

BETHEL COLLEGE HIGH SCHOOL

PARENT/SPONSOR & LEARNER CONTRACT

Please initial each of the following points and sign and date fully at the bottom:

Initial

1. I have read the ***school Brochure – 2021*** and I confirm my commitment and support to the sentiments expressed therein. _____
2. I will be loyal to the school, and will encourage my child to identify with the school's ideals, and to obey the school rules. _____
3. I give permission that my child may participate in any of the extra-curricular activities organized by the school. This includes sporting and cultural activities as well as excursions/tours. I understand that reasonable precautions will always be in place to ensure the safety of children. I further understand that some activities may imply additional costs and I expect to be consulted on this matter before my child is asked to participate. _____
4. ***I accept full responsibility for the prompt payment, in advance, of all school fees and legitimate expenses as indicated on duly rendered school accounts. I understand that I may be asked to withdraw my child if I am not able to settle my account.*** _____
5. ***I hereby consent that the school or it's appointed agent may carry out a credit enquiry and may transmit details to a credit bureau of how I have performed in meeting my obligations in terms of this agreement and in the event that I fail to meet my obligations may record my non-performance with the applicable credit bureau.*** _____
6. ***I hereby undertake and bind myself to pay any costs, including legal fees, tracing fees and collection costs which may be incurred by the school in it's recovery of any outstanding amount due by me.*** _____
7. Should it be necessary for any reason to withdraw my child during the school year, I understand that I will be responsible for the payment of school fees up to the end of the month in which my child is withdrawn from the school. _____
8. I understand that the personal belongings of my children are not insured by the school or Seventh-Day Adventist church organisation. _____
9. I understand that the school dormitories and dining room do not function during school holidays and out-weekends and I accept the responsibility to make alternative arrangements for my child at such times. _____
10. I give permission that my child may be subject to medical tests for drugs or other illegal substances if there is evidence or reasonable suspicion that he/she may be involved in substance abuse activities. I understand that such testing will always be dealt with confidentially and in a professional manner and that I will be kept informed with regard to the process. I agree to be responsible for any laboratory costs that may be involved. _____
11. I give permission that my child may be given basic medication should the need arise. _____
12. I give the principal or his/her representative the right to act "*in loco parentis*" to my child. _____

Signature: **Parent/Sponsor** _____

Date: _____

Signature: **Learner (Grade 10–12 In respect of no 1 & 2 above)** _____

Date: _____