

Southside Preparatory Academy

Magnet School Contract/Agreement and Student Expectations

Student Name: _____ ID# _____ Grade: _____

PLEASE NOTE: In order to reach their academic goals and prepare for future educational experiences, students attending Southside Preparatory Academy must comply with the following requirements and expectations to remain enrolled:

ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE

- Maintain a grade point average of 2.0 (PK-5) and 3.0 unweighted grade point average (6-8) at the end of each grading period in all classes. Must not earn a letter grade of D or F in ANY class, in ANY 9-week grading period.
- Maintain a minimum of a 2 in effort for Magnet and core courses.

ATTENDANCE

- Maintain school attendance per School Board Policy 5200, which states that a student may not accumulate more than ten (10) unexcused absences in an annual course or more than five (5) unexcused absences in a semester course. Students should also not have excessive tardies or early releases. This will be monitored throughout the year. Violation of the above policy may result in probation, possible exit at the end of the school year, and limited participation in school activities and functions.

BEHAVIOR AND CONDUCT

- Students are expected to maintain a conduct grade of "B" or higher in all classes.
- Violation of the Miami-Dade County Public Schools Code of Student Conduct may result in probation or possible immediate exit from the program. <http://ehandbooks.dadeschools.net/policies/90/index.htm>
- Excessive referrals will result in a behavioral contract, probation, and possible exit at the end of the school year.
- Students who violate Level III, IV, or V of the Code of Student Conduct or have been assigned to an alternative setting will not be allowed to return to the Magnet program.
- Students are expected to abide by the school uniform policy.

If a student has not shown sufficient progress or fails to meet requirements during any quarter of the school year as outlined above, the student will be placed on probation as follows:

1. **PARENT NOTIFICATION:** Parent/Legal Guardian will be notified of insufficient progress or failing to meet requirements.
2. **PROBATION CONFERENCE:** Students not meeting requirements will meet with parents and assigned school staff as designated by the principal to assist the student. At this time the student will be placed on probation.
3. **EXIT FROM PROGRAM:** If a student fails to meet the above-listed criteria by the end of the school year, the student will be exited from the Magnet program.

WE HAVE READ THE MAGNET ENROLLMENT AGREEMENT AND UNDERSTAND THE REQUIREMENTS FOR CONTINUING ENROLLMENT.

STUDENT'S NAME

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DATE

PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN'S NAME

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