Abbotsford Traditional School

<u>Parent Agreement</u>

...the successful learning organization is based on shared values and shared understanding and the agreement by everybody to be focused on the same set of   priorities.
Dr. Rosabeth Kanter, Harvard University

As a school of choice, ATS will provide:

- an emphasis on academic achievement supported by a homework policy
- a structured approach to learning and behaviour
- a culture of respect that includes a dress code
- a philosophy based on parents as partners.

It is vital that every member of the ATS family understands and accepts the vision and traditional philosophy that underpins the school so that we are all focused on the same set of priorities.

I, _____ will support the school and my student's education in the following manner:

- I promise not to remove my child from regular studies during the academic year for a period of more than 2 weeks to ensure that they have maximum exposure to teacher-directed instruction.

- I promise to stay informed about my child's progress and/or educational experience by reading the school newsletter, attending parent/teacher interviews and attending regular P.A.C. meetings whenever possible.

- I promise to support the dress code. I will make my best effort to ensure that my son or daughter is sent to school every day wearing the school dress code.

- I promise to support the homework policy. I will encourage my student to complete his or her assignments thoroughly and on time. If he or she is having difficulty, I will work with the teachers to develop strategies to help my student to complete the assignments.

- I promise to support the discipline policy at the school. I will work with the teachers and my student to ensure that my student behaves in a responsible manner that shows respect for him or herself, respect for others and respect for the environment.

Parent or Guardian's signature:_____Date:_____

Parent or Guardian's signature:_____Date:_____