

## **THEATER CONTRACT**

### **Mr. Gurspan**

I understand that producing a play requires an enormous commitment of my time and energy, both inside and outside of the classroom. I, also, realize that being part of a theatrical production means that I am responsible to everyone else who is involved, that I am part of a team, and that everyone depends on me showing up and doing my best at all times.

As a team member, I know that I will have to make sacrifices to my personal life (including my work and my family obligations), so that the production that we present can be the best that we, as a class, can achieve working cooperatively together. By signing this contract, I agree to put the production ahead of my own personal interests and to abide by all schedules and deadlines. I know that if I do not do my part, then it will not be possible for the production to go on and that the hard work of everyone else will be for nothing.

I believe that we are capable of producing a great play, if everyone works to the best of his and her ability; and I freely commit to do whatever it takes to achieve this goal.

Specifically, I agree to:

- Make absolutely **NO EXCUSES**.
- Come to class **EVERY DAY**.
- Meet all deadlines for writing, memorization, rehearsing, and tech.
- Be on time, prepared, and focused.
- Rehearse after school according to the schedule.
- Follow the script, even though my monologue may be edited.
- Play the character that I'm assigned.
- Help out in fundraising, wardrobe, etc.
- Be patient during rehearsals.
- Follow directions without arguing.
- **NOT QUIT**, no matter what.

**SIGN ON THE BACK**