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GRACE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

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PARENT COMMISSION

Student Name(s): _____

The leadership, faculty, and staff of Grace Christian School seek to assist parents in training their children by operating the school in accordance with its Statement of Faith, mission, core values, philosophy of education, and stated policies. In return, in keeping with the biblical principle that parents are primarily responsible for the education of their children and recognizing that the school and parents must partner together in agreement in order for success to be the result (Amos 3:3), the school's leadership and administration asks parents and/or guardians of Grace Christian School students to make the following acknowledgments and agreements concerning their children:

- We understand and acknowledge our commitment to the stated biblical Christian world view mission, Statement of Faith, Core Values, and philosophy of education at Grace Christian School. (GCS Handbook Section 1)
- We understand and agree to abide by, and reinforce to our children, the policies (e.g. academic and moral standards) and procedures of Grace Christian School (e.g. dress code, arrival and departure times, traffic patterns, attendance, etc.) as they are communicated in appropriate school literature. We acknowledge that, as parents, we are ultimately accountable for both the external actions and internal attitudes of our children and accept our God-given responsibility to disciple them.
- We will keep apprised of our children's academic progress and behavior by appropriately communicating on a frequent and consistent basis with their teachers.
- If we profess Christ as our Saviour, we will undertake to regularly pray for the school leadership, faculty, staff, and students of Grace Christian School.
- We agree to support the academic standards of Grace Christian School by providing our children with an adequate and regular time and place to study and by supervising the completion of regular homework and special assignments.
- We resolve to handle disputes appropriately by dealing directly with the person or persons involved without criticizing them or the school. We will maintain confidentiality of matters between teachers and administration, not sharing these with our children or any other individual not a part of the problem or solution. Our attitude should be one of edification and redemption.
- We will take an active interest in all aspects of Grace Christian School, including, but not limited to, student performances, athletics, outreach activities, and fundraising opportunities, and, as God leads us and opportunities arise, assume volunteer duties and responsibilities.
- We agree to pay all financial obligations to the school promptly. If unable to do so because of unforeseen circumstances, we will notify the school immediately.
- We agree to the GCS Technology Acceptable Use Policy and consent to your child having a *Google G Suite for Education* account.
- We will prioritize the school calendar, planning ahead so conflicts can be avoided and staying apprised of school information by visiting the school website and monitoring notices sent from the school via our children, email, and social media.
- We agree to allow the school to use our child(ren's) picture and school work for promotional purposes (ie website, social media, brochures, etc).

We understand that failure to adhere to these commitments can cause my student to lose various privileges and can lead to my child's removal from Grace Christian School.

Father's Name _____ Mother's Name _____
(Or Guardian) Please print (Or Guardian) Please print

Father's Signature _____ Mother's Signature _____
(Or Guardian) (Or Guardian)

Date: _____ Family Last Name: _____