



## Carteret County Schools Graduation Project **ETHICAL COMMITMENT**

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As a participant in the Carteret County Schools Graduation Project, I pledge to adhere to the following as a demonstration of my honor and integrity:

1. I, and I alone, will complete the research necessary to write the research paper component of the project.
2. I will not use a paper and/or information gathered by another individual.
3. I will not purchase or use a paper from the Internet, nor will I “cut and paste” any parts of Internet sources as if they were my own words and thoughts.
4. I will document my project accurately to avoid plagiarism.
5. I, with the help of my mentor, will complete the product component of the project.
6. I will collect accurate information and accurate verifications on all the work necessitating signatures. I will not forge any verification documents.
7. I will complete a Graduation Project. I will not buy or falsify the completion of a project. I will not use all or any part of another person’s Graduation Project.
8. I will include only work that I have completed in each component in my project. I will not include any materials of any type that belong to another individual. Each component will reflect the work and effort that I and I alone, have exerted for the purpose of completing my Graduation Project.

As an honorable young adult of integrity, I agree to the above conditions while completing my Graduation Project. **I understand that if I fail to adhere to these standards and submit work that is not my own, I will face the penalty of receiving a zero (0) for that component of the project and will risk not graduating as a result.**

PRINTED STUDENT NAME \_\_\_\_\_

STUDENT SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

DATE \_\_\_\_\_