Bears Academy
PLEASANT VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL
1671 Route 209
Brodheadsville, Pennsylvania 18322
Mr. Jason Van Voorhis
Bears Academy Principal
Telephone: (570) 402-1000 ext. 4040

Parent/Guardian Contract

In order for your son/daughter to be successful in the Bears Academy, you must be actively involved in the educational process and agree to the following:

1. I will provide a **valid email address and phone number (with a working voicemail)** and notify the Bears Academy office by email pvbaattendance@pvbears.org if there are any changes during the school year. **BA's main form of communication is email.**

2. I will regularly check my email for announcements and updates from Bears Academy.

3. I will ensure that my child will show academic progress and demonstrate quality work on a daily basis.

4. I understand that even if my child signs in everyday, if there is minimal academic progress and low grades, he/she may be asked to return to the physical building.

5. I will ensure that my child adheres to weekly coursework deadlines and submits all required tasks on time.

6. If my child is not passing the majority of his/her scheduled courses anytime after the first 2 weeks of joining the cyber program, a meeting may be scheduled with my child, Parent(s), and BA staff to discuss my child's progress.

7. I will ensure that my child reports to the designated school building for all mandatory state testing and I will provide transportation, as needed.

8. I will ensure that my child dedicates the time necessary to remain on target and make progress. We recommend at least 2.5 hours per class, per week. **If my student does not log in for the required amount of time, they may be subject to truancy.**

9. **I will check my child's academic progress in the email sent to me on a daily basis**. I also understand that I need to be actively involved in my child's education. If you are not receiving progress reports, please contact Ms. Leibenguth.

10. I will ensure that my child has high-speed Internet access so the coursework can be completed.

11. If a situation arises in which my child needs a computer or has been directed by the Technology Support Team to swap the Chromebook they were given, I will provide him/her transportation to Pleasant Valley High School in a timely manner.

12. I will ensure that no one dismantles any of the equipment, and will call Technology Support 570.402.1000 x4040 or email PVSupport@pvbears.org if there is a problem.

I understand that if I cannot fulfill this contract, my son or daughter may not be a successful virtual learner in the Bears Academy and may be asked to return to the physical building.