Prairie Hill Waldorf School Family Pledge of Understanding
2023-2024 School Year

Prairie Hill Waldorf School is a dynamic group of students, faculty, parents and community members. Participation in the community of the school is essential to the quality of the educational experience for my child/ren. As such, I understand that I will be expected to be energetically involved in my child's education by being an active participant in the school community, including, but not limited to, attending school events, assisting in school activities, performing parent involvement duties, and supporting the teachers and the school in their quest to help my child/ren learn.

Please read AND INITIAL the following statements and sign at the bottom:

☐ I understand and acknowledge the policies, procedures, and guidelines stated in the *Prairie Hill Waldorf School Family Handbook* and agree to abide by all school policies, procedures, and to respect the school guidelines.

☐ I agree to model appropriate, respectful adult behavior at all times in the presence of other Prairie Hill Waldorf School community members including other parents, students, faculty, administration and other parties associated with Prairie Hill Waldorf School.

☐ I agree to respect all members of our community regarding, but not limited to, race, ethnicity, sexual orientation identity, physical or mental capacities, gender, height and weight.

☐ I agree to communicate to the appropriate school personnel, as outlined in the *Prairie Hill Waldorf School Family Handbook*, when a question or concern arises.

☐ I understand that I will be expected to attend Parent Teacher Conferences and All School Meetings as scheduled on the school calendar.

☐ I agree to stay informed about school events by reading The Weekly Update, a newsletter distributed by email on Wednesdays, as well as all other communications, including those placed in family mailboxes.

☐ I understand that, beginning in the fourth grade, the school requires music instruction as part of the curriculum, and I pledge to have my child/ren properly supplied with the necessary musical instrument.

☐ I understand that it is my responsibility to have my child/ren at school on time each morning and to pick my child/ren up on time each afternoon. I further understand that it is my responsibility to learn and abide by the pick-up and drop off procedures as described in the *Prairie Hill Waldorf School Family Handbook*, to deliver my child/ren to and from school properly. I understand that if I am not on time, I will be charged a fee for care services for my child/ren.

☐ I understand that it is my responsibility to call the school each day that my child/ren will be absent before the school day starts. I agree to follow the attendance and tardy policies described in the *Prairie Hill Waldorf School Family Handbook*.

☐ I understand that Prairie Hill has a no weapons policy and I will abide by the policy outlined in the *Prairie Hill Waldorf School Family Handbook.*

☐ I understand that bills (tuition, care fees, etc.) must be paid for the fiscal health of the school. I agree to keep my account current by paying in a timely fashion.

☐ I attest that information given on all application, registration, and enrollment forms is true and understand that false information may result in my child/ren being dismissed from Prairie Hill Waldorf School.

☐ I understand that not fulfilling the terms of this pledge agreement will result in my child/ren being dismissed from Prairie Hill Waldorf School.

☐ I understand that a dismissal or expulsion from Prairie Hill Waldorf School is permanent, and my child/ren will not be eligible for future enrollment.

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Student Full Name & Grade | Student Full Name & Grade

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