

2022-23 Robo-Lobo-Bellos Robotics Team Contract

As a member of FIRST Team 7243, the Robo-Lobo-Bellos, I _____, promise to uphold the values of the FIRST organization, including Gracious Professionalism and Coopertition. Gracious Professionalism is a way of doing things that encourages high-quality work, emphasizes the value of others, and respects individuals and the community. Coopertition is displaying unqualified kindness and respect in the face of fierce competition. I understand that if I fail to represent these values, or fail to follow the guidelines set forth in this document, I may be asked to leave the team.

I understand my responsibilities as a member of the team to include:

1. Good behavior and safety at team meetings:

- Always be on time, or make a concerted effort to alert your team leaders as to why you are not able to attend a meeting.
- Listen to the team captain, team managers, and team leaders by following directions.
- Be respectful of other team members and mentors.
- Always clean up after yourself and make sure tools are used appropriately.
- Only use tools that you are trained to use.
- Only use team tools and materials in a safe manner.
- Alert a team leader or mentor immediately if injured.
- Do not interfere with projects that you do not have permission to work with/on.

2. Good behavior and safety at competitions:

- Be respectful of other teams and do not engage in inappropriate and/or disruptive behavior.
- Promote team spirit, and display team sponsors by wearing the team uniform whenever possible.
- Respect mentors, judges, and volunteers at the competitions.
- Respect all team equipment.

3. Prioritize academics and follow team policies:

- Prioritize grades over participation on Team 7243.

- Communicate with their teachers regarding missed classes due to Team activities and make efforts to make-up all missed work in a timely manner, respecting teacher's schedules.
- Maintain 50% team meeting attendance to stay on the team. Maintain 85% attendance to hold a position of responsibility on the team
- Make team commitment a priority.
- Understand that your team status following school suspensions will be determined at the advisor's and vice principals discretion on a case-by-case basis.
- Communicate effectively with your parents regarding pick-up time and location after events as to not have the mentors wait excessively.
- Communicate all team activities and requirements to your parents or legal guardian.

Team Member Signature

Date

Parent or Guardian Signature

Date

