

Student ID Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
Student Name(printed): \_\_\_\_\_



### Age of Majority Contract and Acknowledgment

Congratulations! You're 18 and now legally considered an adult. With that designation, you're independent of authorizations previously provided by your parent/guardian on your behalf. The agreement below does not change those authorizations; they just require additional approval from you. Please read and sign this contract to remain in good standing at the Academy and to ensure continued access the services and opportunities we provide.

I \_\_\_\_\_ have read the most recently available Deerfield Academy Student Handbook and understand the Academy's rules and policies including its academic and disciplinary procedures. Further, I agree to remain well-informed of the rules and policies in the event they are changed or updated.

I agree that a positive and constructive working relationship among the Academy, the Student, and the Student's parents or guardians is essential to fulfillment of the Academy's educational mission. I appreciate the importance of the Academy's insistence on acceptable Student behavior, and consent to the Academy's application of its standards of behavior through disciplinary actions, including probation, suspension, or expulsion, at any time in the Academy's sole and absolute discretion. I acknowledge that the Academy reserves the right, to discipline, suspend, dismiss, or refuse to enroll me if the Academy concludes in its sole and absolute discretion that I have engaged in any behavior (whether on or off campus, and whether during the academic year or otherwise) that, in the Academy's sole and absolute judgment, violates an academic or disciplinary rule, policy or standard.

In consideration of admission to and attendance at the Academy, I hereby release, discharge and indemnify the Academy, its employees and/or agents from any action, claim or suit arising out of or resulting from any academic or disciplinary actions relating to myself.

I also hereby authorize the Academy to release, at their discretion, to my parents/guardians any or all information the Academy is in control of or possesses, including but not limited to: wellbeing and academic information.

This document shall be interpreted in accordance with Massachusetts law and actions concerning it shall be filed in Franklin County Massachusetts.

Signed:

Student \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_