

DISTINGUISHED ACHIEVEMENT PROGRAM CONTRACT

Any Antioch Middle School seventh or eighth grader who wishes to be recognized as a Distinguished Achievement Honoree must complete and turn in this contract to the appropriate counselor. Proper documentation must be presented to the counselor for verification of contract requirements. All documentation for meeting standards must be turned in by **April 5th, 2021**, to be recognized as a Distinguished Achiever. Each Distinguished Achiever will receive public recognition at an awards ceremony in May 2021. They will receive a certificate as well as a gold medallion.

To be recognized with this award, a student must complete 6 of the 8 standards given below.

Student Performance Standards for:

1. Earn a 3.00 GPA (B average). If this standard is not met a 2.5 GPA must be maintained to qualify for the award.
2. Demonstrate success in at least two honors courses (including year language, SAGE, Algebra, and Geometry) during the school year (grades of "B" or higher).
3. Participate in a fine arts activity demonstrating creativity.
4. Participate in a student activity demonstrating action and leadership.
5. Participate in a school/community service demonstrating action and leadership.
6. Practice good citizenship (No office referrals of any kind).
7. Participate in career exploration opportunities.
8. Earn a minimum of two awards of which one may be the Honor Roll.

By signing below I am indicating my interest in working toward the Distinguished Achievement Award.

Student Signature: _____ Grade/Team _____ Student ID _____

Parent Signature: _____

The attached sheet gives a more precise definition of what kinds of activities will satisfy the intent of the standards. Return this page with signatures to your counselor as soon as possible.

Turn in to counselor: Ms. Garcia 7th grade/ Ms Stephens 8th grade

Date _____

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3. Participate in a fine arts activity demonstrating creativity. (Page attached).
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Touch base with your counselor periodically for updates on your progress.