

Student Expectations Contract

As a contributing member of the Southwest Robotics Team, I know to:

- Be respectful to team members, sponsors, myself, and the team image.
- Listen to more experienced students and mentors and get any assigned tasks done as expected.
- Speak up when I think something should be done differently or I would like to work on something else.
- Ask questions.
- Never ignore instructions or just sit around.
- **Actively** participate on the team by contributing during meetings and events.
- Be appropriate and exhibit a positive reflection of myself, the team, FIRST, and our sponsors.
- Be dedicated to learning as much as possible, exhibiting creativity, providing ideas and energy, and having fun.
- Be enthusiastic and inspired about our team and sharing knowledge with others.
- Follow all rules of the Minneapolis Public School District and Minnesota State High School League.
- Check my e-mail daily and keep current with team activities and requirements. If checking my e-mail daily is impossible, I will find an "E-mail Buddy" who can call or tell me about all updates during class.
- Attend team meetings a minimum of 1 time a week during the PreSeason and 3 times a week during the 6-week Jan-Feb Build Season. Exceptions may be made for students who have other time-commitments during certain periods of the year (for instance, soccer practice in the fall).

For the safety of myself and others, I will:

- Use my common sense.
- Listen and immediately follow safety-related instructions such as "don't do that" or "wear goggles".
- Wear safety glasses, ear protection, and gloves when appropriate.
- Only use tools without adult supervision if I have enough experience and can follow all appropriate safety measures.
- Never use the woodshop workspace without others present.
- Always alert others near me and make sure that they are safe when I use power tools.
- Take off any potentially dangerous jewelry when using tools.
- Wear close toed shoes and have long hair pulled back when in the woodshop.
- Exhibit proper behavior at all time (absolutely no horseplay).
- Always clean the work area before leaving the room.
- Immediately alert everyone present when any accident/injury occurs.

I will only be allowed to participate on this team if I:

- Am in 8th-12th grade.
- Maintain a GPA of 2.5 or greater.
- Follow all expectations.
- Complete all necessary paperwork and pay required fees.

By signing below, I verify that I have read and understand the above expectations. I understand that if I do not follow expectations I will not be allowed to participate on the team.

Student Name _____ Signature _____

Parent Signature _____ Date ____/____/____