

Dear Parents, Students and Families,

Welcome new and returning Hmong College Prep Academy students to the 2020-2021 school year!

2019-2020 was another great year at HCPA!

- Financial Aid: The class of 2020 was awarded *over \$1.5 million dollars* in scholarship and grants, over four years, from the schools to which they were accepted.
- Graduation rate: 100% of the class of 2020 earned their diploma (our highest rate of all time!) and 75% confirmed their college enrollment by making a deposit and/or registering for classes.
- Being an HCPA student for four years: There is no doubt about it...the longer a student is at HCPA, the higher chance to graduate on time. In 2019-2020, the graduation rate for students who had been with us since ninth grade was 100%.
- Top 10 Students: 100% attended HCPA since 9th grade and 50% attended since 6th grade

Distance Learning

- Due to input from our families, staff members and in strong consideration of the Governor's guidelines, HCPA implement distance learning this fall. We will continue to assess the data and keep all stakeholders informed regarding plans for the spring of 2021.
- Parent survey results
 - O Due to concern for the health and safety of their families, 75% of HCPA's parents indicated they would not allow their students to attend on-site classes this fall.
- Distance Learning enhancements for Fall 2020
 - o More synchronous lessons to increase student engagement and rigor
 - Improved access to technology
 - Increased family support including meal pick up twice per week
- Even during distance learning, we will continue to provide our students the best academics and college readiness programming.

Exciting News - Phase V Expansion

- This fall, we will begin a major campus expansion. The approximate \$25 million project will feature a 72,000 plus square-foot middle school addition with 48 new classrooms and gymnasium as well as a state-of-the-art robotics lab. A skyway will also be constructed that connects the new school to the main campus.
- Renovations will also be made to the current facility including a new student common area, updated office space and an expanded lunchroom.

Important initiatives for the 2020-2021 school year include:

- Providing our students with state-of-the-art technology with iPad access for all K-2 students and Google Chromebook access for all 3-12 grade students.
- Implementing research-based literacy practices that will get our students reading at grade level by third grade
- Providing a mentorship program for new staff
- Implementing Minnesota's new science standards



- Building a strong multi-tiered system of support that ensures all HCPA students' needs are met
- Utilizing ACT Aspire tests in grades 3-9 to ensure all our students are college and career ready
- Continued expansion of our high school AP and CIS course offerings

In closing, please know I am honored, humbled and excited to serve as the Superintendent of Hmong College Prep Academy. I look forward to meeting and working with all students and parents to fulfill the promise and potential of our school district.

Sincerely,

Superintendent

Christiana Hang



August 2020

Hello Students, Parents, Guardians, and Community Members,

I hope this message finds you and your family healthy and well. This summer has been different than any other in the history of Hmong College Prep Academy. Though the summer months have always been spent in preparation for the school year to come, this summer has been full of planning for an uncertain fall. Per the governor's June mandate, our K-12 team has been busily discussing and brainstorming around three possible academic and operational scenarios: 1.) a full school reopening with staff and students, 2.) a hybrid of in-person and at-school learning for staff and students, and 3.) a continuation of distance learning from the spring. We have also been working diligently to survey your thoughts and perspectives around what is best for your students and family. Following the governor's announcement of a COVID-19 case rate-based reopening plan at the end of July, HCPA made the decision to begin our 2020-2021 school year with distance learning. It was a decision that was made with careful deliberation and to best ensure the safety of our students, staff, and community.

For many families, especially those of our elementary learners, we know that the spring distance learning period was challenging. Students and parents faced the difficult task of quickly adapting to a new learning environment while juggling work and family obligations. Many students greatly missed connecting with their friends and teachers. However, there were also successes. In elementary, we saw students learning new things, trying out new technology, and becoming more independent in their work. With your feedback in mind, we are happy to announce several changes to our distance learning structures to further support you and your student. A few of these changes include:

- iPads for all students in Kindergarten through 2nd grade. Students in 3rd through 12th grade will continue to be issued Chromebooks. HCPA will now have devices for every student enrolled.
- <u>Seesaw</u> as a new learning management system in Kindergarten through 2nd grade. This platform is used by many other schools with young students. It is very kid-friendly and allows students to more easily engage in and show their learning.
- More opportunities to connect with classmates and learn from teachers through a structured 8:00-2:00 daily schedule, similar to what students might encounter inside the building. This schedule will include daily video-conferences and lessons with teachers and peers.
- More support for parents and families to learn the technology and tools their students will be using in distance learning via online videos and tutorials.

To begin the school year, HCPA will be hosting a back-to-school, drive-up orientation in August to share expectations for the school year and to pick up distance learning resources. To maintain health and safety guidelines and to best support your family, orientation times have been staggered. Please be on the lookout for a letter with your specific family orientation time in the coming weeks. While we cannot wait to be back together in-person with our students and staff, we are confident that even in distance learning, we can work together towards our mission of providing the best integrated, challenging, and well-rounded educational experience to students in grades K-12. We look forward to your continued collaboration and feedback as we start our 2020-2021 school year.

Yours in Learning, Kinsta Skoglund Carlson

Krista Skoglund Carlson

K-5 Director of Teaching and Learning



August 2020

Dear students, parents, and members of our Warrior Community,

I hope this letter finds you healthy and safe. The past several months have been challenging for our community. However, the start of the school year is a perfect time to reflect on the past and plan even better for the future. As you know, HCPA will be implementing a Distance Learning Model for the 2020/2021 School Year. While we know there are pros and cons to distance learning, your safety is our #1 priority, and with that in mind we intend to deliver high quality and engaging instruction through Distance Learning.

Your feedback through surveys and other communications have been valuable to us as we plan for the 2020/2021 school year. You said you would like more guidance on how to support your child through distance learning. Please stay tuned for upcoming sessions that will help you, the family, support your child(ren) and navigate distance learning.

Other feedback has been about creating more synchronous learning opportunities that follow a daily routine and schedule. Each class will have both synchronous and asynchronous components You also asked that Schoology be more streamlined for easier navigation. Students will get information about the daily schedule and Schoology organization.

We have moved from a 4 period block schedule to a 6 period schedule. The 6 period schedule will offer more elective opportunities for students, and also more intensified reading and math classes for students who need them. Language and Math Essentials will be offered to students who need additional support in reading and math, and that extra support will be critical during the distance learning model.

I will be working with teachers to focus, first and foremost, on building connections and relationships with students. Your child's well-being - physical, emotional, and mental - is our priority and we know that relationships are essential to creating engaging learning opportunities. In addition, our Counseling Department will continue to provide support to any student who would like to process through current events.

Finally, your support of your child's education has never been more important. **Some ways to help your child during distance learning include:**

- Time each day dedicated to learning
- Attend our family sessions
- Be in communication with teachers about what is going well or not well

Please join us for these important dates this fall:

- Student Orientation for NEW students Thursday, August 27
- Student Orientation for all MS & HS students Monday, August 31
- Student Orientation for Special Education students Wednesday, September 2
- First Day of School September 8

Student orientation will be on campus. At that time, you will pick up Chromebooks, pay fees, etc.

Finally, I want you to know that I am here for you. Please reach out with any questions or concerns that you have. My team and I are here to support you.

Thank you for your partnership.

Respectfully,

Danijela Duvnjak Director of Teaching and Learning 1515 Brewster St, St Paul MN 55108 (w) 651/332-8586 (c) 651/274-3228

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2020-2021 Elementary School Supply List

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KINDERGARTEN

- 2 Packs of **PRIMARY** pencils ("Fat" pencils)
 - 2 Packs 24 Crayola color crayons 1 - Pack 12 colored pencils
- 1 Pack 8-count washable markers
- 1 Pack of Expo dry-erase markers
 - 1 Pack watercolor paints
- 1 Scissors (round-tip "kid" scissors)
 - 12 Glue sticks
- 2 Folders (2 pockets, solid color) 1 - Bottle Elmer's Liquid Glue
- 2 Wide ruled composition book
- 3 Large boxes of Kleenex (facial tissues)
 - 2 Containers Clorox (disinfecting) wipes
 - 2 Hand sanitizers
- 1 Box sandwich size Ziploc bags
 - 1 Box gallon size Ziploc bags

LABEL with Child's Name

1 - Set of extra clothes (to be left at school, does not have to be school uniform)

GRADE 1

- 2 Packs of pencils (24 total)
 - 3 Large pink erasers
- I Pack 24 Crayola cofor crayons
 - Pack washable markers
- 1 Pack of Expo dry-erase markers
 - 1 Pack watercolor paints
- I Scissors
- 8 Glue sticks
- 1 Bottle Elmer's Liquid Glue
 - 1 Folders (2 pockets)
- 2 Wide ruled composition book
- 3 Large boxes of Kleenex (facial tissues) 1 - Wide ruled notebook
- Container Clorox (disinfecting) wipes
 - Hand sanitizer
- I Box of snack or sandwich size Ziploc bags

Optional for Grade 1

1 - Box Band-Aids

GRADE 4

1 - Hard pencil box or case (no zippered bag)

1 - Box Ziploc bags (snack size, quart

Hand sanifizer

size, or gallon size) Roll paper towels

- Pencil box or zippered bag 4 - Packs of pencils (48 total)
- 1 Large pink eraser
- 2 Packs of Expo dry-erase markers 1 - Pack of colored pencils
- 1 Pack Crayola markers (thick lined)
- 2 Black Sharpie Permanent Markers

1 - Pack of Expo dry-erase markers

2 - Highlighter markers

1 - Pack washable markers 1 - Pack 24 colored pencils

1 - Pack 24 Crayola color crayons

4 - Packs of pencils (48 total)

1 - Pencil box

3 - Large pink erasers

- 2 Highlighter markers
 - 1 Scissors
- 6 Glue sticks
- 1 Bottle Elmer's Liquid Glue
- 6 Folders (2 pockets variety of colors)
- 7 Wide ruled spiral notebooks (variety of colors)
 - 2 College ruled composition notebooks

3 - College ruled composition notebooks (2 black,1 green)

6 - Wide ruled notebooks (solid colors only,

4 - Folders (2 pockets, solid colors)

1 - Bottle Elmer's Liquid Glue

8 - Glue sticks

1 - Scissors

2 - Packs of wide ruled loose leaf lined paper

Container Clorox (disinfecting) wipes

1 - Box Ziploc bags *(any size)*

1 - Hand sanitizer

5 - Boxes of Kleenex (facial tissues)

- 3 Packs of wide ruled loose leaf lined paper
- Pack of 3x5 index cards
- 3 Boxes of Kleenex (facial tissues)
- Container Clorox (disinfecting) wipes
- I Hand sanitizer
- 1 Box Ziploc bags (any size)
 - Roli paper towels

GRADE 2

GRADE 3

- 3 Packs of #2 Pencils (36 total) 2 - Large pink erasers
- 1 Pencil box OR zipper pencil case 1 - Packs of pencils (48 total)
 - Large pink eraser
- Pack 24 Crayola color crayons - Pack 12 colored pencils

- Pack 2 black felt-tip pens (Paper Mate Flair

Felt Tip Pens)

Pack 8-count washable markers

- Pack 24 Crayola color crayons

- Pack 12 colored pencils

Pack Expo dry-erase markers (4 count)

- Scissors (round tip)

8 - Glue sticks

- Pack Expo dry-erase markers - Scissors
- 6 Glue sticks
- 5 2 Pocket folders (1 red, 1 blue, 1 yellow, 2 choice colors)
- 5 Wide ruled notebooks (solid colors only) 1 - Wide ruled composition book

3 - 2 Pocket folders (1 red, 1 blue, 1 yellow) 1 - "Fun" folder (can be any design or color)

- 1 Pack wide ruled loose leaf lined paper
 - 4 Large boxes of Kleenex (facial tissues) 2 - Containers Clorox (disinfecting) wipes
 - Hand sanifizer

3 - Pack of Post-it Notes (3 inches square) 4 - Large boxes of Kleenex (facial tissues) 2 - Containers Clorox (disinfecting) wipes

I - Wide ruled composition book

I - Wide ruled notebook

- I Box sandwich size Ziploc bags
 - 1 Box gallon size Ziploc bags

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2020-2021 Grade 6-12 School Supply List



Hmong College Prep Academy would like to extend a warm welcome from our family to yours!

We are excited to welcome back all students who will be joining us this year. Our teachers have been working hard to get their classrooms ready for the first day of school. Please find below a list of recommended school supplies. If you should have any questions, please do not hesitate to call us at 651-209-8002.

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2	Highlighters
9	Pocket folders
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1	Protractor (Geometry and Foundation classes only)
2	Graph paper notebooks
1	Package 3 inches x 3 inches post-it note pads
1	Package of index cards 3 x 5
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,	USB memory stick (64 MB - 128 MB)

Please note:

 No personal pencil sharpeners 	All pencils should be #2
No permanent markers	Two-pocket folders only
 No novelty items – Hello Kitty, Disney, Transformers, etc. 	



Free Back to School Supplies!



The 2020-2021 school year is coming up fast and it is time to start getting school supplies for children. There are many resources available to families in need of school supplies!

Here is a list of some of the resources out in the Greater Twin Cities area. Restrictions may apply, according to the city/township that families live in.

August 22nd, 2020: Back to School Celebration

Organization: Merrick Community Services

Location: 1669 Arcade Street N., Suite 4, Saint Paul, MN 55106

Time: By appointment

Requirement: You must register online at MERRICKCS.ORG/BACK-TO-SCHOOL-BACKPACK-

REGISTRATION-2020/ Contact: 651-771-9339

August 26th, 2020: Annual Back to School Event

Organization: Family Values for Life **Location:** First Covenant Church

1280 Arcade Street, Saint Paul, MN 55106

Time: 12:00pm - 8:00pm

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Contact: 651-774-6663

Month of August: Salvation Army Back-to-School Donations and Distributions

Location: Your Local Salvation Army

Time & Date: Please visit and/or ask your local Salvation Army to determine their date for distribution **Requirement:** Call your local Salvation Army to preregister. Most location require a photo ID, a piece of mail that verifies you address, and some form of identification for each child (medical card, school ID, etc.)

You can also check with your local faith organizations to see if they will be hosting a Back to School Supplies event!

DID YOU KNOW?

^{**}When buying school supplies for your child(ren), REMEMBER TO HOLD ON TO THOSE RECEIPTS!!!!

^{***} You can claim the credit on your MN Income Taxes the next time you file!



August 10, 2020

Dear HCPA Families,

For the health and safety of our students and staff, our school district has made the decision to offer Distance Learning (DL) for all students in grades K-12 for this coming school year 2020-2021. What does that mean for the food program at HCPA? Although students are learning from home, breakfast and lunch will be offer to students via meal distribution. These steps must be completed before you can participate in the food meal distribution this coming school year.

Step 1 (complete before 8/31/2020):

Go to schoolcafe.com/hcpa to sign-up for an account and complete the online Application for Educational Benefit form or complete the attached application and return to the school office. School will certify your student's application into category as: FREE, REDUCED, or FULL PAID base on household income. Once the school certified your application, you will receive notification via email or mail.

If your student is certified for FREE or REDUCED, you will receive meals at no charge. If your student is certified as FULL PAID, you will have to pay for your student's meals if you wish to participate in meal pick-up.

Step 2 (submit payment before 8/31/2020):

FULL PAID students who wish to pick-up school meals, must make payment via SchoolCafe.com/hcpa before meal pick-up. You may also drop off or mail in your student's payment to the school. Make sure to put your student's name, grade, and ID number if you know.

Meal cost for FULL PAID student is \$2.00 for breakfast and \$3.00 for lunch.

Food Distribution for school year 2020-2021

Parents and students can pick-up school meals every Monday and Wednesday anytime from 9:00AM – 2:00PM. To participate in school meals distribution for school year 2020-21, please follow the steps below.

Step 1:

If you want to participate in the school meal distribution every Monday and Wednesday, you must call the school main office to request for meals. Be sure to provide your student's name, grade, ID and parent's information. You only need to call one time to request meal for continual pick-up. If you wish to stop meal pick-up, you MUST call the main office to remove your name from the list. If you don't call, the school will assume you will pick-up every week.

Please note: For FULL PAID students, if you do not call to cancel meals, you will be charged whether you pick up meals or not until we get notification from you to stop preparing meals.

Step 2:

Arrive at the school between the hours of 9AM – 2PM for meal pick-up every Monday and Wednesday. Park outside of DOOR B and remain in your vehicle and staff will bring out your meals.

If you should have further questions or need help with your online application, please contact the Food Services department at 651-209-8002 or you may also email aemillianna.thao@hcpak12.org.

Sincerely.

Aemillianna Thao

Assistant Director of Operations

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American Indian or Alaskan Native

Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander

Asian

Hispanic or Latino

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Black or African American

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Ine Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act requires the information on this application. You do not have to give the information, but if you do not, we cannot approve your child for free or reduced price meals. You must include the last four digits of the social security number of the adult household member who signs the application. The last four digits of the social security number is not required when you apply on behalf of a foster child or you list a Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP). Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) Program or Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR) case number or other FDPIR identifier for your child or when you indicate that the adult household member signing the application does not have a social security number. We will use your information to determine if your child is eligible for free or reduced price meals, and for administration and enforcement of the lunch and breakfast programs. We MAY share your eligibility information with education, health, and nutrition programs to help them evaluate, fund, or determine benefits for their programs, auditors for program reviews, and law enforcement officials to help them look into violations of program rules.

APPLICATION FOR EDUCATIONAL BENEFITS/FREE OR REDUCED PRICE MEALS - 2020-2021 SCHOOL YEAR

If you have any questions, please call Food Services at 651-209-8002. This application is also available online at https:// schoolcafe.com/HCPA

We cannot accept faxed or emailed copies. Completed originals can be mailed using the business reply envelope (if provided), given to the main office, or mailed to HCPA Food Services, 1515 Brewster St., St. Paul, MN 55108. A new application must be completed each school year.

Incomplete, difficult to read or incorrect applications will delay meal benefits. Until your application is processed, you will need to provide a lunch for your child(ren) or give them money to purchase school meals. Visit https://schoolcafe.com/HCPA to pay online.

Please allow 10 working days for eligibility determination. We will send you a letter with the results (free, reduced, or denied). If you have any questions, please call Food Services at 651-209-8002.

If you've received a letter from us that ALL of your children have already qualified for free meals, you do not need to fill out an application. If any children are not listed on the letter, please call Food Services at 651-209-8002.

APPLY FOR BENEFITS: You may apply for benefits at any time during the school year. If you are not eligible now but your income goes down, you lose your job, your family size becomes larger, or you become eligible for SNAP, MFIP or FDPIR benefits, you may complete an application at that time. If you have already completed an application and your income changes, call Food Services at 651-209-8002.

FAIR HEARING: You may talk to school officials if you do not agree with the decision on your application or the results of verification. You may also ask for a fair hearing. You may do this by calling or writing: Aemillianna Thao, Assistant Director of Operations, 1515 Brewster St., Saint Paul, MN 55108, 651-209-8002.

VERIFICATION: If you submit an application and it is approved, the application may be verified by the district and/or the MN Department of Education at any time during the school year. School officials may require documentation that your child(ren) are eligible for free or reduced-price meals. Your child's eligibility status for free or reduced-price meals may be verified with any data available for this purpose, including data from MN Departments of Economic Security, Revenue and Human Services.

SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER: The household's primary wage earner or another adult household member must provide the last four digits of their Social Security Number in the space provided. You are eligible to apply for benefits even if you do not have a Social Security Number. If no adult household members have a Social Security Number, leave this space blank and mark the box labeled "Check if no SSN".

PRIVACY OF YOUR CHILD'S ELIGIBLITY STATUS: Your child's eligibility status for school meals (qualified for "free", "reduced-price" or "denied" is private data used by the school to provide the correct school meal benefits to your child. At public school district, each child's eligibility status is recorded on a statewide computer system used to report student data to the MN Department of Education as required by state law. The MN Department of Education used this information to: (1) administer state and federal program; (2) calculate the compensatory revenues for public schools; and (3) judge the quality of the state's educational program. Federal law allows a school to release a child's meal eligibility status to officials of the following types of programs; (1) federal education program; (2) state health or education program administered by the school or a state agency; and (3) federal, state, or local nutrition program that has participation requirements similar to the National School Lunch Program. School officials may send information about other programs or benefits that may be of interest to households that have qualified for free or reduced-price school meal eligibility information is also used for statistical reports, without individuation identification. A child's eligibility status will not be release for any other purpose unless a narrent or quarties requests the release in writing. parent or guardian requests the release in writing.

PRIVACY OF INFORMATION THAT YOU PROVIDE ON THIS FORM: Information that you provide on this form is private data. The information is used to determine and verify whether children in your household qualify for free or reduced-price school meals. The school and the MN Department of Education may use the information provided on this form in carrying out efforts to verify the correctness of household size and income and public assistance information stated on the application. These verification efforts may be carried out through program reviews, audits, and investigations and may include contacting state agencies such as the MN Departments of Economic Security, Human Services, or Revenue to verify claims or legal actions if incorrect information is report. The information you provide on this application is not released for any other purpose unless a parent or guardian requests the release in writing.

SHARING INFORMATION WITH MINNESOTA HEALTH CARE PROGRAMS: Children who are eligible for school meal benefits may be eligible for Minnesota Health Care Programs. Your child's eligibility status for school meals (qualified for free or reduced-price meals) may be shared with Minnesota Health Care Programs unless you tell us not to. You are not required to share information for this purpose and your decision will not affect approval for school meal benefits.

In accordance with Federal civil rights law and U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) civil rights regulations and policies, the USDA, its Agencies, offices, and employees, and institutions participating in or administering USDA programs are prohibited from discriminating based on race, color, national origin, sex, disability, age, or reprisal or retaliation for prior civil rights activity, in any program or activity conducted or funded by USDA.

Persons with disabilities who require alternative means of communication for program information (e.g. Braille, large print, audiotape, American Sign Language, etc.), should contact the Agency (State or local) where they applied for benefits.

Individuals who are deaf, hard of hearing or have speech disabilities may contact USDA through the Federal Relay Service at (800) 877-8339. Additionally, program information may be made available in languages other than English.

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To file a program complaint of discrimination, complete the USDA Program Discrimination Complaint Form, (AD-3027) found online at: http://www.ascr.usda.gov/complaint.filing_cust.html, and at any USDA office, or write a letter addressed to USDA and provide in the letter all of-the information requested in the form. To request a copy of the complaint form, call (866) 632-39992. Submit your completed form or letter to USDA by: (1) mail: U.S. Department of Agriculture, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights, 1400 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, D.C. 20250-9410; (2) fax: (202) 690-7442; or (3) email: program.mtake@usda.gov.

This institution is an equal opportunity provider.

		Maximum Tot	tal Income		
Household size	\$_Per Year	\$ Per Month	\$ Twice Per Month	\$ Per.2 Weeks	.\$.Per Week.
1	23,606	1,968	984	908	454
2	31,894	2,658	1,329	1,227	614
3	40,182	3,349	1,675	1,546	773
4	48,470	4,040	2,020	1,865	933
5	56,758	4,730	2,365	-2, 183	1,092
6	65,046	5,421	2,711	2,502	1,251
7	73,334	6,112	3,056	2,821	1,411
8	81,622	6,802	3,401	3,140	1,570
Add for each additional person	8,288	691	346	319	160

Sour	ces of Income for Children	Sources of Income for Adults				
Source	Example(s)	Earnings from Work	Public Assistance/Alimony/Child Support	Pensions/Retirement/All Other Income		
- Earnings from work	- A child has a regular full or part-time job where they earn a salary or wages	Salary wages, cash bonuses Net income from self-employment (farm or business)	Unemployment benefits Worker's compensation Supplemental Security Income (SSI)	Social Security (including railroad retirement and black lung benefits) Private pensions or disability benefits		
- Social Security	A child is blind or disabled and receives Social Security benefits A parent is disabled, retired, or deceased, and their child receives Social Security benefits.	If you are in the U. S. Military: Basic pay and cash bonuses (do NOT include combat pay, FSSA or privatized housing allowances)	Cash assistance from State or local government Alimony payments Child support payments Veteran's benefits	Regular income from trusts or estates Annuities Investment income Earned interest Rental income		
- Income from person out- side of the household	- A friend or extended family member regularly gives a child spending money	Allowances for off-base housing, food and clothing	Strike benefits	Regular cash payments from outside household		
- Income from any other source	- A child receives regular income from a private pension fund, annuity or trust					



General Permission Slip

HCPA requires all parents/guardians to complete the permission slip form to allow your child to be picked up by someone other than parents. In order to ensure the safety of your child, we will only release your child to their parents or the designated person(s) listed below:

Student Name:	Grade:	Date of Birth:	ID#:
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Student Name:	Grade:	Date of Birth:	ID#;
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	Home Phone: Work Phone:	Email:	
Father/Guardian:	Home Phone:	Cell Ph	one:
	Work Phone:	Email:	one:
CHILD PIC	K UP/ EMERGENCY INFORMA	TION CONTACT RE	CORD
	up your child MUST show a PHOTO emergency other than a person the		permitted to pick up your
crilid. Name of a person to call in	emergency other than a person the s	student lives with.	
Adults Full Name	Relationship to 0	Child	Phone Number
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accident or serious illness, I ask that individuals listed above and follow his	n(s) to pick up my child from HCPA in ca the school contact me. If the school is un s/her instructions. If no one can be reach erson(s), it will be my responsibility to not	able to reach me, I author led, the school may arrang	rize the school to contact the ge for care as needed. If I
Parent Signature:		Date:	
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 Do you give permission for you school wide events during the and local neighborhood parks 	our child to attend and be transported eschool year and to participate in wa e? (Circle one) Yes No	l, by licensed bonded so lking field trips around t	ervices, to all field trips and the school, neighborhood
2. I understand if I do not want r	ny student's photos or names include n the main office annually by October		s I may request, sign and
Parent Signature:		Date:	
I understand I may refer to the ha	HCPA STUDENT HAND ndbook and can view it at any time o		at hcpak12.org.
Parent Signature:		Date:	



		Annual Student Health Form
Stude	nt Nam	ne: Birth Date: 🗆 Male 🗆 Female Grade: School Year:
		rdian: Work: Cell:
		Please answer ALL questions on this form and return it to school as soon as possible.
HFΔI	TH CO	ONCERNS: * Submit action plan for starred conditions.
	.111 00	(Please check and explain if your child has any of the following)
YES	NO	
		Attention Deficit Hyper-Activity Disorder/ Attention Deficit Disorder (ADHD/ADD)
		€ other social / emotional / behavioral / mental health concerns
		DescribeAllergies * to
_	_	Reaction
		Food Intolerance to
_	_	Reaction
		Asthma * or breathing problem:
		Has the asthma been diagnosed by a physician Yes No
Ц		Diabetes*: Type 1 € Type 2 Managed by: € Diet/Activity Oral medications € Insulin injections Pump
		Seizures *:
		Type Frequency
		DescriptionLast Seizure
Ш	П	Heart Condition Describe
		Is the student pregnant? Due date Does the student have children? Age of child(ren)
		Concussion/ Traumatic Brain Injury
		Describe Date
		Recent surgeries, hospitalizations, injuries
		Describe
		Implanted Devices What kind
		Special Education/504 Plan
		Bowel / Bladder Concerns
	_	Describe
		Most Recent Physical Examination
	_	Date
П	Ц	Does your child have a health problem that could result in an emergency?*
		Describe Other Health Concerns or Activity Restrictions*
_	_	Describe
ΗFΔΙ	TH C	ARE PROVIDERS AND INSURANCE INFORMATION (Note: section below MUST be completed):
		Provider's Clinic
		Name of doctor/provider: Hospital Preference: Phone: Hospital Preference:
	I Clinic	
		Name of doctor/provider:
		Phone:
Healtl	h Insur	ance





<u>Visio</u>	<u>n</u>		Hearing	
	Glasses/contacts prescribe	ed	☐ Frequent ear infections (3 or more per year in past	year)
	Wears glasses/contacts al	I the time	☐ Has ear tube(s)	
	Wears glasses in classroor	n only	☐ Hearing loss (Circle): right ear / left ear	
	Request assistance obtain	ing glasses	☐ Hearing aid(s) (Circle): right ear / left ear	
	No vision problem		☐ No hearing problem	
MED	ICATIONS:			
List /	ALL medications that your cl	hild takes daily or wh	en needed. Consent is REQUIRED for <u>ALL</u> medication taken at scho	ol,
inclu	ding over the counter medic	cations. BOTH HEAL	TH CARE PROVIDER AND PARENT MUST SIGN THE CONSENT. A new	
	ent is needed each school y			
	ication Name	Purpose	Dose Needed during school? How often?	,
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l atte	st to the information provided.	I acknowledge that it	s my responsibility to inform the school of any changes to the health status	of this
		_	nd/or allergies. I understand and agree that this student may receive a rou	
	_		mply with all school illness and medication policies. Furthermore, I give per	
	-	=	formation - both within the school as well as with outside health care provic	
	n meeting this student's health			
This I	nealth information may be sha	red with HCPA staff me	mbers as needed. If you do not want this health information shared, please	•
conta	act Health Coordinator at 651-:	209-8004.		
Pare	nt/Guardian signature		Date	



School Medication Administration Form - 2020-2021

ONE (1) MEDICATION PER FORM - REQUIRED FOR ALL (PRESCRIPTION & OVER THE COUNTER) MEDICATIONS

Student Name:	Birth Date:
	Prescriber Portion
Medication Name:	Concentration:
Dose:Route:	Frequency:
Indication or instructions for "as ne	eded" med:
Possible Side Effects:	
For Emergency Medication- The studen	t is capable, has been instructed of the proper use of this medication, and may
self-carry / self-administer this medicat	ion: Yes No (Check one)
Date: Prescri	ber Name:
Prescriber Signature:	Phone/Fax:
	Parent/Guardian Portion
liability in the administration of this me healthcare provider who is ordering the school nurse. I understand that this agree to provide medication in the unce the pharmacy (prescription med) and precessary devices required to administration.	prescribed (above) including on field trips. I release school personnel from any dication and understand that I am responsible for communication with the is medication. I understand that this medication will not be administered by a uthorization will be effective and need to be renewed each school year. I opened original container (for over the counter med) / with a printed label from pick the medication up at the end of the school year. I will provide all ster this medication, if needed (ie: nebulizer mask/tubing, syringes, pill crusher, changed with staff working with my child, medical providers, and emergency udent's safety.
For Emergency Medication- The studer	nt is capable, has been instructed of the proper use of this medication, and may
self-carry / self-administer this medicat	tion: Yes No (Check one)
Date:Parent	/Guardian Name:
Parent/Guardian Signature:	Phone:

Medica	ation Re	ceipt	To be	complete	ed by scl	nool pers	sonnel			
Student N	Name:					_ Bi	rth date:			
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School staff administering medication will record time and initial as medication is give. Authorized Staff please print name and initial

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AUTHORIZATION FOR RELEASE OF MEDICAL RECORDS

Student's Fir	rst Name Last Name	D	ate of Birth	
Parent/Guar	dian Name	Dat	re	Telephone
I authorize H	Imong Academy, Health Staff			
į	1515 Brewster St, St. Paul, MN Street, City, Zip	<u>55108</u>	651-209-8004 Telephone	651-289-1802 Fax Number
	To exchange information with:			
	Clinic/Health Care Provider			
	Address C	ty, State	, Zip	
	Telephone Fa	эх		
The following	g information is requested: Mental Health History Office/Clinic Visit Notes Other		Consultation Admission/d	ı ischarge summary ——
The purpose	for this request is: To provide school personnel w To collaborate services	vith a bet	ter understanding o	f your child's needs
date of a landom	norization: erstand that the authorization tale of signature erstand that I may revoke this au ne practice of HCPA to not discle otocopy/fax of this authorization iter as the original ces are not conditioned upon thi	uthorizati ose reco which ha	on at any time by gi rds without consent is not been altered v	ving written notification
Date	Signature of Parent/0	Guardian		Relationship to Student

Enter the dates for each vaccine your child	lmmun	ization F	orm	Name			Birthdate	<u> </u>				
has received to date. Specify the month, day,	Immunization	mmunizations required for child care, early childhood programs, and school.										
and year of each dose such as 01/01/2010.	Birth to 6 months			12 -2	4 months	At Kindergarten	At 7th grade	At 12th grade				
Vaccine												
Hepatitis B												
Diphtheria, Tetanus, Pertussis (DTaP, DT, Td)												
Haemophilus influenzae type b (Hib)		Name of A									
Pneumococcal (PCV)												
Polio						The St						
Measles, Mumps, Rubella (MMR)												
Chickenpox (varicella)						ipal I						
Hepatitis A												
Tetanus, Diphtheria, Pertussis (Tdap)												
Meningococcal (MCV4)												

Minnesota law requires children enrolled in child care, early childhood education, or school to be immunized against certain diseases, unless the child is medically or non-medically exempt.

Instructions for parent or guardian:

- 1. Fill out the dates in chronological order even if your child received a vaccine outside of the age/grade category that the box is in. Depending on the age of your child, they may not have received all vaccines; some boxes will be blank.
 - If you have a copy of your child's immunization history, you can attach a copy of it instead of completing the front of this form.
 - Your doctor or clinic can provide a copy of your child's immunization history. If you are missing or need information about your child's immunization history, talk to your doctor or call the Minnesota Immunization Information Connection (MIIC) at 651-201-3980 or 800-657-3970.
- 2. Sign or get the signatures needed for the back of this form.
 - Document medical and/or non-medical exemptions in section 1.
 - Verify history of chickenpox (varicella) disease in section 2.
 - Provide consent to share immunization information (optional) in section 3.



nstructions: Complete section 1 to do section 2 to verify history of varicella of mmunization information.				
L. Document a medical and/or non-medical and or non-medical and X in the box to indicate a medical and indicate and indic			are exemptions to more than one vaccine, mark ea	ach vaccine with an X.
Vaccine	Medical Exemption	Non-Medical Exemption	B. Non-medical exemption: A child is not require their parent or guardian's beliefs. However, choos	sing not to vaccinate may put the health
Diphtheria, Tetanus, and Pertussis			or life of your child or others they come in contact are exposed to a vaccine-preventable disease may	
Polio			care, school, and other activities in order to prote	
Measles, Mumps, Rubella			By my signature, I confirm that this child will not	
Haemophilus influenzae type b			the table because of my beliefs. I am aware that of from child care, school, and other activities if exp	
Chickenpox (varicella)			Signatura	Date:
Pneumococcal			Signature:(of parent or guardian in presence of notary)	Date.
Hepatitis A			Non-medical exemptions must also be signed ar	nd stamped by a notary:
Hepatitis B			This document was acknowledged before me	
Meningococcal			on (date)	Notary Stamp
A. Medical exemption: By my signatus should not receive the vaccines marked reasons (contraindications) or because they are already immune. Signature:	ed with an X in the	e table for medical	(name of parent or guardian) Notary Signature:	STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF
I am a health care practitioner and with chickenpox or the parent prochild had chickenpox in the past. I am the parent or guardian and the September 1, 2010. Signature: of health care practitioner*, represent guardian). Parent can sign if chickenpox	isease. This child irm that this child d this child was provided a description of a public ex occurred befor	eviously diagnosed on that indicates this tenpox on or before Date: clinic, or parent/ee September 2010.	 3. Consent to share immunization information to share your child's immunization record with system. Giving your permission will: Provide easier access for you and your school as at school entry each year. Support your school in helping to protect st vulnerable to disease based on their immuniduring a disease outbreak. Under Minnesota law, all the information you put to those authorized to receive it. Signing this senot to sign, it will not affect the health or educated lagree to allow my child's school to share my climinesota's immunization information system: 	Minnesota's immunization information bol to check immunization records, such tudents by knowing who may be nization record. This can be important rovide is private and can only be released ction of the form is optional. If you choose tional services your child receives. hild's immunization documentation with
*Health care practitioner is defined as a li ohysician assistant. Ainnesota Department of Health - Immunization Pr		nurse practitioner, or	Signature: (of parent/guardian)	Date:



August 11, 2020

RE: Student Ethnic and Racial Demographic Designation Form

Dear Parent or Guardian:

In an effort to assist Minnesota districts in providing targeted programs and services to help all students succeed, districts are required by law to request more detailed student ancestry or ethnic origin information based on Minnesota's largest groups, beyond what has been collected on enrollment forms under federal law since 2008. Parents or guardians are not required to answer the federal questions (in bold) on the Ethnic and Racial Demographic Designation Form for their children. However, if you choose not to answer the federal questions (in bold), federal law requires schools to choose for you. State questions are labeled as "Optional" and schools will not fill in this information for you. Refusal to respond will not impact enrollment in the school.

As a result of the new law, you are asked to report your child's information. All schools in Minnesota will collect this information using these updated categories. The Minnesota Department of Education will continue to incorporate feedback from the public into this form.

To report your child's information, please complete the enclosed form and return it to the HCPA Main Office. Note: You may choose to not indicate any of the more detailed selections by marking the "decline to indicate" option(s). You may also choose to mark an "other" option if you do not see your group represented. School staff are not required to assign students to these detailed groups.

For more information about the reporting categories, please contact Aemillianna Thao at 651-209-8002.

Sincerely,

Dr. Christianna Hang Superintendent

Enclosure: Ethnic and Racial Demographic Designation Form (one per student).

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Ethnic and Racial Demographic Designation Form

Student	t's First Name:		_Middle Name	/Initial:	Last Name:	
Date of	Birth:	District:			School:	
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currentl learn mo	ormation helps improve tead y underserved. The informa ore about the purpose of co ed. The privacy notice can be	tion this form col llecting this infor	lects is considere mation, how it wi	d private inforn II be used and r	nation. You can rev not used, and how	iew the privacy notice to the detailed groups were
	tudent Hispanic/Latino a n, Puerto Rican, South or					ncludes persons of Cuban, ss of race. ¹
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[Select	"yes" to at least one of the	Questions (1-6) Ł	elow.]			
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¹Federal Register, Vol. 72, No. 202/Friday, October 19, 2007/Notices/59274

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Parent	(s)/0	Guardian Name					D	ate	
Parent	(s)/(Guardian Signature							



Attention parents and guardians,

Our classes will use **Google Meets** and **Schoology Conferences** as part of the COVID-19 Distance Learning Plan 2.0. These platforms will allow teachers to support students and communicate with students and parents in live video conferences. Please read through this guide to become more familiar with some of the basic expectations associated with participating in live video conferences.

Video Meeting Quick Guide for Parents

Before You Start

- 1. Teachers, students and parents should begin with written or phone communication regarding any questions or concerns.
- 2. Once a time and date is scheduled, the teacher will send meeting information via email, calendar invite, or another form of communication for Google Meets or Schoology Conference.
- 3. Students or parents will follow the link provided to join the conference at the teacher appointed time.
- 4. All video conferencing should take place during appropriately scheduled times.

Guidelines for the Parent Reaching out to Teachers

- 1. An important note: Review the <u>Google Meet instructions</u> or <u>Schoology Conference instructions</u> before the video meeting.
- 2. The meeting WILL NOT be recorded unless all attendees are informed of this action.
- 3. Parents and teachers should refrain from emailing or video conferencing through the student's district account.
- 4. Parents should have prepared a list of concerns that they wish to discuss, and take notes during the meeting. An announcement must be made when a meeting is recorded by any participant.
- 5. Parents should conduct themselves in a respectful manner as mutual respect is needed to have a productive meeting.
- 6. If appropriate, it may be beneficial to have the student present during the video conference to hear their thoughts on the matter.
- 7. Teachers have the right to respectfully disconnect from the video conference and reschedule for a later date.

Important Additional Notes

Please make the teacher aware of your presence anytime you join or observe class meetings. (wave hello)



Video Meeting Quick Guide for Students

Before You Join

- 1. HCPA has approved Google Meets and/or Schoology Conferences as the video conference tools allowed for the COVID-19 Distance Learning Plan 2.0.
- 2. Parents or guardians should understand that the teacher will be using video conferencing technology.

How to join a Google Meets class session

- Step 1: Click the meeting link shared by your teacher in your Schoology or Seesaw course.
- You can also go to Meets and type in the meeting name your teacher provided for you.
- Step 2: Google meet will open up in a new tab.
- Step 3: Click on the button that says Join Now.
- Step 4: Mute your microphone when entering the conference.



How to join a Schoology Conference class session

- Step 1: Click on Conferences on the left side of the Schoology course.
- Step 2: Click on the title of the session (it is blue) and the Schoology Conference will open up in a new tab.
- Step 3: Mute your microphone when entering the conference.

Follow ALL Classroom Rules

- 1. Dress appropriately as if you were in a classroom.
- 2. Be ready, respectful, and responsible digital citizens.
- 3. Do not interrupt others while they are speaking.
- 4. Close all unnecessary tabs during the video meeting, and minimize distracting gestures or sounds.
- 5. Be fully engaged and try your best. Ask questions in the chat or by "raising your hand".

Do Not

- 1. Do not share or give meeting access to anyone
- 2. Do not record video of or forward recordings of the class session

Important Additional Notes

REMEMBER — All participants are personally responsible for their behavior during any Video Conference. Report safety concerns to **HCPA See Something Say Something Safety Line at 612-888-5234**

Hmong College Prep Academy

Acknowledgement and Agreement Regarding Video Conference and Online Recording of Classes

In response to the COVID-19 pandemic, Hmong College Prep Academy ("HCPA") has developed video conferencing as a method to provide your student the opportunity to participate in a classroom group experience and to access HCPA's educational services in the event your student is not able to receive in-person instruction at the school.

In order to implement instruction via video conferencing HCPA has established <u>Protocols</u> for Video Conferencing Student and Parents ("Protocols") containing the comprehensive rules and policies for participating in video conference instruction.

HCPA has also established a <u>Video Meeting Quick Guide for Students</u> ("Guide for Students") and a <u>Video Meeting Quick Guide for Parents</u> ("Guide for Parents") for the start of the 2020-2021 school year.

As students participate in instruction by video conferencing to begin the 2020-21 school year there are important considerations that HCPA expects students and parents to follow:

- 1. Confidentiality is extremely important to HCPA. When your student participates in video conference instruction, you and your student agree not to discuss or share any educational information about other students in the group outside of the classroom experience.
- 2. You and your student agree that during the video conference sessions, no recording or digital image retention (i.e. screenshot) of any kind will occur.
- 3. You and your student understand that only students, teachers and other authorized staff may be part of the video conference experience unless specific permission is granted by your teacher to include others.
- 4. The approved video conference tools for HCPA are Google Meets and Schoology Conferences. Due to licensing and student safety other platforms are not allowed to be used.
- 5. Whenever students or staff/teachers are working collectively in an online video conference tool, all groups must be using school provisioned accounts. These school provisioned accounts include, Microsoft account (@hcpak12.org), Google for Education account (@apps-hcpak12.org), Schoology account (username or @apps-hcpak12.org). Students and Staff are prohibited from using personal accounts to connect.
- 6. Any live (synchronous) video conferencing tool can only be recorded when student video feeds are not turned on. HCPA is an enterprise HIPAA and FERPA-compliant tenant of Microsoft Teams and Google for Education for use by all HCPA staff, students, and service providers using a HCPA-issued identity and password. Students must use their HCPA student account credentials, and staff must use their HCPA credentials (their @apps-hcpak12.org accounts). These designations allow for the recording of video conference sessions and protect both students and teachers so long as:

- Students are made aware that the session will be recorded.
- Students are instructed to turn their video feed off.
- Teachers edit any recording where a student video feed may show up.
- 7. When a video conference session is not being recorded it is in the best interests of all parties that the presenter disables web cameras, thus only allowing audio if students are present in a live video conference. If due to lesson activities or a student needing to use their video feed to participate in the lesson, the student can do so on their own provided permission from a parent/guardian has been received.
- 8. Video conferencing that records an individual student's response that are uploaded to a service are allowed. This includes services such as Flipgrid, video/audio in a Schoology discussion board. In order to ensure online safety and protection:
 - o All students must use a school account (@apps-hcpak12.org)
 - Teachers must turn on moderation features that ensure each recording is approved prior to other students viewing the recording.
 - Recordings should be vetted by the teacher to ensure they do not contain inappropriate clothing, backgrounds, attire, gestures or other information that is in violation of HCPA policy
- 9. The information in paragraphs 1 through above is described in greater detail in the Protocols, Guides for Students and Guides for Parents.
- 10. All other HCPA policies and regulations concerning student conduct and HCPA's expectations for students remain in effect during video conference instruction.

Acknowledgement and Agreement

I have received HCPA's Protocols for Video Conferencing for Students and Parents, the Video Meeting Quick Guide for Students and the Video Meeting Quick Guide for Parents.

My student and I acknowledge and understand that my student and I must follow all HCPA policies and regulations related to instruction via video conference and that my student and I must continue to follow all other HCPA established policies and regulations as if my student were attending school in person at HCPA.

My student and I acknowledge that failure to comply will result in HCPA administration taking appropriate action to enforce all of its policies and regulations which may include discipline or other action which HCPA administration believes is appropriate.

Student:	Parent/Guardian:	
Date:	Date:	



2020-2021 Student CHROMEBOOK Technology Equipment Agreement

Student Name:			Stude	nt ID Number:
Colle	ge Prep Teacher:		Grade	:
Plea	ase complete and submit a	signed contract for ea	ch of your studer	nts (in grades 3 – 12).
l red	quest my student receive th	e following equipmen	t:	
		Standard Equipment	Replacement Cost	
		Chromebook	\$200.00	
		Charger	\$ 25.00	
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	I <u>DO NOT</u> agree to pay the 2020-2021 academic ter damaged, I will be resp	ne insurance fee for us m. I understand if consible for the pay	e of the CHROMI the Device/Acce ment of repair	EBOOK listed above for the essories are stolen, lost or costs or replacement of the
My	CHROMEBOOK (\$200) a signature below indicates			nd the above information.
Par	ent/Guardian Signature:		Date:	
	Return completed co	ontracts as soon as poss	sible. Please comp	olete Page 2 attached.
		Thank y	ou!	



Student CHROMEBOOK Technology Equipment Agreement 2020-2021

Please find below the guidelines that parents and students must agree to in order to be issued a CHROMEBOOK:

I (parent and child) understand:

- 1. The CHROMEBOOK (and accompanying equipment) are the property of Hmong College Prep Academy.
- 2. Students must bring their CHROMEBOOK to school every day.
- 3. Students are not allowed to use the device for any other purpose than academics.
- 4. Parent/Guardian has the opportunity to voluntarily purchase insurance to cover the replacement costs of the CHROMEBOOK in the event it is damaged.
- 5. Parent/Guardian <u>are</u> responsible for the cost of any HCPA issued equipment or accessories if they are lost, stolen or damaged or purposely damaged by student!
- 6. If student purposely damaged Chromebook Parent/Guardian are responsible for all costs!
- 7. Student's misuse of the device and/or failure to follow HCPA rules and policies related to use of the device will result in the student losing the privilege of having access to an HCPA issued device.
- 8. If the student withdraws/transfers from Hmong College Prep Academy during the 2020-2021 school year, they must immediately return the CHROMEBOOK (and accompanying equipment) to the Technology Department or else be charged in FULL (\$200 for the CHROMEBOOK and \$25 for the accessories). The CHROMEBOOK device will be wiped clean and unusable.
- 9. By the end of the school year the CHROMEBOOK and all related technology will be returned to HCPA. If technology is not returned in time we understand that we are responsible for any payment due for missing technology.

I (parent and child) agree to:

- 1. Keep the CHROMEBOOK device secure at ALL times when not in use.
- 2. Ensure that the CHROMEBOOK device is only used by the student for whom it is assigned.
- 3. Keep the CHROMEBOOK device in a case at all times when taking it to and from school.
- 4. Not deface the CHROMEBOOK or other equipment. I will keep the equipment free of marks, stickers, writings and drawings.
- 5. Never connect the CHROMEBOOK device to a home computer or use for entertainment or recreational purposes. Only authorized teachers are allowed to download and/or delete material from the CHROMEBOOK device.
- 6. Promptly return the CHROMEBOOK and accessories at the end of the school year upon request.
- 7. Use the CHROMEBOOK in a way that is in compliance with HCPA's Technology Use Policy and Student Discipline Policy contained in the HCPA Student Handbook.

Parent/Guardian Signature:	Da	te: