

**PLEASE READ CAREFULLY + SIGN WITH YOUR  
FAMILY :)**

**5-409'S DECLARATION OF RESPONSIBLE  
FREEDOM!**

We, class 5-409, pledged to enjoy our freedom to be ourselves while balancing it with the responsibility of respecting others, the things around us and ourselves. Collaboratively we thoughtfully created expectations for our class community to help remind us of this responsibility. We have set reasonable consequences for when things go well as well as when we make mistakes. We promise to make things right with our classmates and be empathetic of others' feelings. We expect this of each other in our classroom, outside, and all over the school! We hope to be known as the class who puts others first!

## Everyone

- Respect one another
  - Express yourself
- (don't be scared to say what you think)
- We all have the right to peace and friendship
  - We all work together
  - Have fun (but not too much)
  - Be proud of who you are/be proud of yourself
  - Everybody has a right to ask for help
  - You have the right to be your own person
  - Everyone deserves the comfort they need
  - Everyone has the right to wear their style
  - Everyone has the right to share the school supplies
  - People can play any sport no matter what gender they are
  - Every kid should have the right to get a good education
  - You have the right to stay healthy
  - You have the right to have freedom
  - Everyone has responsibilities in a class
  - Every child has the right to have what they need to live
  - Everyone should be treated the way they want to be
  - People should have their own choices all around the classroom

## Emotional Needs

- Express yourself
- (don't be scared to say what you think)
- Nicely disagree or debate with each other (try to understand each other)
  - We all have the right to peace and friendship
  - Include others
  - Have fun (but not too much)
  - Be proud of who you are/be proud of yourself
  - If you're having a bad day, don't take it out on other people
  - Everybody has a right to ask for help
  - You have the right to be your own person
  - Everyone has a right to a smile on their face if they want to
  - Everyone deserves the comfort they need
  - Everyone has the right to wear their style
  - People can play any sport no matter what gender they are
  - I have the right to be myself in public
  - People need equity
  - Try to be nice to others
  - Keep all limbs to your own body
  - Focus and don't be disrespectful to teachers
  - You have the right to stray to your own path
  - Respect others opinion and inspire others to share their ideas
  - Treat others with equity
  - Everyone should be treated the way they want to be
  - We will welcome people in our community
  - Stand up for others and try to stop bullying

Respect	Basic Rights
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Respect one another</li> <li>● Nicely disagree or debate with each other (try to understand each other)</li> <li>● Respect all supplies and talking pieces</li> <li>● If you're having a bad day, don't take it out on other people</li> <li>● Follow directions</li> <li>● Ask someone for permission to touch something</li> <li>● You have the right to speak up (respectfully)</li> <li>● People can play any sport no matter what gender they are</li> <li>● Try to be nice to others</li> <li>● Keep all limbs to your own body</li> <li>● Be mindful of your surroundings</li> <li>● Focus and don't be disrespectful to teachers</li> <li>● Respect others opinion and inspire others to share their ideas</li> <li>● Treat others with equity</li> <li>● Everyone should be treated the way they want to be</li> <li>● Be a leader. Don't be a follower</li> <li>● We will welcome people in our community</li> <li>● Stand up for others and try to stop bullying</li> <li>●</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Express yourself (don't be scared to say what you think)</li> <li>● We all have the right to peace and friendship</li> <li>● Include others</li> <li>● Have fun (but not too much)</li> <li>● Everybody has a right to ask for help</li> <li>● You have the right to be your own person</li> <li>● Everyone has a right to a smile on their face if they want to</li> <li>● Everyone has the right to wear their style</li> <li>● Everyone deserves the comfort they need</li> <li>● Everyone has the right to share the school supplies</li> <li>● People can play any sport no matter what gender they are</li> <li>● Every kid should have the right to get a good education</li> <li>● You have the right to stay healthy</li> <li>● You have the right to speak up (respectfully)</li> <li>● I have the right to be myself in public</li> <li>● You have the right to have freedom</li> <li>● Treat others with equity</li> <li>● Every child has the right to have what they need to live</li> <li>● You have the right to stray to your own path</li> </ul>

*I carefully read the above pledge and class expectations together with my family. I promise to do my best to abide by these expectations. I understand that it is my responsibility to make things right if I break one of these expectations, out of respect for my classmates and myself.*

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Student Signature

*I carefully read the above pledge and class expectations with my child. I will support my child from home with building these life long habits of respect.*

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Family Signature

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