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A+ Student's Name _____
(last name) (first name) (middle initial)

Graduation Year _____

**PARK HILL SOUTH HIGH SCHOOL
A+ SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**

A+ Participation Agreement

Listed below are the conditions for eligibility for financial incentives in accordance with guidelines of the A+ Scholarship Program established by § 160.545 RSMo. and the MO Dept. of Higher Education and Workforce Development.

Any student who meets or exceeds the criteria listed below can become eligible for reimbursement from the State of Missouri for tuition to any Missouri public community college, vocational, or technical school. Funding for the A+ Scholarship Program is the sole responsibility of the State of Missouri.

The following criteria must be met for student eligibility in the A+ Scholarship program:

1. Be a US citizen or an eligible non-citizen.
2. Attend an A+ designated school for at least two years prior to graduation.
3. Achieve an attendance rate of at least 95% by graduation.
4. Earn at least a 2.5 cumulative, unweighted grade point average by graduation. (4-year colleges/universities may have higher minimum GPA requirement).
5. Complete at least fifty (50) hours of A+ approved unpaid mentoring and/or tutoring. (Maximum 12.5 hours may be earned through pre-approved job shadow).
6. Maintain a record of good citizenship and avoidance of unlawful use of drugs and alcohol (Student may not accumulate 10 days OSS for any reason).
7. Score Proficient or Advanced on the Algebra I (or substitute) end-of-course (EOC) exam.
8. Apply for federal financial assistance (Free Application for Federal Student Aid- FAFSA).

To maintain eligibility after high school graduation, the following criteria must be met:

1. Attend an A+ eligible community college, vocational/ technical school, or 4-year college/university as a full-time student.
2. Maintain the minimum GPA as set forth by the post-secondary institution.
3. Claim this financial incentive within 48 months after high school graduation.

By signing in the designated space below, the student and parents/guardians are indicating they have been informed by the Park Hill School District of the criteria for student participation in the A+ Scholarship Program.

Student Signature

_____/_____/_____
Date

Parent/ Guardian Signature

_____/_____/_____
Date

ALL FUNDING FOR THE A+ SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM IS CONTINGENT UPON YEARLY RENEWAL AND APPROPRIATIONS BY THE MISSOURI GENERAL ASSEMBLY.