

*Every man is the architect of his own fortune.*



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## Student Pledge

### **English:**

Education is my birthright. Education is the birthright of all children. Education is the pathway to freedom, the freedom to achieve my personal dreams.

Education is the path to justice, justice for every man, woman, and child. Education is the path to power, the power to change the world.

Education is the path to joy. The joy of learning is a privilege. Education is my full-time job. It requires hard work.

I commit myself this day to focus on my studies, to be an active participant in my learning process, and to always seek guidance from my teachers whenever I need help.

I commit myself this day to respect myself and my fellow students, to honor my teachers and the entire school community.

I commit myself this day to scholarship and to train my mind and push myself to work hard.

I commit myself this day to my family and my community. I make these commitments freely and publicly.

### **Latin:**

Educatio ius genere ortum meum est. Educatio ius e genere ortum liberorum omnium est. Educatio ad libertatem via est, quae libertas ut possim conficere proposita privata datur.

Educatio ad iustitiam via est, quae iustitia viro cuique et feminae et puero debetur. Educatio ad potestatem via est, qua potestate mutare mundum possum.

Educatio ad gaudium via est. Gaudium discendi privilegium est. Educatio officium perpetuum meum est. Dedicacionem et opera gravia requirit.

Hoc die spondeo intendere animum meum ad studia mea atque me promittere in ratione discendi atque semper quaerere consilium a magistris meis quandocumque egeo auxilii.

Hoc die spondeo observare me et condiscipulos meos atque honorare magistros meos et totam civitatem scholae.

Hoc die spondeo me eruditioni atque exercere animum meum atque me impellere ut laborem graviter.

Hoc die spondeo me familiae meae et communitati meae. Haec obligo libere et aperte.