

Student Contract

By signing below, I acknowledge and promise to abide by the following to the best of my ability:

1. I have read and agree to follow the guidelines in the team handbook describing the Troy School District Hammerheads and the FIRST Robotics Competition. I understand that I will be obligated to follow all Troy School District Policies as well as those in the handbook.
2. I understand that participation in the program requires regular attendance at scheduled meetings. I will attend all team meetings and be responsible to complete my assigned tasks prior to the deadline. If I am unable to attend a meeting, I will report my absence to a team leader prior to the date of the meeting.
3. I understand that I am responsible for arranging my transportation to and from team meetings.
4. I understand that fundraising is important to the success of the team and agree to participate to the best of my ability.
5. I understand that equipment used during the construction of robots can cause serious injury if not used correctly, and that I am not permitted to use any piece of equipment until I have been instructed on its safe use, and only with adult supervision. Computers are not to be used to play games during meetings; they are for productive work only.
6. I understand that the team will travel to regional competitions and possibly to the Championship Event, as specified in the handbook. If eligible to travel, I will be absent from school on those days and am responsible for notifying my teachers and school in advance and to make up any required classwork.
7. I agree to honor the curfews and other rules at competitions, to keep the chaperones informed of my location at all times, and to participate fully in the competitions. If I fail to meet these conditions, I may be sent home at my parents' expense.
8. I realize that as a Hammerhead team member, if I am found to be in violation of any of the above rules, I will be subject to disciplinary actions. The team leaders will make the determination of the disciplinary action. I fully understand that an infraction of any of these rules may be just cause for me being immediately sent home and barred from any further participation in the future.
9. I will use common sense.

Student Name: _____

Guardian Name: _____

Student Signature: _____

Guardian Signature: _____

Date: _____

Date: _____

(Note: parent signature is required for participation on the team)