The International Baccalaureate (IB) is a rigorous liberal arts curriculum designed for academically able students who have the potential to earn an International Baccalaureate Diploma. To succeed in IB, students must be dedicated learners. Therefore, the IB staff requires the following commitment be made.

I agree to the following terms and conditions for participating in the International Baccalaureate program.

I will:

1. Follow all rules of Wichita High School East as outlined in the student agenda.
2. Actively participate in class daily by being prepared, listening attentively, offering relevant comments, posing insightful questions, taking notes, etc. In short, I agree to meet the expectations set forth for each course.
3. Work seriously to improve my writing skills: writing, editing, rewriting, asking for assistance outside the class period, etc.
4. Schedule vacations and other recreational trips only during school holidays and abide by USD 259 attendance policies.
5. Submit quality work in a timely fashion.
6. Maintain at least an overall 3.0 GPA. Failure to do so will result in being placed on academic review.
7. Understand and abide by the East High IB Academic Honesty Policy, and manifest the highest degree of academic integrity.
8. Remain in the program at least one year unless released by recommendation of IB. Continuance in the IB program will be determined by student progress, attitude, and motivation.

I understand that if I fail to meet the standards of the IB program, either because of the quality of my work or because of my failure to perform as a serious learner, I will be withdrawn from the IB program and advised to enroll in another course of study. **If I withdraw from or exit the IB Program, I understand that I will be expected to enroll at my base school at the semester interval.** I also understand that students who take A.P. U.S. History but leave the IB program prior to graduation are responsible for taking a second year of U.S. History in order to meet USD 259 graduation requirements.

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Student Signature               Date

I hereby grant permission and consent for my son/daughter to enroll in the IB program at Wichita High School East and agree to all terms of this contract. I also agree to encourage and support my child's development and regular practice of independent study skills.

Upon my child’s acceptance of an offer to enroll in the East IB program, I agree to pay an IB Program fee of $20.00 by April 1, 2020. Enrolled students who fail to pay the fee by April 1st will be withdrawn from IB and replaced by a student from the waiting list. Enrolled students who decide not to attend East IB will be refunded their IB Program fee if they notify the IB Office no later than May 1, 2020 that they will not be attending East High IB.

I understand that I am responsible for payment of junior and senior year IB exam fees and that I have read through the fee payment handout. I also understand that I am responsible for payment of any AP courses if my student decides to test or for any concurrent credit fees. Special sources of funding are often available for families that cannot afford these test fees. No one is denied participation in IB because of finances.

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Parent Signature               Date

Keep For Your Records. Students who are invited to join the IB Program & a parent will be asked to sign a copy during the interview process.