



Assigned School: _____

Staff Contact Person: _____

Event Date: _____

Number: _____

Today's Date: _____

Student's FSI #: _____

Broward County Public Schools

ALTERNATIVE PROBATIONARY CONTRACT

(in lieu of recommendation for expulsion)

THIS CONTRACT is entered into between THE SCHOOL BOARD OF BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA and _____, a student of _____ School, and the student's parent(s)/guardian(s) _____.

The student is charged with violating the provisions of the Code of Student Conduct and/or Section IV of School Board Policy 5006, relating to expellable offenses on school grounds or during school-sponsored events/activities.

On the ____ of _____, 20__ at the location of _____
(Specify school name, school ground or school sponsored event)

the student did the following:

Policy 5006, Section IV, Violations

1. Commits repeated violations of Policy 5.9: Anti-Bullying
2. Commits an assault
3. Commits a battery
4. Commits or threatens to commit vandalism/damage to property
5. Commits any act on campus or off campus that substantially disrupts the orderly conduct of the classroom or school activities
6. Commits grand theft / motor vehicle theft
7. Commits burglary – unlawful breaking/entering
8. Commits a physical attack
9. Commits a sexual assault
10. Commits sexting
11. Uses/possesses/transmits drug paraphernalia
12. Possesses/ displays uses / transmits a Class B weapon
13. Commits fire starting* - starts a fire on campus or school property and/or at a school bus stop
14. Uses laser pens/pointers and other laser devices in a manner that could potentially harm or injure another individual
15. Makes an internet/electronic transmission of a threat to do harm to person(s) on school grounds, or to school property, that results in a substantial disruption to the school climate
16. Conducts, recruits, or participates on campus in a formal or informal manner in order to foster youth gang activity. This activity may include, but is not limited to, an association or group of three or more persons who are gang related individually or collectively who engage in a pattern of youth or street gang activity and have a common name or common identifying clothing, jewelry, buttons, colors, signs, symbols or markings with the intent or purpose to threaten and/or present a danger to public order and safety

17. Transmits or distributes any video voyeurism or images that depict nudity or sexual content or that violate the rights of individuals having a reasonable expectation of privacy and/or violate privacy laws
18. Commits other criminal actions, on school board property, or during school events or activities, not already set forth above in this policy including, but not limited to, when the student:
 - a. is formally charged with having committed a delinquent act which would be a felony, if committed by an adult (F. S.1006.09(2));
 - b. has had an adjudication withheld for a delinquent act which, if committed by an adult, would be a felony; or
 - c. has been found guilty of a felony
19. Uses the school district's technology and/or software for any unauthorized purpose. The unauthorized use of a computer/technology, including, but not limited to, accessing or breaking in to restricted accounts or networks, creating, modifying or destroying files/records without permission, copying software, entering, distributing or printing unauthorized files/records, uploading to the internet, and/or sharing or distributing, offensive or inappropriate material, including video, and any other misuse or violation of the School Board of Broward County Technology-Acceptable Use Policy 5306, Section 6.

The student and parent(s)/guardian(s) acknowledge, agree and stipulate to the following terms of the Alternative Probationary Contract.

1. The Alternative Probationary Contract has been explained to them.
2. They have received a written explanation of the assigned Probationary program.
3. The rules of the probation shall be followed (see below):
 - a. The student shall attend the assigned program regularly. No unexcused absences are permitted.
 - b. The student and parent(s)/guardian(s) (as required), shall participate in all aspects of the assigned program (i.e. educational, counseling, community service, and/or other additional requirements);
 - c. The student shall adhere to all of the rules of the conduct within the Code of Student Conduct and Policy 5006 of the School Board of Broward County, Florida;
 - d. While this contract is in effect, the student must not violate Section IV of School Board Policy 5006, by committing any expellable offense.
4. They wish to elect participation in the Alternative Probationary Program.
5. The term of the probation for the student shall be from _____ to _____ (one calendar year).

6. Students with Disabilities-

They understand that the student is placed on an Alternative Probationary Agreement for having committed an expellable offense. They understand and agree that while this Alternative Probationary Contract is in effect, if the student violates Section IV of School Board Policy 5006, then the student may be placed in a District Disciplinary Center for up to one calendar year (one calendar year, from the date of the infraction), in compliance with all procedures for students with disabilities.

General Education Students-

They understand that the student is placed on an Alternative Probationary Agreement, in lieu of expulsion, for having committed an expellable offense. They understand and agree that while this Alternative Probationary Contract is in effect, if the student violates Section IV of School Board Policy 5006, then the School Board shall act upon the expulsion, and the student may be assigned to complete the District's Expulsion Abeyance Program for up to one calendar year (one calendar year, from the date of the infraction). They understand and agree that if the student fails to successfully complete the assigned Expulsion Abeyance Program, then the

student may be expelled from Broward County Public Schools for the remainder of the assigned expulsion abeyance period.

The student and parent(s)/guardians(s) admit and agree to the violation of Section IV of School Board Policy 5006 documented herein, and by signing this agreement specifically waive their right to further notice or hearing pertaining to said violation.

For students who violate Sections other than Section IV of School Board Policy 5006, while this Alternative Probationary Contract is in effect, action shall be taken in accordance with School Board Policy 5006.

THIS CONTRACT is signed on this _____ day of _____, 20_____.

Student Name

Student Signature

Parent / Guardian Name

Parent / Guardian Signature

Principal Name

Principal Signature

Office Use Only

Expulsion Abeyance Office

Executive Director, Student Support Initiatives