

## ORCHESTRA COMMITMENT CONTRACT

I have read the orchestra handbook and understand that the success of our orchestras depend highly on the type of daily rehearsals we have. Structure is an important element for successful rehearsals. It is very important that I work as a productive team member to establish a tone of mutual respect, trust and cooperation.

I understand that the K.O. Knudson Orchestras are fast growing, performance-based organizations which strive for superior performances and musical excellence.

I understand the overall objectives of this program are to improve my performance ability on my instrument, increase my self discipline, and strengthen my skills to work within a group. This will be done through group rehearsals, performances, assigned responsibilities within the orchestra, and specific expectations of me, the student.

I understand that, through the K.O. Knudson Orchestras, I can strive for and attain my maximum potential while gaining a deeper appreciation of music.

I understand that because of the nature of being a member of an orchestra program, my attendance, attitude, and participation in daily rehearsals affect the product of the entire group. I understand the great importance placed in the areas mentioned in this handbook. I understand that I must be prepared, and ready to work, in order to attain our highest goals. I will keep this in mind when contemplating tardiness, absences, and my behavior in class.

As a member of the K.O. Knudson Middle School Orchestras, I accept the responsibility of following the rules and expectations outlined in the K.O. Knudson Orchestra Handbook.

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Student Signature Date

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Student Name (please print)

As a parent of a K.O. Knudson Middle School Orchestra student, I have read and understand the expectations of my son/daughter while participating in the orchestra program. I will support and encourage his/her educational endeavors while at K.O. Knudson Middle School.

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Parent Signature Date

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Parent Name (please print)

Parent Contact Information:

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