

HEDGE Student Conduct Commitment

2009-2010 Academic Year

All Middle & High School Students (L3 & L4) must complete this commitment.

Please place a check mark in the circle to indicate you have read, understood and agree to comply with each Guideline.

- I agree to wear a HEDGE shirt on Campus at all times, except for Theme Days and other special occasions.
- I agree to check and abide by the published Dress Code Guidelines when HEDGE shirts aren't required.
- I agree to be diligent to clean up my own messes, both indoors and outside.
- I understand that my parents and I will be held responsible for the cost for any HEDGE or Hillside property I damage.
- I agree to speak respectfully to adults, (especially our own parents!), while on Campus.
- I agree to display a cheerful, immediate obedience to authority when given an instruction by a HEDGE teacher or parent.
- I will treat other students with a high level of respect, avoiding unkind comments, hurtful teasing or other forms of mistreatment of others.
- I understand that students not in class must stay in designated common areas. I will not roam the parking lot, building or grounds without permission and/or adult supervision.
- I agree not to use the playground at Hillside without adult supervision (18+).
- I will not invite or bring visitors on campus without prior approval from Admin.
- I agree to avoid situations where I would be alone, behind closed doors or in a car, with a student of the opposite sex who is not related to me.
- I agree that I will not leave Campus for any reason unless my parents have a signed, notarized permission form on file with Admin, and only after I have signed out at the Admin Table.
- I agree to sign in at the Admin Table anytime I have signed out and left Campus, immediately upon my return.
- I agree to conduct my relationships with other students in a way that will be above reproach. I agree not to engage in romantic displays of affection at HEDGE.
- I agree to turn my cell phone and other electronic devices to "vibrate" or "silent" while in class.
- I agree not to read or answer text messages during actual class time.
- I will not cheat.
- I agree to make my personal "best effort" to complete ALL assigned work, turn in my work on time and follow the guidelines set up for each of my classes.

- I agree to keep all my conversations, public or private, positive, constructive and respectful.
- I will diligently avoid the use of foul, dirty or suggestive language, drawings, stories, jokes, pornography of any sort, gossip, misuse of God's name or spiritually meaningful terms, suggestive "sign language", use of degrading names, putting others down by telling them to "shut up" or "get lost".
- I will not bring to Campus or use any form of alcohol, drugs or tobacco.
- I will not bring any form of weapon to HEDGE (except history relics, when that would be appropriate).
- I will participate in service projects and Cleaning Rotation Duty as I am able.
- I will manage my time so that I am not tempted to "skip" one class to study or prepare for another.
- If I am registered for a class, I agree to be in that class if I am on campus.
- I will not engage in any form of inappropriate or disruptive behavior in my classes, including excessive talking or passing notes.
- I understand that Hillside UMC has adopted a "Nut-free Environment" policy and I will not bring any product containing nuts onto the Hillside Campus.

Name: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____