit may ultimately not be used in the Project. I understand that the Project contemplates unlimited use of the Lesson Plan/Unit in all media and markets now known or hereafter developed, such as both Internet and offline distribution, that the Mint will fully own the Lesson Plan/Unit, and that without the Mint's additional permission, beyond the rights to use the Lesson Plan/Unit the Mint may grant to the public, I will not be able to use it or exploit any role I may have had in creating it. I release and hold harmless the United States Mint and its agents and assigns, from any claims and/or liability relating to the Lesson Plan/Unit or its use.
3. I promise and warrant to the Mint that:
 - a. I am the only owner of all rights in the Lesson Plan/Unit (including but not limited to all copyright), and the Lesson Plan/Unit is my own original work and not copied.
 - b. If the Lesson Plan/Unit contains anyone else's intellectual property, I have received that party's written permission to include their property in the Lesson Plan/Unit for transfer to the Mint and use as contemplated by this Agreement.
 - c. If the Lesson Plan/Unit mentions or illustrates a living person, I have received in writing that person's permission to use his/her name and other descriptive information in the Lesson Plan/Unit for transfer to the Mint and use as contemplated by this Agreement.
 - d. I am over 21 years of age, and am authorized and legally competent to sign this Agreement, and I indemnify the United States Mint and its licensees against any claim for breach or for infringement of copyright or other third party rights related to the Lesson Plan/Unit or its use. I also waive and agree not to enforce any moral rights or any other rights relating to the attribution and artistic integrity of visual works to the extent they pertain to the Lesson Plan/Unit as it may be used or modified.

- e. The Lesson Plan/Unit does not contain, and I agree not to transmit, post, or distribute to or involving the Mint's Web Site, anything that is obscene, libelous, abusive, vulgar, threatening, discourteous or otherwise objectionable, violates any law or rights of any party, or which contains a virus, worm or other harmful material. I understand I may be responsible for any damage resulting from any such violation or resulting harm. I also understand that unauthorized attempts to upload information or change information on the Mint's Web Site are strictly prohibited and may be punishable under the Computer Fraud and Abuse Act of 1986 and the National Information Infrastructure Protection Act.

- 4. I have read and understand the terms of this agreement, and there are no conditions, promises or understandings between me and the Mint concerning the Lesson Plan/Unit which are not listed here. This agreement will be governed by applicable Federal law.

Signed: _____
Name: _____
Address: _____
Dated: _____
Time: _____