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NORTH DAVIS PREPARATORY ACADEMY

Faculty/Parent/Student Compact

The NDPA School Community has developed the following school compact in order for students, parents and school personnel to work as partners in a learning environment characterized by our core values.

North Davis Preparatory Academy Vision

In order to ensure *NDPA students develop a love of learning, achieve high academic standards, and enjoy high bi-literate proficiency*, and develop college and career readiness, the NDPA school community has developed the following:

CORE VALUES

- We prepare the child for the path, not the path for the child.
- We nurture curiosity, self-discipline, and the courage to act on our own thoughts and dreams.
- All interactions between students, teachers, staff, and parents are based on honesty, trust, and respect.
- We are a community that embraces differences in our languages, cultures, religions, and abilities.

END STATEMENTS

- All students will produce exceptional work.
- All students will utilize autonomous learning skills taking responsibility for their own learning.
- All students will demonstrate personal and social responsibility.
- All students will fluently communicate in the Spanish language with a native speaker.

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FACULTY

As teachers, administrators and staff members, we commit to parents and students that we will:

- Place the education of your student as the highest priority
 - Provide Highly Qualified teachers with expertise in their content and educational pedagogy
 - Provide a challenging academic curriculum to your students to prepare them with content and complex thinking skills for success at college and beyond
 - Provide your students with activities to ensure they know how to apply for college and apply for scholarships and financial aide
 - Provide quality instruction in the Spanish language to provide each student with a competitive advantage in the workplace
 - Teach the “whole child” helping them develop autonomous learning skills and personal and social responsibility for future success
 - Provide a safe and orderly environment with all interactions characterized by respect, understanding, love and logic
 - If any of us act or react in a way that you feel is unjust, you only need say to me, “I’m not sure that’s fair.” We will arrange a private conference during which you can express to me why you feel our actions were not fair.

- Develop strong and trusting partnerships with you as we:
 - Provide information to you regarding school activities, events, policies and procedures through Friday Notes each month and our NDPA website
 - Report students’ educational progress and update grades regularly through our Student Information System (SIS).
 - Provide opportunities for you to provide input to school officials through
 - Bi-monthly Board of Directors’ meetings
 - Monthly Community Council meetings
 - Monthly POET Board meetings
 - Scheduled appointments with any of us
 - Respond to your calls and emails in a timely fashion
 - Welcome any concern you may have about your student, and we pledge we will never retaliate against you or your student.

PARENTS

As a parent at NDPA I commit to the NDPA school personnel I will:

- Place the education of our children as the highest priority
 - Ensure our students attend regularly and are on time daily so their educational progress does not suffer
 - Support school policies including the school uniform policy
 - Provide daily support at home for homework
 - Stay informed about school activities
 - Attend Parent-Teacher Conferences to understand my student(s) progress
- Develop strong and trusting partnerships with the teachers
 - Alert the teacher of serious problems my student may have that may interfere with his/her learning
 - Go directly to a teacher or school personnel if I have a concern or conflict with that person
 - Respect the teaching and preparation time of teachers and school personnel by scheduling appointment for meetings and picking up my students on time
 - Volunteer 30 hours to support the students of NDPA.

STUDENT

As a student at NDPA commit to my parents and NDPA school personnel I will:

- Do my best in my school-work
- Treat all other people – teachers, staff members, and other students – with respect, and I will “make it right” when I make mistake
- Demonstrate the courage to ask questions or ask for help in front of other
Tell my teacher if there is a serious problem that interferes with my learning
- Persist, and not give up easily
- Treat the school building, grounds furniture and equipment respectfully and carefully.

Parent Signature: _____ Date_____

Student Signature: _____ Date_____

School Official Signature: _____ Date_____