## **Alexander Marching Band Behavior Contract**

The marching band is a family, and as a family we spend a lot of time together. It is important that during this time together, the members abide by certain guidelines in order to maintain a safe and friendly environment.

The guidelines and policies laid out by Alexander Local School District are in full effect at all band related events including practices. Disciplinary actions may be taken based upon infringement of school or band policy and may include disqualification from the marching band program. The following offenses will be considered to be the most egregious and will be on a three strikes policy. Any member violating these guidelines three times during the season will relinquish their membership of the Alexander Marching Band.

- There will not be public displays of affection beyond hugging. Any other public displays of affection during band events will not be tolerated.
- Any physical contact between band members must be consensual. If a band member does not
  want another band member to touch him or her, then that band member should not engage in
  that activity.
- Language and topics of discussion will be clean at all times. If you would not feel comfortable saying what you are saying to a teacher or parent, then you should not say it.
- Members will not be under the influence of drugs or alcohol at any band events (this is a one strike offense and one instance of this will result in loss of membership in the band.)
- When speaking to our peers about another person, it is important not to spread rumors or gossip. Members will not cause drama within the band.

Signing this contract states that the band member understands these guidelines and understands the consequences of not following them.

Please Detach and Return to Mr. Hafner by May 20th, 2022.

Date

I have read and understand the behaviors and consequences listed on the Marching Spartans Behavior Contract and I/My Student will abide by the guidelines listed above.

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| Parent Signature |
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