

EAA Young Eagles®

Your guide to the Young Eagles experience

The EAA Young Eagles program was launched in 1992 to give young people ages 8-17 the opportunity to go flying in a general aviation airplane.

After 2 million Young Eagles flights, we've seen a lot of young people gain new motivation, focus, and maturity. For some, aviation becomes a lifelong hobby or career.

After today's flight, we encourage you to explore all the possibilities that aviation has to offer through the Young Eagles Flight Plan program—a series of valuable resources and enriching learning opportunities that can get your child's future off the ground.



Meet your pilot

The pilots who participate in the Young Eagles program are local members of EAA who are volunteering their time and aircraft to make your flight possible. Each Young Eagles pilot is certificated with the Federal Aviation Administration or Transport Canada. Flights are conducted according to federal regulations and no aerobatic maneuvers will be performed.



What will my preflight be like?

First of all, your pilot will explain what you will see and do. This may include explaining how airplanes work, looking at an aeronautical chart (or map), and describing the interior of the airplane, including the instrument panel. Then comes the fun part: **You get to go flying!**



Safety reminders

Safety is always a top priority when it comes to aviation. Listen and follow instructions given by your pilot, stay away from the propellers, and stay with your pilot or ground crew at all times.



What will my flight be like?

You will spend about 15 to 20 minutes in the air and follow the basic steps in the illustration to the right. You will experience the awesome feeling of flight that many people only dream about. Many people remember this experience for the rest of their lives. You will, too!

Share your Young Eagles experience!



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A special message from Sean D. Tucker Air show performer and national Young Eagles chairman

"Once a person leaves the ground, it changes their perspective. It's uplifting, inspiring, and empowering. The EAA Young Eagles program gives today's young people the opportunity to discover the world for themselves, and in doing so, empowers them to dream and achieve beyond what they can imagine."

As the world's leading civilian air show performer, Sean D. Tucker has touched the hearts of more than 100 million fans over the past 25 years. As Young Eagles chairman, Sean hopes to inspire today's young people to push their boundaries while recognizing the volunteers who make the Young Eagles program successful.

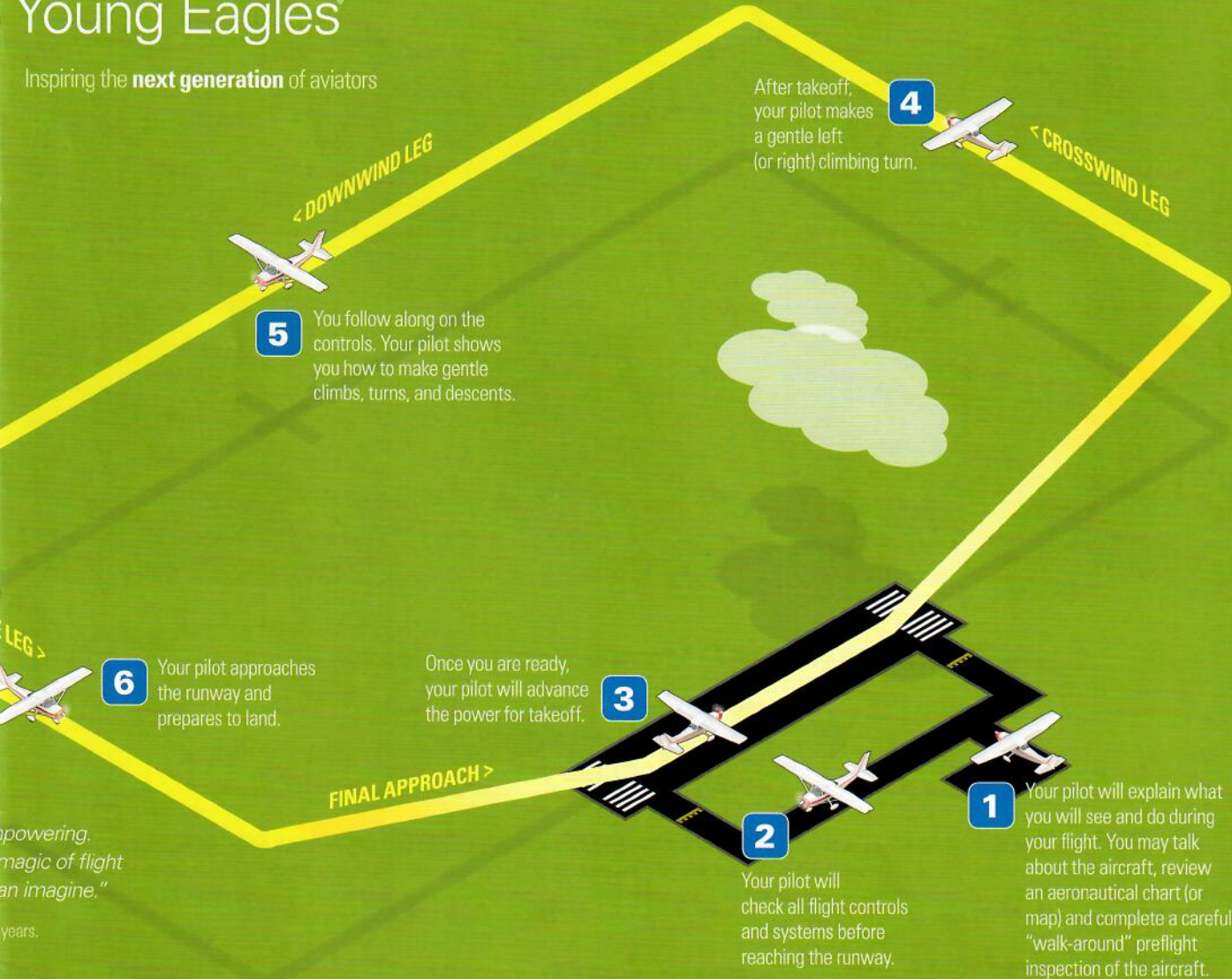
The parts of an airplane

- A. FUSELAGE:** The body of the airplane that includes the cockpit, where you and the pilot sit.
- B. WINGS:** These help create lift.
- C.AILERONS:** These help turn the airplane right or left.
- D. FLAPS:** These help the airplane fly slowly for landing.
- E. ENGINE/PROPELLER:** The engine turns the propeller, which in turn pushes or pulls the airplane through the sky.
- F. TAIL:** The "shark's fin" at the back of the airplane.
- G. RUDDER:** This helps the airplane's nose move left or right.
- H. ELEVATORS:** These help the airplane's nose move up or down.



Young Eagles

Inspiring the **next generation** of aviators



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**YOUNG EAGLES PROGRAM
AGREEMENT TO WAIVE LIABILITY, ASSUME RISK, AND INDEMNIFY;
RELEASE FOR USE OF PHOTOS AND IMAGES**

The young person listed below (The "Participant") wants to take part in the Experimental Aircraft Association, Inc. ("EAA") Young Eagles program, including riding in an airplane. The Young Eagles program is conducted by volunteer EAA member pilots who are licensed by the Federal Aviation Administration ("FAA") or Transport Canada ("TC"). These volunteer pilots fly a wide variety of aircraft that are also licensed by the FAA or TC. I represent and warrant that I am the Participant's parent or legal guardian and that I have the authority to enter into this agreement on behalf of the Participant. In exchange for being allowed to take part in the Young Eagles program, the Participant and I agree as follows:

ASSUMPTION OF RISK

The Participant and I understand that flying in airplanes and being around airplanes involves risks. Serious injury or death can result from many causes, including without limitation airplane crashes, falls, pilot error, ground crew error, engine or mechanical failure, negligent maintenance, defects in runways, interference by wildlife and other objects, difficult search and rescue conditions, inadequate emergency response, weather or terrain conditions, contaminated fuel, or hard or forced landings. Injuries could be minor such as bruises, scratches and sprains, major such as eye injuries, broken bones and concussions, or catastrophic such as paralysis, severe burns or death. If the Participant is old enough to understand these risks, I have explained them to him or her. **The Participant and I (for ourselves, our heirs, family members, personal representatives and assigns) assume all risks and full responsibility for any injury or death arising from taking part in the Young Eagles program including riding in an airplane.**

AGREEMENT TO WAIVE LIABILITY AND NOT TO SUE

The Participant and I (for ourselves, our heirs, family members, personal representatives and assigns) release and discharge: (a) Experimental Aircraft Association, Inc.; (b) EAA Aviation Foundation, Inc. ("Foundation"); and (c) the officers, directors, members, chapters, employees, agents, divisions, affiliates and volunteers (including pilots, owners and operators of airplanes used in the Young Eagles program) of each of those corporations (collectively, the "Releasees") from, and agree not to sue the Releasees or any of them for, any and all claims against any of the Releasees for any injury or death arising from the Participant's participation in the Young Eagles program. This release, discharge and agreement not to sue applies to all legal rights, including those resulting from any negligence of Releasees, other than those resulting from the gross negligence or willful misconduct of such Releasee.

INDEMNIFICATION

The Participant and I agree to indemnify and hold the Releasees harmless from any claims, costs, damages, and liabilities, including attorney's fees, arising from taking part in the Young Eagles program. **This duty to indemnify and hold the Releasees harmless applies even if any of the Releasees is negligent; however, indemnification of any Releasee is not required if such Releasee is grossly negligent or has engaged in willful misconduct.**

PHOTO AND IMAGE RELEASE

The Participant and I hereby give the Releasees the absolute and irrevocable right and permission to use photographs, pictures and/or images of the Participant taken at or derived from his or her participation in the Young Eagles program (the "Images") in whole or in part, with or without alteration or modification, in any and/or all manner and in any and/or all media, in connection with EAA's or the Foundation's activities, programs, publications and publicity.

LEGAL ADVICE

I know that I can talk to my legal advisor about this Agreement and I have either done so or chosen not to. I understand that I have the right and have been given the opportunity to object to and bargain about the provisions of this Agreement. **I am voluntarily signing this Agreement and intend it to be the unconditional release of all liability to the greatest extent allowed by law.**

Before Signing, Carefully Read This Entire Agreement

Note from EAA: If an accident were to occur, you and the Participant (by signing this Agreement) would be giving up legal rights and incurring legal liabilities. If any part of this Agreement is held invalid, the rest of the provisions shall remain in effect. If you do not understand anything in this Agreement, you should not sign it and you should talk to your legal advisor.

Parent or Guardian's Signature

Please Print Young Person's Name

Please Print Parent or Guardian's Name

Date



EAA® Young Eagles® Registration Form

YOUNG EAGLE: Complete the upper portion of this form (outlined in red) in black ink and give it to your volunteer pilot.
PARENTS: Please read and sign the reverse side of this document before the flight.

PLEASE PRINT: A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

Young Eagles Registration

LAST NAME OF PARTICIPANT										FIRST NAME										MIDDLE INITIAL					
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ADDRESS																									
CITY										STATE/PROVINCE		ZIP/POSTAL CODE													
DATE OF BIRTH (MM/DD/YY)				HAVE YOU PARTICIPATED BEFORE?*				TELEPHONE NUMBER																	
PARENT'S E-MAIL ADDRESS																									

Note to Parent/Guardian: Please read and sign the reverse side of this form before the flight.

*NOTE: Prior participation does not prohibit additional flight, but program goals give priority to new participants.

Pilot Registration

Complete and sign the lower portion of this form and make sure the reverse side is signed before the flight. Following the flight, send the form as soon as possible to the EAA Young Eagles office. Only registrations received at the Young Eagles office can be entered into the World's Largest Logbook.

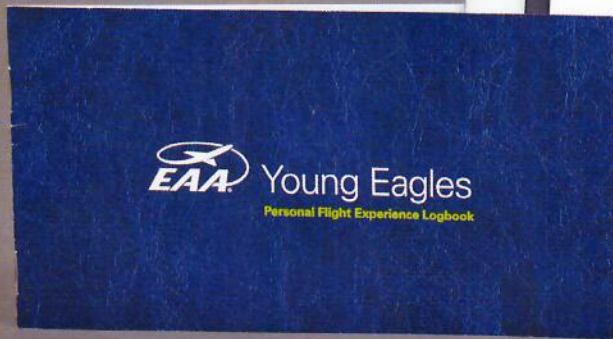
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I hereby certify that I meet the following guidelines for participation in the EAA Young Eagles program: I am a current EAA member; I hold a pilot certificate and valid medical certificate (if applicable); I am current in the aircraft I will fly and have a current flight review; and I am in compliance with all EAA Youth Protection Policy requirements that currently apply to me. I also have passenger liability insurance, and the aircraft I will fly is in airworthy condition.

Pilot Signature _____ Date _____

Send completed form to: EAA Young Eagles Office | P.O. Box 2683 | Oshkosh, WI, 54903-2683
Questions? Please visit EAA.org/YoungEagles or call us at 920-426-4831.

Your Young Eagles flight is **just the beginning!**



After your flight, your pilot will present you with your very own Young Eagles logbook, along with an entry for today's flight. On the back of that logbook, you'll find a unique code to activate your free EAA student membership.

As an EAA student member, you'll get some awesome stuff that gives you more ways to participate in the fun and exciting world of flight.

EAA Student Membership includes:

- > **FREE** access to the Sporty's Learn to Fly Course (\$199 value) with Embry-Riddle flight instructor support.
- > **FREE** admission to 300+ science and technology museums
- > **FREE** Academy of Model Aeronautics Student Membership
- > **FREE** electronic copy of *EAA Sport Aviation*
- > **FREE** first flight lesson* (\$130 value)
*Upon completion of the first three volumes of the Sporty's Learn to Fly Course
- > Access to valuable flight training awards, education scholarships, and Air Academy camperships
- > **And much more!**

To get started, visit YoungEagles.org/join and enter the unique code printed on the back of your logbook.

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