

# McGUIRE 5/6 ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PLEDGE

## ***AS A PARENT/CARING ADULT . . .***

### ***I pledge to . . .***

- send my child to school ready to learn (fed, well-rested and on time).
- expect my child to work hard, complete assignments and have a positive attitude toward learning and school.
- communicate regularly with staff in order to support my child's learning, including attend parent teacher conferences.
- respect school staff and others and teach my child to do the same.
- pay attention to written information from school (newsletters, agendas, etc.).
- support school efforts to maintain discipline.
- encourage good decisions about friendships and free time.

### ***I need . . .***

- teachers and staff who respect and support my role as a parent/caring adult.
- clear and frequent communication with school.
- a school community that supports families.

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**Parent/Caring Adult Signature**

## ***AS A McGUIRE STUDENT...***

### ***I pledge to . . .***

- be on time and attend school regularly.
- come to class prepared with all materials, homework, and a positive attitude to learn.
- work hard and do my best.
- talk with my family about what I'm learning in school.
- ask for help and ask questions when I don't understand something.
- respect and cooperate with others.

### ***I need . . .***

- teachers and school staff who respect me.
- people who believe I can learn.
- a school that is safe.
- time with caring parents and adults.
- a family and community that supports me.

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**Student Signature**

## ***AS A McGUIRE STAFF MEMBER . . .***

### ***I pledge to . . .***

- show that I care about all students.
- provide high quality instruction.
- have high expectations for myself, students, and other staff.
- communicate regularly with families.
- work with families to support the individual needs of students and encourage positive individual talents.
- provide a safe and positive environment for learning.
- respect the uniqueness of students and their families.
- help students develop responsibility for their own behavior and learning.

### ***I need . . .***

- students who are ready and willing to learn.
- respect and support from teachers, families, and other staff and administration.
- assistance from staff and administration in removing barriers which prevent me from doing my best for students.

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**Teacher Signature**

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**Principal Signature**