



Peer Counselor Contract 2016– 2017

As a peer counselor, I understand that I am volunteering to be a role model among my peers and for younger students as well as in the community at large. Therefore, every choice I make will not only affect me, but will also affect all those who look up to me and trust me. In addition, my actions will reflect on the Peer Counseling program in general and on all the other peer counselors involved in the program. **With this in mind, I have read, understood, and will adhere to the following rules of conduct and expectations during my term as a peer counselor member:**

- I will maintain passing grades in all classes.
- I will avoid all discipline referrals and/or detentions.
- I will abstain from the use of illegal substances and unethical behavior for the entire term of my commitment. *See also the school Student Handbook pages on disciplinary policy.*
- I will do my best to abstain from using relational aggression in my life, and I will stand up for those who are being aggressed upon. I will remember that my role is to make a POSITIVE difference at school and in the community as well.
- I will regularly and consistently attend all meetings.
- I will be a POSITIVE role model for the Peer Counseling Program and my school at all times, sharing the benefits and power of the program with members of the community, parents, and other students and/or children whenever possible.
- If I have concerns, frustrations, or questions pertaining to the Peer Counseling Program, I will immediately seek help from a PCP member; I will not suffer in silence or create negative energy within or outside of the group.
- I will remember at all times that being a peer counselor is not some exclusive club; I will not use my status as a way to set myself above my peers or take advantage of teachers or students. I will, instead, try to use my Peer Counseling training to build up my friends and others.



- I UNDERSTAND THAT I MUST COMMUNICATE WITH TEACHERS RESPECTFULLY AND IN A TIMELY FASHION WHEN I MISS CLASS DUE TO PEER COUNSELING ACTIVITIES. I WILL TURN IN ALL ASSIGNMENTS ON THE DATE THEY ARE DUE! I WILL KEEP ALL OF MY GRADES AT SATISFACTORY PASSING LEVELS.

Having read the contract in full, I _____,
will uphold my commitment to the Peer Counselor program by abiding by
all rules contained with this contract.

Student Signature:

Date: _____

As the parent/guardian of

_____, I understand and support
this contract and will support my child's attendance at all meetings by
doing my best to avoid scheduling conflicts on meeting and presentation
dates.

Parent/Guardian Signature:

Date: _____