“Inspiring a Passion for Learning”

Please answer ALL of the following questions so we can help you make your trip great!

The information you share on this form will help us make our programs better. Your answers will NOT be traced back to you as an individual or graded for accuracy. If you do not know an answer, please write “I don’t know.”

Name: ____________________ School/group: _____________________________ Grade: ______

1. Imagine the next few years in school…if you could make a choice about what classes (subjects) you could take, would you choose to take a science class? (circle one)
   - Never
   - Doubtful
   - Maybe
   - Definitely

2A. Have you ever considered becoming a scientist or working with science? (circle one)
   - Never
   - Doubtful
   - Maybe
   - Definitely

2B. If not, what do you hope to be? _____________________________________________

3. Could you design an experiment, using the Scientific Method? (circle one)
   - I don’t know how
   - I could do it with a teacher
   - I could do it with classmates
   - I could do it myself

4. If you designed an experiment using the Scientific Method, list below the steps you would include.
   _____________________________________________
   _____________________________________________
   _____________________________________________

5. Please rate for the following two sets of terms how you would feel if you were asked to spend a few hours doing a science experiment in the classroom:
   a.) Bored
   - Uninterested
   - Neutral
   - Interested
   - Very Excited
   b.) Anxious/Nervous
   - Somewhat Nervous
   - Neutral
   - Somewhat Confident
   - Confident/Comfortable

6. Please rate for the following two sets of terms how you would feel if you were asked to spend a few hours doing a science experiment in the natural world:
   a.) Bored
   - Uninterested
   - Neutral
   - Interested
   - Very Excited
   b.) Anxious/Nervous
   - Somewhat Nervous
   - Neutral
   - Somewhat Confident
   - Confident/Comfortable
7. What is a watershed? ___________________________________________________________

8. What is your watershed? _______________________________________________________

9. Imagine a typical work day for an environmental scientist...list three things related to water quality that they might measure in their watershed or on the Puget Sound (example: temperature, etc.)
   a) ................................................................................................................
   b) ................................................................................................................
   c) ................................................................................................................

10. List one way humans affect their watershed and the ocean?
    _________________________________________________________________________

11. Name a person who is:
    a) an Athlete______________________________________________________________
    b) a Politician______________________________________________________________
    c) an Actor/Actress_________________________________________________________
    d) a Scientist______________________________________________________________

12. Do you think it is important to keep the Puget Sound healthy?
    Not at all  Very little  Somewhat  Quite a bit  Very much

13. How excited are you to practice field science research during this Salish Sea Expedition?
    Not excited at all  Not very excited  Neutral  Excited  Can’t wait

14. How excited are you to carry out an action piece/ restoration project with Salish Sea Expeditions?
    Not excited at all  Not very excited  Neutral  Excited  Can’t wait

15. List 2 types of restoration project?
    1. _______________________________________________________________________
    2. _______________________________________________________________________

16. How can a restoration project impact your community?
    _______________________________________________________________________

Circle the correct option:

Year you were born: 1995  1996  1997  1998  1999  2000  2001  2002  2003  2004  2005
Month you were born: Jan  Feb  March  Apr  May  June  July  Aug  Sept  Oct  Nov  Dec
Your Gender: Female  Male
Your number of brothers:_____  Your number of sisters:_____
Ethnicity: African American  Asian American  Latino  Native American  Caucasian/White  Other_______