

Caldwell Online Academy (COA)
Student/Family/School Commitment Compact
2023-2024

Student Commitment:

My signature below indicates that I have read and understand the following expectations:

- I understand that I must be a Respectful, Responsible, and Engaged student learner, and I know that interventions and/or disciplinary actions may result if I am not.
- All work that I submit will represent my original thoughts and efforts. I will not copy the work of others (in part or in whole) without giving proper credit to my sources, and I will not allow others to copy my work or provide them with assistance on individual assignments. I know that participating in any form of plagiarism (*including the use of Artificial Intelligence aides unless expressly permitted by the teacher for the given task*) will result in disciplinary action in accordance with Board Policy 4309 Code of Student Conduct and can cause me to be dismissed from Caldwell Online Academy for repeat offenses.
- I understand my weekly class schedule, including the times that I am expected to attend live Zoom meetings.
- I agree to seek immediate help from my teachers and/or counselor if I am confused at all or have problems accessing my class meetings or online courses.
- I understand the COA attendance procedures and promise to abide by them.
- I agree to dedicate the appropriate amount of time and effort needed to be successful in my online classes during both my live class times and my independent work times.
- I agree to attend all required in-person testing sessions scheduled for my grade level throughout the year. I know that failure to do so can result in my dismissal from Caldwell Online Academy.

Student Name (Print)

Student Signature

Date

Parent/Guardian Commitment:

My signature below indicates that I have read and understand the following expectations:

- I understand that I need to provide a dedicated study location appropriate for daily focus and learning.
- **Elementary School Only:** I agree that a responsible adult will be physically present to supervise and serve as a learning coach for my online student during the school hours of 8:00 am to 3:00 pm.
- I know it is my responsibility to monitor Powerschool at least weekly for attendance and grades.

- I will ensure that my student attends required in-person testing sessions at designated school locations throughout the school year. I know that failure to do so can result in my student’s dismissal from Caldwell Online Academy.
- I agree to maintain two-way lines of communication with my student’s teachers and support staff throughout the year.
- I recognize that successful remote learners regularly demonstrate the following qualities/characteristics, and I will support my student in developing these traits:
 - Self-Motivated
 - Responsible
 - Engaged
 - Responsive
 - Willing to self-advocate
 - Persistent
 - Technologically curious
 - Supported/monitored by family

Parent/Guardian Name (Print)

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

School Commitment:

- As a classroom teacher at Caldwell Online Academy, I believe every child can learn and I pledge to...
- Explain my expectations, instructional goals, and grading system to the student and parent/guardian.
- Teach the North Carolina Standard Course of Study through rigorous and differentiated methods.
- Provide a classroom climate that is secure, supportive, and conducive to learning while respecting cultural differences.
- Communicate with parents through various methods (conferences, progress reports, phone calls, etc).
- Provide appropriate individual differentiation for all students to attain academic advancement.
- Employ a variety of teaching methods which work best for individual students.
- Provide enrichment, interventions, and/or remediation opportunities for all students.
- Respect the cultural differences of all my students and parents/guardians.
- Explain, promote, model and consistently enforce all school and classroom rules and expectations. Be on time and prepared to teach to the best of my ability.

Signed _____

Date _____

As the principal/director of Caldwell Online Academy, I am committed to providing a safe and orderly environment that is beneficial to the learning of each student. I will support teachers and parents in their efforts to teach all students at a high academic level. I am committed to the success of each child in the school and promise to work together with students and families to promote student achievement.

Signed _____

Date _____