BEHAVIOR CONTRACT
HORIZON ACADEMY

I am responsible for:

1. Following the directions of faculty and staff at all times.
2. Acknowledging that I have received a copy of the Horizon Academy Handbook and Fayette County Guidelines for Student Behavior. I accept the responsibility for receipt and review of this material as it is updated yearly. As a student, I understand the consequences for violation(s) of the discipline code and will expect procedures that are listed therein to be enforced by the teachers and administrators. I agree to abide by the rules and regulations outlined.
3. Students are not allowed to make telephone calls during school hours. A staff member will make the necessary calls.
4. All cell phones must be checked in each morning and will be returned at dismissal. Cell phone contracts are required.
5. Students can not visit any other campus, school sponsored event or FCBOE school related activity while on roll at Horizon Academy. This also includes designated bus stops. NO EXCEPTIONS
6. Students with Chronic discipline may be removed from the Horizon Academy program. Chronic Disciplinary Problem Student O.C.G.A. 20-2-764 Definitions: “Chronic disciplinary problem student” means a student who exhibits a pattern of behavioral characteristics which interfere with the learning process of students around him or her and which are likely to recur.
7. Students may be removed from the program for failure to follow FCBOE or Horizon Academy rules and procedures.

Behavior Expectations:
I understand that violation of any of the usual standards of behavior in public schools may result in suspension or expulsion.

Violations Include But Are Not Limited To:

1. All rules and procedures in the Fayette County Code of Conduct
2. All rules and procedures in the Horizon student handbook with an emphasis on the following:
3. Using, possessing, distributing or being under the influence of, or attempting to obtain, controlled substances or alcohol, marijuana, narcotic drugs, stimulants, vapes, synthetic or manufactured drugs including but not limited to Delta 8, Delta 9, THC, edibles or any substance mimicking the effects of an illicit drug.
4. Fighting, physical abuse, assault and/or battery, or threats to students or staff.
5. Insubordination or disrespect to staff.
6. Disturbing the school and/or classroom.
7. Using profane, vulgar, or obscene words (directed or undirected).
8. Possession of a weapon of any kind or anything which could be reasonably used as a weapon or which is a facsimile of a weapon.
9. Abusing another’s and/or school property.
10. Theft
11. Academic dishonesty including the use of AI.
12. All students must be escorted and under the direct supervision of a staff member at all times.
13. False reports or statements.
14. Any other behavior considered to be disruptive of school order.

Disciplinary measures imposed are progressive in nature. Major infractions will result in automatic removal from the program.

UNIFORM DRESS REQUIREMENT
All students must adhere to the provisions contained in the Uniform Dress Contract. Each dress code violation will be documented. Any violation declared excessive by the administration will result in the student being placed in ISS for the day.

SPECIAL NOTES
*Bookbags, smart watches, necklaces, bracelets, anklets are not allowed (See Handbook).
*Students may not write, pass, possess or receive personal notes, drawings or writings, of any kind
*Students must adhere to program dress code (See Horizon Handbook)
*Hoodies are not allowed
*Students may carry only clear, plastic, see-through purses.
*Students are not allowed to write anything on their skin or have any writings, drawings, etc. on their skin.
*Students are not allowed to have lanyards or long key chains.
*Any tattoos which have gang implications must remain covered at all times. Students must provide the means to cover the tattoo.
*Students may not arrive prior to 7:45 a.m. and must depart the campus by 2:45 p.m.

I agree to adhere to the rules outlined.

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Student’s Signature  Date

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Parent/Guardian Signature  Date