**HONORS STUDENTS**

Rest assured that the extra quality points (GPA) for honors classes are well earned in my Honors American History I. Though extra homework and projects are rarely assigned, test will be more thorough and expressive in nature. In addition to 1-50 multiple choice questions on each test, honors students will typically be required to answer four out of five short answer questions and an essay question.

*I EXPECT MY HONORS STUDENTS* …

1. to have an interest in government/politics/or US history.
2. to have prior knowledge of government/politics/or US history.
3. to read each chapter in the book without being told to do so.
4. to be able to watch the local/national news or read a newspaper to be up-to - date on current events at least three times per week.
5. to be able to express themselves through writing.
6. to advocate for themselves by asking questions when others are not.
7. to retest on any test in which their grade is not desirable to them (under 70%).
8. to check SPAN regularly and know the assignments in which they are missing.
9. to practice self-control and act like mature adults-in-training during class.

I UNDERSTAND WHAT IS EXPECTED OF ME IN HONORS CIVICS & ECONOMICS.

**Students** Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

I UNDERSTAND WHAT IS EXPECTED OF MY CHILD IN HONORS CIVICS & ECONOMICS.

**Parent** Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_