

A HIGHLANDER FAMILY VALUES

I VALUE PEOPLE

- I WILL use cell phones, computers and other technologies with respect toward others, including my classmates, their friends, my family and those I may not know.
- I WILL use cell phones only during appropriate times, and I will follow school rules while on campus.
- I WILL respect my family's wishes regarding the etiquette of cell phone and computer use.
- I WILL NOT exclude, belittle or disrespect others, and I will not spread rumors or pretend to be someone I am not.
- I WILL NOT use a cell phone—talking or texting—while driving or dining with others.
- I WILL NOT take part in or view—anononymously or not—any online chat, game, forum or application which contains sexual or otherwise inappropriate language or images.

I VALUE PROPERTY

- I WILL use and protect my passwords and those shared with me.
- I WILL respect the school's, my teachers' and my classmates' cell phones, computers and other devices.
- I DO understand that the HONOR CODE applies to the use of technology, whether on a mobile device or an on-campus Internet connection.
- Therefore, I WILL respect intellectual property, and I WILL NOT claim another's words, ideas or artistic creation as my own.
- I WILL NOT vandalize, steal or use without permission any technological device that does not belong to me.

I VALUE PRIVACY

- I WILL only text, email or post online comments, photos and videos that I am proud to claim as my own, because I understand my comments, photos and videos may be shared with the world forever.
- I WILL respect my personal information and privacy by restricting what I share and with whom I share it.
- I WILL NOT violate another person's privacy by recording them in private moments or by spying on them or impersonating them online.
- I WILL NOT engage in "sexting" in any manner—suggestive or outright—in comments, emails, photos, online forums or texts.
- I WILL NOT take inappropriate pictures of my body or of other's bodies, and I WILL NOT share inappropriate pictures with others.
- I WILL inform my parent or an adult at school if I know of or suspect any inappropriate or disrespectful use of technology within the LHPS community.

By signing below, I agree to use all technology devices and services in a responsible manner. I will follow the principles outlined above, as well as abide by the school's Technology Code of Ethics and the Middle School Student Handbook. I will endeavor to use technology politely and in an appropriate manner at all times, in all facets of my life, wherever I go. *Initial each document listed below to indicate that you have read and will comply with each.*

_____ A Highlander Family Values
_____ Student Covenant to Use Technology Safely and
_____ Responsibly (includes Technology Code of Ethics)

_____ MS Handbook (includes Highlander
Honor Code on page 3, and Bullying
Guidelines on pages 33-34)

Student Name: _____ Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

I have read the above documents and pledge my family's support.

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____