Guidelines:
• Trunks are available for use by teachers who have been certified through a Noble Research Institute Youth Education Teacher Training Workshop.
• Trunks are available for a one week checkout period; extensions may be made if there are no other reservations.
• While Noble works to make sure as many teachers as possible have access to the trunks, we cannot guarantee your reservations. You will receive a confirmation email when your reservation is accepted.
• Trunks will be mailed to the school at no cost to the teacher and will include a prepaid postage label for return shipping to Noble Research Institute.
• Teachers are responsible for checking contents before use and before returning the trunk to Noble Research Institute.
• While using the trunk is free to teachers, be aware that the value of the trunk equipment and supplies is approximately $700. If trunks are mistreated or misused, Noble reserves the right to refuse future reservations and may discontinue the Exploration Trunk Program.

Responsibilities of Teacher (user):
• Complete the online reservation form and accept the Exploration Trunk Use Policies.
• Be sure that someone will be at the school to accept the trunk.
• Use the trunk materials and supplies as intended with appropriate care.
• Check materials in the trunk using the included supply checklist to ensure everything is included and in good working order.
• Use the supply checklist to check materials again prior to sending the trunk back to Noble.
• On the supply checklist, indicate any broken materials or equipment.
• On the supply checklist, explain any problems encountered while using the trunk.
• Pack materials neatly and securely to avoid damage during shipping.
• Timely return of the trunk by mail using the included prepaid postage label is appreciated.

Responsibilities of Noble Research Institute:
• Maintain an up-to-date calendar of reservations that is available online to teachers.
• Maintain trunk materials and equipment in good working order and replace supplies when necessary.
• Check materials and equipment prior to shipping using the supply checklist.
• Send trunks in a timely manner to teachers.