

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**2017-2018**

**8<sup>th</sup> Grade Parent Consent Form (Academic Contract) for Full Year Language Study**

8<sup>th</sup> Grade Middle School learners may elect to take a full year of Spanish. **In order to determine if you are prepared for the expectations of a full year course, please read the following statements:**

**I am registering for a full year of High School Spanish in middle school because:**

- ✓ I already know which language interests me, and I am committed to that language.
- ✓ I understand that the grade that I receive in the course will be included in my high school transcript and cumulative Grade Point Average (GPA).
- ✓ I understand that I will be required to pass a language proficiency exam in order to advance to the next level of language study.
- ✓ I am dedicated to studying on a daily basis and am prepared for the rigor of high school level work.
- ✓ I plan to take four to six consecutive years of a single language or plan to take two to three years of multiple languages.
- ✓ My goal is to work towards fluency.

**Special Note: Don't register for a full year of Spanish in middle school if:**

- ✓ You are only planning to fulfill your two year world language graduation requirement; completing your world language study later in your high school career will better prepare you for success on college placement exams.

Class enrollment may require learner to travel to a different middle school or high school for the course.

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***I have read the above information and understand the expectations required of a full year language course.***

**I choose to take the full year of the following language (circle your choice):**

**Spanish 1**

**Spanish 2**

**Spanish 3**

Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_