# Assumption of Risk and Waiver of Liability Relating to Attending School

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Student:		
Legally Responsible Parent/Guardian:		

Brookwood Christian School has put in place preventative measures to mitigate the spread of COVID-19 and to keep students and staff safe in every possible way; however, the school cannot guarantee that anyone you are legally responsible for or yourself will not become infected with COVID-19 by attending school or a school sponsored activity or utilization of the school facility.

PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT I acknowledge that attending school involves risk to the participant (and to the participant's parents or guardians, if the participant is a minor), and may result in various types of injury including, but not limited to, the following: sickness, exposure to infectious/communicable disease (not limited to COVID-19), bodily injury, death, emotional injury, personal injury, property damage, and financial damage.

In consideration for the opportunity to attend school, the participant (or parent/guardian if the participant is a minor) acknowledges and accepts the risks of injury associated with participation.

The participant (or parent/guardian) accepts personal financial responsibility for any injury or other loss sustained during the activity or during transportation to and from the activity, as well as for any medical treatment (continued on next page) rendered to the participant that is authorized by the sponsor or its agents, employees, volunteers, or any other representatives (collectively referred to as the "activity sponsor").

Further, the participant (or parent/guardian) releases and promises to indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the school, its employees, and volunteers for any injury arising directly or indirectly out of the described activity whether such injury arises out of the negligence of the activity sponsor, the participant, or otherwise.

I understand that the risk of becoming exposed to or infected by COVID-19 at school and utilization of school facilities may result from the actions, omissions, or negligence of myself and others, including but not limited to school employees, volunteers, and program participants, and their families.

If a dispute over this agreement or any claim for damages arises, the participant (or parent/guardian) agrees to resolve the matter through a mutually acceptable alternative dispute resolution process. If

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the participant (or parent/guardian) and the activity sponsor cannot agree upon such a process, the dispute will be submitted to a three-member arbitration panel for resolution in accordance with the rules of the American Arbitration Association.

On my behalf and on behalf of those I am legally responsible for, I hereby release, covenant not to sue, discharge, and hold harmless and indemnify the school, its employees, agents, and representatives, of and from any and all claims, including all liabilities, claims, actions, damages, costs or expenses of any kind arising out of or relating thereto. I understand and agree that this release includes any claims based on the actions, omissions, or negligence of the school, its employees, agents and representatives, whether a COVID-19 infection occurs before, during, or after attending school or utilization of a school facility.

Signature below also indicates that ATTACHMENT 1 and ATTACHMENT 2 have been read and that you agree with the conditions and contents.

Signature:	
	Date:

Please return this document signed and each page initialed. Failure to do so WILL result in having to complete before your student(s) can enter the building on the first day of school.

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#### Attachment 1:

**MEASURES TAKEN TO ENSURE STUDENT AND STAFF HEALTH** regarding COVID-19 pandemic (or any other public health emergency/crisis) include, but may not be limited to:

## § Section A:

- 1. Temperatures will be taken for everyone before entering the building. **No one will be admitted with a temp of 99.3 or above.**
- 2. Everyone will be asked if they have symptoms of Covid-19
- 3. Everyone will use hand sanitizer as they enter the building
- 4. Special air filtration/sanitizing systems are being installed in both buildings

#### § Section B:

- 1. Students and adults may elect to wear masks
  - a. these will not be required outside of state or local ordinances
  - b. We will not be policing or monitoring masks (other than required by state or local ordinances)
  - c. each student electing to wear a mask will need to be properly advised by:
    - i. his/her physician based on individual medical needs, or
    - ii. family requirements based on family medical needs, or other needs
- 2. Surfaces will be wiped down before each class
- 3. All students and staff will wash hands and/or use hand sanitizer at the beginning of each class
- 4. Students will not be allowed to touch each other or each other or their belongings, nor share food or drink.

## § Section C:

- 1. PE and recess will not have students sharing equipment or touching each other
- 2. Water fountains will be disconnected and bottled water will be available
- 3. Fewer than 10 people per classroom, which is our standard class size

## § Section D:

- 1. All students will be issued a Chromebook laptop computer, there will be no sharing of devices.
- 2. Students in building 100 will not take the Chrome Books home.
- 3. Plexiglass dividers will be utilized for students in building 100.

## § Section E:

- 1. These guidelines are based on current guidelines and could change to become more/less restrictive throughout the school year due to the progression, or lack of, COVID-19
- 2. These guidelines can/will be amended in the event of another outbreak, epidemic, pandemic, or other public health emergency as directed by local health departments and CDC.

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#### Attachment 2:

## ONLINE OPTIONS FOR FAMILIES WHO CHOOSE TO STAY HOME:

## § Section A: Online Curriculum:

- 1. MindPlay instead of Wilson Reading for Dyslexia
- 2. Fast For Word for Auditory Processing
- 3. Teaching Textbooks for Math

## § Section B: Other classes will be conducted through Google Meet:

- 1. Students will log in daily to follow the class.
- 2. Textbooks and Chromebook laptops will be issued
- 3. ALL school issued electronic guidelines will apply even though devices are being used at home. In the event of misuse, the device will be disabled and must be returned to school and the family will be responsible for securing a device for continued instruction.

## § Section C: Changing platforms from ONLINE to ON SITE and vice versa:

- 1. In the event a change from ONLINE to ON SITE is needed, because of change in family situations, tuition will be prorated accordingly
- 2. There will be ONLY ONE change allowed per semester.
- 3. Additional changes in a semester will be made with a processing fee of \$500

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