



# HAMPTON CITY SCHOOLS

## Fundamental School Contract

The Fundamental School attempts to build within each child a sense of responsibility, confidence, pride in accomplishment, and a positive self-image through proven academic achievement in a quiet and orderly setting. It is based on the belief that learning best takes place in carefully structured, well-disciplined educational surroundings. The major emphasis is on basic academic skills and subject matter, and fostering good study habits.

Parents/Guardians who enroll their children in \_\_\_\_\_ Fundamental School do so entirely of their own free will. In doing so: however, the parent and student must agree to abide by the rules and policies of the school.

### THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THOSE INVOLVED IN THIS AGREEMENT ARE AS FOLLOWS:

#### THE SCHOOL WILL:

1. Provide an orderly and structured environment.
2. Enforce the rules and regulations according to the Hampton City Schools Student's Rights & Responsibilities Handbook and the school's code of student conduct.
3. Administer disciplinary actions fairly and in accordance with school and district policy.
4. Treat all individuals equally.
5. Respect the rights of all individuals.
6. Keep parents informed of the academic progress and conduct of their children.
7. Emphasize the basic academic skills and subject matter.

#### THE STUDENT WILL:

1. Demonstrate respect for authority, property, and the rights of others.
2. Follow the rules and regulations of the school.
3. Attend school regularly and comply with attendance regulations.
4. Comply with the school code of personal appearance.
5. Take the responsibility for fulfilling all assignments.
6. Have all necessary materials.
7. Comply with district and school disciplinary regulations.

#### THE PARENTS / GUARDIAN WILL:

1. Support the rules and regulations of the school.
2. Foster respect for authority, property, and the rights of others.
3. Instruct their children to obey all attendance regulations.
4. Cooperate freely with the school in carrying out disciplinary action when necessary.
5. Work with the school in implementing recommendations which the school feels are in the child's best interest.
6. Encourage their children to comply with the school's dress code of personal appearance.
7. Attend conferences as requested concerning student progress and conduct.
8. Provide a study area at home.
9. Make certain that homework assignments are completed in a prompt and neat manner.
10. Make arrangements for each student to be transported to/from school. Each student will need to arrive and be picked-up on time.

Fully understanding the commitments of all parties concerned as listed above, I desire to have my child enrolled in the Fundamental School. It is understood that the school program will stress the basic skills of reading, mathematics and language arts. The home will be required to be a partner in the educational process of the child.

Since discipline and social maturity enhance the instructional environment, it is understood that the parent/guardian will work cooperatively with the school if his/her child has social or discipline problems which interfere with the school's ability to provide for the needs of his/her child or other children.

If a student violates rules and regulations to the degree that the contractual agreement is compromised, the principal will communicate these concerns to the parent/guardian orally and in writing. If these concerns are not resolved satisfactorily, the student will be placed on probation. The school will work with the student the equivalent of one full grading period before any decision is made to withdraw him/her from the school.

<b>Child's Full Name:</b> _____	<i>All applications will be considered on the basis of: (1) Date of application, (2) Openings by both grade and school enrollment, (3) Preferred Application Zone.</i>
<b>Age:</b> _____ <b>Grade:</b> _____	
<b>School Now Attending:</b> _____	
<b>Sex:</b> _____ <b>Race:</b> _____	
<b>Address/Telephone:</b> _____	
<b>PRINCIPAL'S COMMENTS:</b> _____	
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<b>OFFICE USE ONLY</b>	<b>INTERVIEW REQUIRED:</b> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>Room Placement:</b> _____

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Parent's or Guardian's Signature) (Date)

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(School Official's Signature) (Date)

**I have read & discussed this agreement with my parents. I fully understand the rules and I am willing to abide with them.**

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(Student's Signature) (Date)