

Star Kids Scholarship Program

Star Kids Parent Agreement for the 2011-2012 School Year

- I will make sure I know when my child's school day starts and ends and will make sure my child arrives at school **every day and on time.** (**Excessive tardiness or absence from school (10 days or more) may be cause for dismissal from the Star Kids Program.**) I understand that my child must follow school rules and treat the faculty and other children with respect.
- I will **call the school** as early as possible if my child is absent from school and write a letter of explanation about the nature of their absence when they return to school.
- I understand that Star Kids **does not provide lunch** and I must provide a lunch for my child each day.
- I will make sure I understand when the first day of school is and at what time and where the bus will pick up my child. If I don't know, I will call the school directly.
- I understand that my child must maintain a C+ or better average in order to remain in the program.
- I will **check my child's backpack each day for notices** from the school and make sure I allow time for my child to do their homework and will help them if necessary. I will allow ample time to help my child prepare for long term projects such as book reports and science fair projects and if I can't do it I will ask someone at school or my child's mentor for help.
- My child and I will **write a thank you note to their sponsor and mentor.**
- I will follow school rules, cooperate with the school authorities and will **attend Parent-Teacher conferences.** I will take advantage of services recommended by the school.
- I will **fill out financial aid forms** from the school or from the Diocese for the St. Mary's Fund and Frances Warde Fund. I will be responsible for any fundraising the school requires.
- If the school has religious requirements, I understand that my child must follow the requirements.
- I will make sure I have a school calendar so I understand when all the events are. **I will volunteer at school and plan to attend as many the school functions as I can.**
- I will contact Star Kids if I need financial help with tutoring or field trips.
- I will try to attend the two Star Kids parties- the Skating With Santa and End of the Year Party.
- I will not ask my child's mentor or sponsor for money, food or services (such as transportation).
- I will let Star Kids know of any change of address, phone number or family circumstances and will return calls promptly. I will cooperate fully with the Star Kids staff.

I understand and acknowledge that my scholarship applies to the 2011-2012 school year only.

The scholarship may be renewed at the sole discretion of the Star Kids Program and there is no promise or obligation to renew the scholarship for subsequent school years

Parent's printed name

Parent's signature

Date