

Maranatha Academy
Parent and Student Commitment Form
New and Returning Student

We/I the undersigned have agreed that _____ has been admitted at Maranatha Academy (MA) based on conditions stipulated below. In addition, we/I will ensure that the obligations and responsibilities will be carried out as outlined by the school rules. We/I also understand the school reserves the right to review the policies (with due notice) as the organization sees fit.

We/I understand that the school has the right to ask a Parent/Guardian to withdraw their child/children from the institution if any of the rules or obligations outlined is not adhered to and the consequences outlined subscribe to such an action.

We/I further understand that MA is a ‘Seventh-day Adventist Institution’ and it is therefore governed by the basic principles of the Seventh-day Adventist’s educational philosophies, aims and objectives, which entail beliefs of the Church as outlined in the school’s rule book e.g. the prohibition of eating unclean food on campus, serving or drinking alcoholic beverages, smoking and or the use of illegal drugs etc. Any food brought on campus for students must be in accordance with the school’s philosophy, and is subject to inspection by the school’s administration. The wearing of any type of jewellery is strictly prohibited.

As a Parent/Guardian I therefore promise to:

1. Adequately supervise my child/children in the completion and submission of all homework, projects and assignments on time.
2. Fulfil my entire child’s financial obligation on time or accept the consequences as outlined by the school policies.
3. Adequately support the school’s extra- curricular activities such as: school functions, fund raising effort or any other necessary functions put on by the school.
4. Ensure that my child/children adequately support and attend the school’s extra-curricular activities as stated above in condition (3), and to allow my child to actively participate in programmes such as ‘Education Week’ which may require the student to attend the Adventist Church on particular Sabbaths.
5. Ensure that my child/children understand that enrolment at Maranatha school subjects them to scrutiny on or off the campus, thus any negative behaviour displayed outside of school hours can be taken into account and the school has the right to take any necessary disciplinary actions if the behaviour contradicts our school policies, for e.g. drinking and smoking, attending questionable places such as night clubs, bars etc.

6. All students must be picked up by 4:30 pm (Mondays to Thursdays) and by 2:30 pm on Fridays, unless instructed otherwise by the school's administration.
7. Attend all Parents and Teachers Meeting (P.T.A.) and pay dues (if absent send a written or verbal excuse).
8. Promptly collect or come in and examine the child/children's monthly grade report/end of term report and end of year report, and be willing to cooperate with school regarding the appropriate disciplinary measures if reports are not collected or reviewed by the Parent/Guardian.
9. Report if there are any problems or misunderstanding with the school, staff members, student or parents through the appropriate channel that will be followed in dealing with such situation.
10. Be appropriately dressed when visiting the school compound as well as showing courtesy and respect to all and follow the procedures for visitation.
11. Adequately supply my child/children with the necessary books, materials and equipment as requested by the school.
12. Supply the school with all the necessary documents as requested. Especially those required for the completion of admission. Failure to do so may lead to the consequences as stipulated in the handbook being enforced.
13. Visit the school on a regular basis to interact with the teachers, to find out about the student's behaviour and or academic performance.
14. Ensure that with God's help Maranatha Academy becomes the best high school throughout the Turks and Caicos Islands.

Signature (Parent/Guardian) Father

Date

Signature (Parent/Guardian) Mother

Date

Signature (Student)

Date

Reinford Trail (Principal)

Date