



TWIN HILLS PUBLIC SCHOOL VIRTUAL ACADEMY

PARENTAL AGREEMENT FOR VOLUNTARY VIRTUAL ACADEMY: This agreement must be signed before a student is allowed to participate in self-elected distance learning.

1. I accept the responsibility to supervise my child using the Twin Hills School distance learning curriculum. I understand that I am the educational facilitator. I understand that I am expected to become knowledgeable about the curriculum and expectations of Twin Hills School.
2. I understand that my child must attend a Distance Learning orientation at Twin Hills School prior to beginning their course work.
3. I understand students must follow Twin Hills School guidelines of no less than 108 completed instructional activities per quarter to demonstrate adequate academic achievement in the curriculum.
4. I will communicate regularly and when necessary with the Twin Hills School distance learning teacher assigned to my child.
5. I agree if my child is ill or away from their schoolwork for an extended period of time I will contact the Twin Hills School representative.
6. I understand that if my telephone number, address, or e-mail address changes, I will inform the Twin Hills School representative.
7. I understand that my child will participate in any assessments required by Twin Hills School including beginning, middle, and end of year benchmarking as well as required OSTP State Testing for 3rd -8th grade students. I understand these assessments must be taken on site at Twin Hills Schools and that I am responsible for transportation to and from the school.
8. I understand if my child does not meet attendance standards established by state law and outlined in the Twin Hills guidelines, that my child may be withdrawn for truancy and may lose their ability to participate in the Virtual Academy School Year 2020-21.
9. I understand that my child is a part of Twin Hills School and is provided the same access and opportunities as any student traditionally enrolled at Twin Hills School, excluding athletics.

10. I agree to return non-consumable items, devices, textbooks, and other materials when requested at the end of the school year, course completion, when my child withdraws, or if participation is denied. Materials must be turned in and in good condition. I am aware that I will be charged for damaged or lost items.

11. I understand that participation in the program requires that my child have regular, daily access to a device with an internet connection that meets the minimum standard as stipulated below. I acknowledge that I am also responsible for providing a working internet connection. A device will be provided by Twin Hills School if needed, but internet access is not available in certain areas.

12. If my child moves outside of the Twin Hills School service area or enrolls in another public school, I understand that my child may no longer participate in the Twin Hills School Virtual Academy.

13. I understand that Distance Learning is not typically the best educational opportunity for young children. Twin Hills School will provide the best experience possible, however, you are agreeing to take a much larger and more active role as your child's teacher. I have read and accepted all terms in this agreement.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

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