

## Student School Pledge/Agreement

*It is important that families and Schools work together to help students achieve high academic standards. Through a balanced educational approach we ensure success. The following are agreed upon roles and responsibilities for students. Your signature signifies support of these actions.*

### **Student Pledge– I agree to carry out the following responsibilities to the best of my ability:**

1. Come to School on time with a positive attitude ready to learn and work hard.
2. Bring necessary materials, and submit homework, completed assignments, projects, PATs and experiments.
3. Know and follow school and class rules.
4. Ask for help when I need it.
5. Communicate regularly with my parents and teachers about school experiences so that they can help me to be successful in school.
6. Limit my TV watching, using cell phone and any electronic gadgets, and instead study or read every day after school.
7. Respect the school, classmates, staff, students, and parents and accept responsibilities and consequences of my actions.
8. Follow social contracts.
9. Respect and honour all hostel rules, hostel staff and teachers on duty.
10. I will come to school with a grateful heart and show gratitude through kind words, good deeds, and positive actions.
11. I will show through words and action that I value my education and that school is important.
12. I will ask my parents to be actively involved in my school by, bringing needed classroom supplies, volunteering at my school, and reading the school newsletters or parent letters sent by the school.
13. I will be a super citizen and behave in a way that helps me and my peers to learn in class.
14. I promise to do my personal best in all my work, to be responsible for my attitude, words and actions, to treat others as I would like to be treated, and I will accept the consequences of my behaviour.
15. I promise to desist from any riotous activities and remain committed to continue with my classes obediently. At no point will I engage in any disrespectful activities that disrupts my education and that of other learners. I pledge to relate to the principal and teachers with due respect.
16. I promise to wear full proper school uniform at all required times.
17. I promise to adhere to the school hair policy without any deviations whatsoever. I promise to keep my hair short and neat and not keep any beard.
18. I promise to keep my nails clipped short with no nail paint or polish.
- 19. I promise not leaving the school premises without permission. ( No jumping of fence )**
20. I promise that I shall not use and abuse drugs and alcohol. I will not smoke dagga and drink alcohol. I am aware that if I test positive for drugs or that if I am caught taking drugs and alcohol, I will be immediately expelled from the school. I promise to immediately report anyone taking drugs and alcohol.

***I have received, read and understood the student pledge, and I agree to honour and support this pledge, failure of which I will be liable for disciplinary proceedings which might result in my suspension, expulsion or deregistration.***

Signed at ..... (place) on .....(date)

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Student Signature

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Parent Signature

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Teacher/SMT/Principal