

# CLASSROOM COVENANT

I have the right to be HAPPY and to be treated with KINDNESS in this classroom. I have the responsibility to treat others with kindness.

This means that no one will LAUGH at me, IGNORE me or HURT my feelings, nor will I do this to others.

I have the right to be MYSELF in this classroom. This means that no one will treat me UNFAIRLY because I am FAT OR THIN, FAST OR SLOW, BOY OR GIRL. I have the responsibility to treat others fairly.

I have the right to HEAR and be HEARD in this classroom and the responsibility to LISTEN to others. This means that no one will YELL, SCREAM, OR SHOUT. My opinion and needs will be considered in any plans we make and I will respect the opinions and needs of others.

I have a right in this classroom to learn about MYSELF, OTHERS, AND GOD. This means that I will be free to express my thoughts, feelings, and opinions without being interrupted or made fun of. I have the responsibility to respect the feelings and opinions of others and to not interrupt them or make fun of them.

I look forward to RESPECTING your RIGHTS and MINE and RESPECTING the person's desk I am sitting at and the classroom I am in. I will not destroy, write on, or misuse the things at their desk or in this classroom, because I do not want anyone to destroy the things that belong to me.