Dear Parents,

 Your child has indicated an interest in the Junior Master Gardener Club (a gardening club) at Birney Elementary School. It will be meeting during the ASP on every other Wednesday afternoon from 3:00 p.m. until 4:00 p.m. The Junior Master Gardener Club will be led by a group of Cobb County Master Gardeners. In addition to time working in the school garden, the Master Gardeners will be sharing information about the following topics:

1. Plant parts, growth, and development
2. Soil and water
3. Ecology
4. Insects and other pollinators
5. Garden design
6. Trees and fruits
7. Vegetables and Herbs
8. Nutrition
9. Careers related to horticulture
10. Other garden related topics

There will be no cost to your child for this program, and it is totally voluntary.

The Cobb County Master Gardeners are all volunteering their time to support this club.

I give permission for my child \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

to participate in the Jr. Master Gardener Club at Birney Elementary school during the ASP.

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Parent Signature Date