

BEHAVIORAL STANDARDS AGREEMENT
For MathPath 2020

MathPath, as a community of learners, has as a fundamental principle of **respect**. This includes

1. Respect for other students, counselors, faculty, and staff,
2. Respect for the privacy of others,
3. Respect for the technology that makes a remote program possible, and
4. Respect for oneself.

To promote an environment of respect, and to help ensure a smoothly operating and enjoyable program for all, students agree to abide by the following fundamental guidelines.

- a) Students will follow all instructions given by counselors, faculty, and staff.
- b) There will be no bullying. This includes (but is not limited to); name-calling or speaking poorly of another student, teasing, taunting, or spreading rumors. Bullying often starts as or masquerades as “joking around”, but will not be tolerated in any form.
Instances of bullying observed or endured should be immediately reported to a MathPath staff member.
- c) Individuals at MathPath come from various backgrounds (geographically, ethnically, economically, mathematically, gender identification, etc.); students will not disrespect others because of such differences.
- d) There will be no disruption of breakouts or plenaries; for instance, by attempts to dominate the discussion or otherwise call attention to oneself, or by off-topic conversations or activities. Students will make a serious effort in their breakouts and do all required homework.
- e) Students will adhere to the principles laid out in the *Electronics Behavioral Agreement*, including not engaging in any unrelated online activity during MathPath sessions such as games, unmoderated side communications, or watching YouTube.
- f) Students will join all MathPath sessions on time, including counselors meetings, plenaries, breakouts, conferencing time, and other activities.

Therefore,

I, (print) _____, a student at MathPath 2020, and

I, (print) _____, parent/guardian of said student,

by signing this form below, do agree to the following policy: Both of us accept MathPath's fundamental principle of respect and we agree that the student will follow all the behavioral standards above during the entire time at MathPath. If I (the student) seriously violate these standards, this will result in a call to my parents/guardians by the Program Director, April Verser, with me present. If I violate these standards again, then at the discretion of Ms. Verser I will be dismissed from the program, with no refund of tuition or fees for the days missed by early dismissal.

Date

Signature of MathPather

Date

Signature of parent/guardian

**Must be signed by student and parent and submitted by June 15, 2020.
If submitted in hardcopy, do not staple and do not print double-sided.**