

A+ SCHOOLS PROGRAM
(A+ Participation Agreement)

Student's Name: _____ / _____ / _____

I agree to abide by the district's A+ policies and procedures and the following conditions so that upon successful completion I will be considered a certified A+ graduate. I agree to:

1. Attend a designated A+ high school for two years prior to graduation, as defined by state law.*
 2. Graduate with an overall grade point average of 2.5 or higher on a 4.0 scale or the equivalent on another scale.
 3. Have at least a 95 percent attendance record overall for grades 9–12.
 4. Perform 50 hours of unpaid tutoring or mentoring, of which up to 25 percent may include job shadowing, prior to graduation or as required by law.
 5. Maintain a record of good citizenship and avoid the unlawful use of alcohol and drugs, as defined by district policy, while in grades 9–12.
 6. Achieve a score of proficient or advanced on the official Algebra I end-of-course exam, pass a higher-level end-of-course mathematics exam approved by the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education (DESE), or complete other criteria established by the Coordinating Board for Higher Education, unless the district has met all DESE requirements for a waiver of the Algebra I end-of-course exam for the recipient.
 7. Be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident of the United States.
 8. Perform all other duties and obligations required by state law to be eligible for and receive the benefits of the A+ program.
- * Students who are active duty military dependents and students who are dependents of retired military personnel who relocated to Missouri within one year of the date of retirement from active duty are excused from this provision if the student attends a designated A+ school in the school year immediately preceding graduation and has met all other eligibility requirements.

This agreement is entered into this _____ day of _____, 20____. Permission is hereby

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given for the release of A+ Schools Program information, including student records, to the institutions chosen by the student as well as to DESE and the Missouri Department of Higher Education and Workforce Development, as may be required by law.

Signature of Student

Signature of Parent/Guardian

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Note: The reader is encouraged to review policies and/or procedures for related information in this administrative area.

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Warren County R-III School District, Warrenton, Missouri